

# Doctoral Training with a Study Option



## Cardiovascular and Metabolism Program (CVM)

# From Bench to Bedside

### OVERVIEW

Cardiovascular diseases are among the most life threatening health problems society is facing today. The majority of these diseases are the direct result of metabolic disorders such as obesity and diabetes. Improvement of medical care for these diseases is one of the global health aims for the near future. To ensure a new generation of advanced research in this area, the Faculty of Biology and Medicine of the University of Lausanne organizes a tailored doctoral program focusing on cardiovascular and metabolic functions in health and disease. This program provides theoretical training for students preparing a PhD or MD-PhD thesis in this discipline, wanting to pursue a career in research, education, health organizations or private industry.

### Why choosing the CVM PhD Program?

The CVM PhD program trains students to conduct individual research at the interface of basic and applied clinical sciences. In addition to tutorials and courses offered by the UNIL-FBM doctoral school, the **Cardiovascular and Metabolism PhD program organizes mini-symposia on many different topics, advanced courses, workshops, seminars, tutorials, and meetings** giving PhD candidates the opportunity to present, discuss and receive feedback on their work from experts in the field (and obtain ECTS for their efforts).

The program is multidisciplinary with teaching provided by scientists and clinicians, thus enabling PhD candidates to conduct research in the cardiovascular and metabolism field with the perspective of translating their research to clinical applications.

When completing the CVM PhD program (12 ECTS; mandatory participation to four mini-symposia included) a certificate with special mention "Cardiovascular and Metabolism" is provided by the doctoral school in addition to the PhD diploma.

### How to enroll to the CVM PhD Program

- Candidates for PhD studies @ UNIL must hold a master degree recognized by the UNIL admission service.
- Candidates to the CVM PhD program should have a thesis director and a thesis subject related to cardiovascular and metabolic functioning.
- Candidates enroll and register in parallel via
  - 1) the UNIL admission service
  - 2) the CVM program coordinator



### Organizer

Doctoral School of the Faculty of Biology and Medicine University of Lausanne (UNIL)

### Degree Awarded

Doctorate in Life Sciences (PhD) &

### Certificate with Mention

Cardiovascular and Metabolism

### For questions and registration to the program:

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