Job vacancy
at Universität Regensburg | No.16.246

The Universität Regensburg with its over 21,000 students is an innovative and interdisciplinary campus university that provides a broad variety of research projects and disciplines for German and foreign students. The Professorship for Theoretical Ecology at the Chair for Ecology and Conservation Biology offers a fixed-term position as a PostDoc / Lecturer in Statistical or Theoretical Ecology starting as early as possible for an initial duration of three years, with a possible extension of up to three years. This full-time position (40 hours per week) will be paid according to civil servant level A 13, Bavaria.

Responsibilities:
Applicants are free to pursue their own research program, including the possibility to apply for externally funded projects. Research activities should, however, be compatible with the general interests of the professorship (www.bio-vkl.ur.de/theoretische-oekologie). The position comes with a teaching duty of five hours per week during the semester. The expected teaching and research activities will typically allow the applicant to obtain the German “Habilitation”.

Qualifications:
Applicants must have a PhD, and an excellent record of academic achievements in a statistical or theoretical ecological research field compatible to the research interests of the Professorship for Theoretical Ecology. Options to collaborate with other research groups at the Chair for Ecology and Conservation Biology in the areas of plant community ecology and biogeography, as well as teaching and administrative experiences, are advantageous.

If all requirements for the Bavarian civil service are fulfilled, an employment as a fixed-term civil servant is planned. Alternatively, employment on a regular contract is also possible.

We offer an excellent scientific infrastructure, a cooperative working environment, and large academic independence in one of the most desirable cities of Germany.

The Universität Regensburg strives to achieve an increase in the percentage of women working at the university and, accordingly, expressly invites qualified women to apply for positions. The Universität Regensburg is committed to the compatibility of family and career (for more information, please visit http://www.uni-regensburg.de/equal-opportunities). Severely disabled applicants are given preference in instances where applicants demonstrate an equal level of qualification. Please mention any severe disabilities, if applicable, in the application. Please note that we cannot provide reimbursement for expenses associated with the interview process.

Please send your application with the usual documents (motivation letter, academic CV including research statement, publication list, teaching experience and contact details of at least 3 academic references) electronically before Feb 3rd, 2017 to florian.hartig@ur.de.