Job posting

Type of position
☑ scientific
☐ administrative

Target group
☐ graduates
☑ post docs
☐ other

Title
10 Research Fellowships at Postdoc Level

Institution
The University of Siegen is a modern university with an international orientation and a focus on interdisciplinary research. It currently has around 18,000 students and covers a range of research fields from the humanities, social and economic sciences to natural sciences, engineering and life sciences. With over 2,000 employees, the university is one of the largest employers in the region and offers a unique environment for teaching, study, research and knowledge transfer.

The University of Siegen is an equal opportunity employer. The call for applications is explicitly aimed at people of all genders (m/f/d); applications from women are given preference in accordance with the North Rhine-Westphalian Equal Opportunities Act (Landesgleichstellungsgesetz). We also welcome applications from people with different personal, social and cultural backgrounds, people with severe disabilities and people of equal status.

Position
Our offer:
The call is open to all disciplines within the research areas at the University of Siegen.

We offer 10 fellowships for individual research projects. Interested candidates can apply either for an INCOMING (6 fellowships) or an OUTGOING (4 fellowships) mobility scheme.

INCOMING: research stay of 24 months at the University of Siegen
OUTGOING: research stay of 12-24 months at a partner institution worldwide with a mandatory return phase to the University of Siegen of 12 months

Benefits:
- 2-3 year fulltime employment contract with the University of Siegen
- full social security coverage (health insurance, pension payment) in accordance with national German law.
- employers gross salary consisting of: Living Allowance (4880,- EUR) adjusted by a country correction coefficient, Mobility Allowance (600,- EUR), and a Family Allowance (500,- EUR), if applicable.
- For the implementation of the individual research/training projects, each researcher is granted Research, Training and Networking Costs of up to 800,- EUR/per month to cover e.g. consumables, travel activities, conference fees, publication costs.

Applications will be accepted through the application platform of the University of Siegen https://jobs.uni-siegen.de or by postal mail. We highly recommend to use our application platform for submission. Applications sent by email will be rejected.

**Responsibilities**
Please enter a description of the responsibilities

**Requirements**

Your profile:
Researchers interested to apply for a STAR fellowship must meet the following Eligibility Criteria:

**INCOMING mobility scheme:**
- Experienced Researcher: At the date of the STAR call deadline the candidate must be in possession of a doctoral degree or have at least 4 years of full-time equivalent research experience.
- Mobility Rule: Candidates cannot have spent more than 12 months in Germany in the 3 years immediately before the deadline of the respective call.
- Nationality: The candidate can be of any nationality.
- No age restrictions apply.

**OUTGOING mobility scheme:**
- Experienced Researcher: At the date of the STAR call deadline the candidate must be in possession of a doctoral degree or has at least 4 years of full-time equivalent research experience.
- Mobility Rule: Candidates must not have spent more than 12 months in the country where the initial outgoing phase of the project is to take place in the 3 years immediately before the deadline of the respective call.
- Nationality: If the initial outgoing phase takes place in an EU Member State or Horizon 2020 Associated Country, the candidate can be of any nationality. If the host of the initial outgoing phase is located in a non-associated Third Country, the candidate must be a national or long-term resident of a Member State or Associated Country.
- No age restrictions apply.

Special rules apply for experienced researchers with a career break.
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