

# Patient Avatar-3D- Training - Academy & HIWI Position

## Unit for 3D-Patient Avatars & Personalized Medicine

Development & Imaging Unit of Patient Derived 3D Cell Culture Models to test novel Therapeutics and Personalized Treatment Strategies

In our Unit, we develop "Patient Avatar 3D-Models" for example: spheroids & organoids from patient material. These model systems are known to mimic the heterogeneity and complexity of patients tumors and are therefore often used as models to predict therapy responses & investigate novel therapeutic options. For our team we are searching for highly motivated students interested in getting a comprehensive training & support our work.

## Target Group / Applicants

Students of Life Sciences & Science & Medicine

(Biochemistry, Biology, Medical Life Sciences, Bioinformatics, Informatics, Medicine, Dentistry)

## Overview: Training & HIWI

**Basic & Specialized Training:** 8-12 weeks full-time, depending on prior knowledge; basic training can be partly integrated into study-related mandatory internships

**Payed Work (HIWI):** We are flexible, individual adaption of hours & time frames based on needs & study schedule requirements, please indicate your wishes in the application. Max. hours equivalent to 22h/month (1 year).

## Specialization Tracks & Potential Tasks

**I) Advanced Cell Culture 3D-Track:** FISH, flow cytometry, imaging, stainings, IHC

**II) Bioinformatics & Imaging Track:** image recognition - AI training, automation

**III) Translational Track:** clinical follow-up, biomarker, EV

**General Lab Procedures:** 2D & 3D cell culture, ELISA, western blot, preparation of samples for proteomics, sequencing & other downstream analysis

## Application

**Letter of Motivation** (1 page): tell us, how you can support us, which methods / tracks you are interested in and why

**CV** (1-2 pages): please indicate all lab experience you have

**Timescale** (up to 1 page): table or timeline indicating the time you can invest before initiation of your master thesis / doctoral thesis, including full time availability (semester holidays) & part time availability during semester in hours, please include potential time frames you could perform your internship

Please send your application (1 combined PDF) until 14.04.2026 to [nina.hedemann@uksh.de](mailto:nina.hedemann@uksh.de)

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