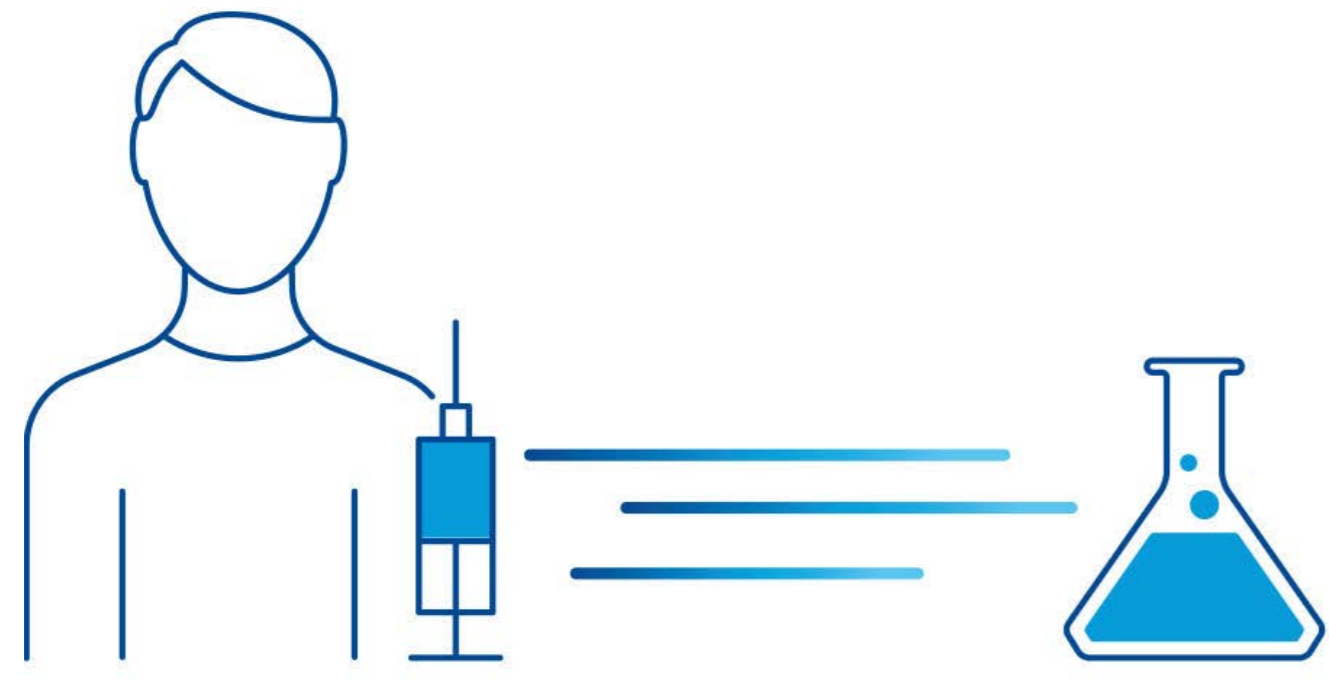


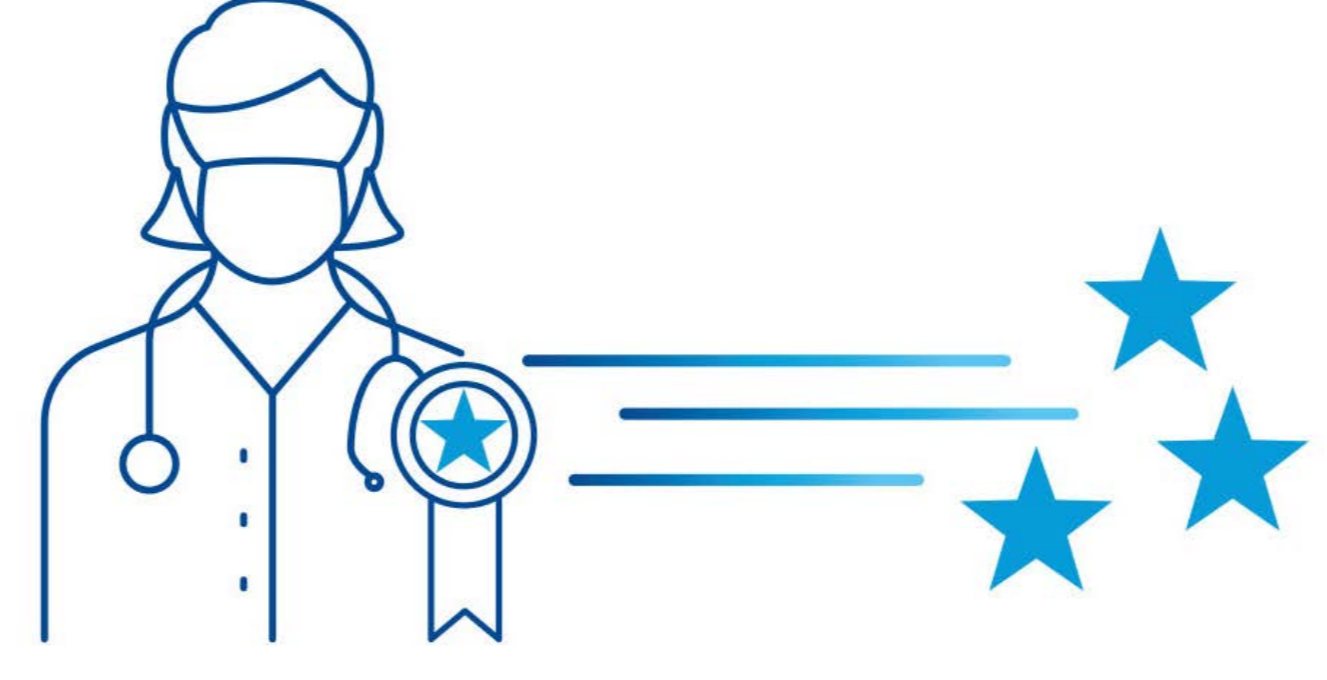
