

Full-time Faculty Position (Open Rank position)
at the LATIN AMERICAN BRAIN HEALTH INSTITUTE (BrainLat)
Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez, Santiago, Chile

Institution: Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez

Location: Santiago, Chile

Category: Multi-Faculty

Type: Full-time

Salary: Commensurate with experience

Starting Date: March 2024

Faculty Positions: Universidad Adolfo Ibanez (UAI) invites applicants for an open-rank, full-time, tenured, or tenure-track position beginning March 2024 to be part of the new Latin American Brain Health Institute (BrainLat) at UAI.

Screening of applications will begin immediately and remain open until the positions are filled.

Background: The overarching mission of BrainLat will be to empower a new generation of health leaders to break down disciplinary boundaries and forge innovative approaches for promoting **brain health in their communities and reducing the global impact of dementia**. BrainLat brings together leading national and international institutions in brain science, including the UAI (School of Psychology, Faculty of Engineering and Science, School of Government and School of Business), the Geroscience Center (GERO), the Memory and Neuropsychiatry Clinic of the University of Chile (CMYN). BrainLat aims to be affiliated with the Global Brain Health Institute (GBHI) at the University of California San Francisco (UCSF). Supported by this network, the Institute will conduct world-class interdisciplinary and translational research with real-world implications, train new researchers, and disseminate evidence to broad audiences.

Profile 1: The UAI requests and supports emerging leaders in brain health, aging, dementia, and cognitive neuroscience. We seek candidates with a strong record that is appropriate to their rank and proven capacities to establish successful research collaborations. We encourage applications from individuals of diverse backgrounds in the areas of **Biomarkers, Computational Neuroscience, and Prevention & Epidemiology**. Priority will be given to candidates with the ability to conduct interdisciplinary and collaborative research on Brain Health or aimed to reduce the scale and impact of dementia in Latin America.

Profile 2: The UAI is currently seeking a highly motivated and innovative scientist with a proven track record and expertise in the field of neuroscience. **This expertise should encompass a wide range of molecular and cellular biology techniques, along with proficiency in both in-vivo and in-vitro methodologies**. The successful candidate will play a pivotal role within our institute, actively contributing to cutting-edge research endeavors. Additionally, he/she will serve as a mentor to emerging researchers and engage in collaborative interdisciplinary projects aimed at identifying novel peripheral biomarkers associated not only with neurodegenerative diseases but also with other conditions acting as risk factors for dementia, such as chronic pain or related conditions.

Application: Applicants should submit a curriculum vitae, letter of application, and two references to e-mail letters separately. Questions and all application materials should be e-mailed to Dr. Agustín Ibáñez and Dr. Claudia Duran-Aniotz at brainlat@uai.cl