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## PHD POSITIONS IN EPIDEMIOLOGY AND BIOSTATISTICS

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### Research activities are focused on:

- Large-scale epidemiologic studies and clinical trials on more effective cancer prevention and early detection, better prognosis and quality of life of cancer patients, and on quality of medical care
- Large-scale epidemiologic studies on detection of risk factors, risk markers and prognostic factors of cancer and chronic diseases
- Integration of genome, proteome and biomarker research into epidemiological studies on the causes and prevention of cancer, and on prognosis and treatment success after a cancer diagnosis
- Biostatistical methods in cancer research, e.g. analysis of high dimensional data and design of clinical trials in personalized oncology

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