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JOB PROFILE	
Title	**Trial manager (m/f)**
Category	Research engineer
Employer	Institut Bouisson-Bertrand, Faculté de Médecine de Montpellier, 5 rue de l'école de Médecine, Montpellier
Contexte	UMI233 TRANSVIHMI from the health department of the IRD is a multidisciplinary research unit affiliated to the INSERM and University of Montpellier. UMI233 is involved in studies on virological and clinical characteristics of HIV/AIDS but also treatment programmatic aspects using a bio-medical and socio-cultural approach for population living in high burden and resource-limited countries, especially in Africa. This also includes other infectious diseases such as tuberculosis. UMI233 is in associated to a UNITAID funded project (2018-2022) under the coordination of the Elizabeth Glaser Paediatric AIDS Foundation (EGPAF): CAP TB project (Catalyzing paediatric TB innovation). This project is aiming to reduce morbidity and mortality associated with paediatric tuberculosis through the increase coverage of treatment of pediatric tuberculosis disease, as well as scale-up treatment of latent tuberculosis. UMI233 is in charge of the evaluation of an innovative community-based approach for screening and preventive therapy of household childhood tuberculosis contacts that will be compared with a facility-based approach within a cluster randomized trial in Uganda and Cameroon: CONTACT-study.
Line manager	Dr Maryline Bonnet, IRD, Kampala/Uganda
Mission	Coordinate the preparation and monitor the implementation of a randomized community-based study in Uganda and Cameroon according to the study protocol and the Good Clinical Practices (GCP).
Main activities	– Coordinate the sites preparation in the two countries with each country's research unit – Develop and update the Manuel of Procedures (MOP) and oversee the development of Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) – Coordinate the training of the study personnel with each country's research unit – Ensure that the conduct of the research in each country follows the study protocol, SOPs and GCP. – Organise regular study meetings with study investigators and country research units – Update the study progress documents: project Gantt chart; project activity work plan…
Profile	– Master in public health, international health, epidemiology, clinical research or related field – 2+ years working experience in clinical research in limited resource countries (trial manager, study coordinator, clinical monitor…) – Experience in community based research is an asset. – Trained on GCP – English and French oral and written skills : B2 level

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	– Strong motivation, organizational skills and team player spirit
Conditions	Position based in Kampala (Uganda) with the line manager or in the UMI233 at IRD in Montpellier possibility to be based In Montpellier (France) with missions of 1-3 months durations in Uganda. Missions for 2 weeks in Cameroon and Uganda every 4 months. Start: As soon as possible. Duration: 2 years.
Type of contract	Short term contract for the project duration (24 months) or consultancy contract
Contact	Send a motivation letter and CV to Maryline Bonnet: maryline.bonnet@ird.fr Only selected candidates for interview will be contacted. Deadline for submission: 23 September 2018.