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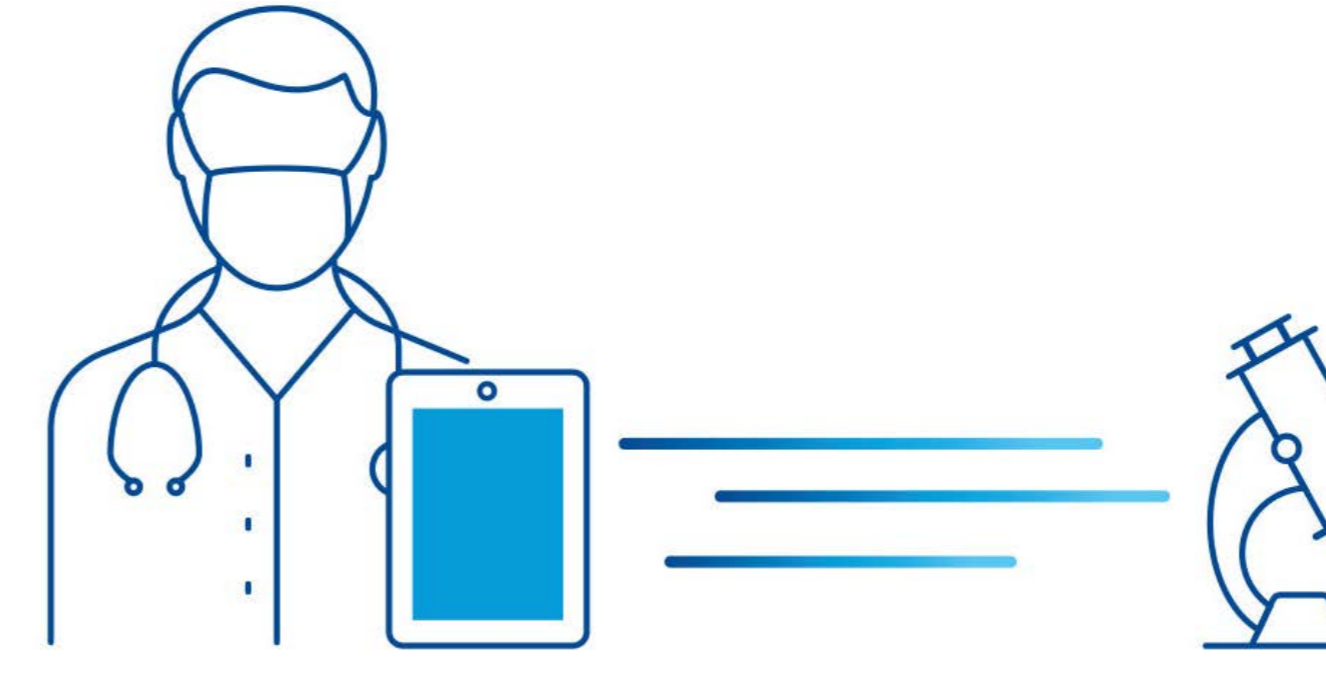
**Idea**

➤ To create an inspiring hub to catalyze a translational mind set



**Idea**

➤ To facilitate highly-talented ACS towards outstanding career paths




**Idea**


➤ To tackle key problems of inflammatory and infectious diseases

**Apply now!**

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## Three-Stage Selection Process



**STEP 1**  
Selection Committee  
Best 40% of all Applications  
Excellence, CV, Motivational Letter, Research Proposal, Clinical Qualification

**STEP 2**  
Board of Reviewers  
Best 50% of Step 1  
Scientific Achievements, Research Proposal

**STEP 3**  
Selection Committee  
Best 50% of Step 2  
Final Selection, Interview  
Out of the Box Thinking, Dedication, Resilience, Determination


**iSTAR**

Candidates will be recruited **within the UKE** as well as **from outside** of the University Medical Center.


## Research Environment

**C3i – Hamburg Center for inflammation, infection and immunity**

**HCTI – Hamburg Center of Translational Immunology**



**EXTERNAL**



**iSTAR**

The iSTAR program provides **outstanding research networks and cooperations** for ACS.

## 3-Step iSTAR-Curriculum

**iSTAR-LEADERSHIP TRAINING**

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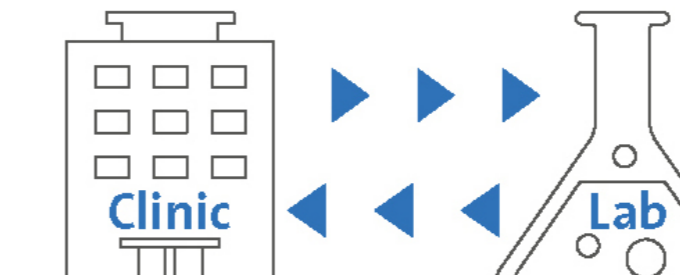
- ▶ Leadership
- ▶ Presentation and Public Outreach
- ▶ Scientific Writing
- ▶ Scientific Methods
- ▶ Teaching

**iSTAR-HIGH-PROFILE MENTORING**

- ▶ Cross-Mentoring
- ▶ Mentoring Board
- ▶ Annual Retreat

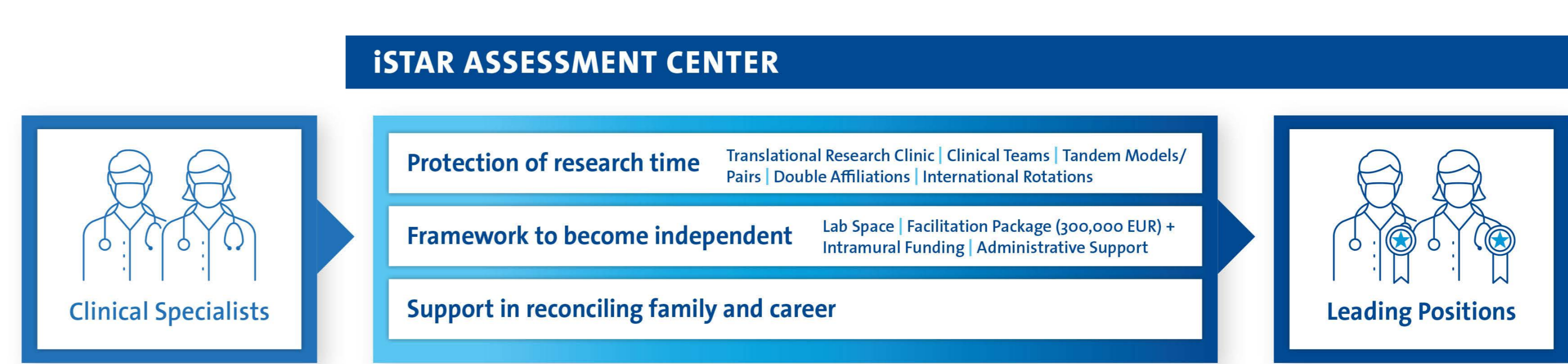
**iSTAR-TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH CLINIC**

ADVANCED MEDICAL TRAINING



The program, which spans a **period of up to 6 years** for the participants, will create a **support, training, and interaction structure** for ACS.

## Career path



**iSTAR ASSESSMENT CENTER**

- Protection of research time (Translational Research Clinic | Clinical Teams | Tandem Models/Pairs | Double Affiliations | International Rotations)
- Framework to become independent (Lab Space | Facilitation Package (300,000 EUR) + Intramural Funding | Administrative Support)
- Support in reconciling family and career

From **Clinical Specialists** to **Leading Positions**.

Within its concept iSTAR creates a **promising and flexible career path**.