

Vacancy Notice with the reference number 141/2016

The Otto-von-Guericke-University Magdeburg seeks to fill the following vacancies

Postdoctoral researcher

Faculty of Natural Sciences, Institute of Psychology II, Dept. of Neuropsychology

Salary Scale:	Date commencing:	Fixed term	Contract status:
13 TV-L	Oct. 1 st , 2016	3 years*	100%

We seek to fill a position for one postdoctoral researcher at the Department of Neuropsychology, headed by Prof. Ullsperger. The department's research focuses on performance monitoring, flexible adaptive behavior, and decision making in humans and their impairment in mental or neuropsychological disorders.

Requirements for the position:

- Master's degree or equivalent and a doctoral degree in psychology, neuroscience, or a related field.
- Experience with cognitive/clinical neurosciences and methods (e.g., neuroimaging, EEG, MEG) as well as experimental programming and statistical data analyses is advantageous.
- License to practice psychotherapy is helpful, as it would allow the candidate to support the department's Psychotherapy Clinic.

Project-Description

The successful candidate will develop and conduct own research projects in the field of performance monitoring and/or decision making and supervise/co-supervise theses of undergraduate and graduate students. The position comes with a teaching duty of 4h/week (8 h/week for permanent position). Teaching language is German or English.

This position offers an excellent opportunity to work in one of Germany's leading imaging facilities. Research institutions in Magdeburg, such as the Otto-von-Guericke-University, the Leibniz-Institute for Neurobiology, and the German Center for Neuro-Degenerative Diseases, offer a multitude of research-dedicated MRI-scanners (Siemens Magnetom (7 Tesla), Siemens Prisma, Siemens Verio, Siemens Skyra und Philips Achieva) as well as an MEG system and multiple EEG and psychophysiology laboratories. The Institute of Psychology operates its own high throughput computing cluster for efficient data analysis.

*The position is limited to 3 years. Upon agreement of the University's rectorate and positive evaluation it can be converted into a permanent position.

For further information about the position, please contact Prof. Dr. Markus Ullsperger (markus.ullsperger@ovgu.de)

Applications from disabled persons will be given priority in the case of equal suitability, ability and professional expertise. The Otto von Guericke University aims to increase the proportion of women researchers within the university and specifically encourages women to apply.

Please send your complete application (cover letter, curriculum vitae, references) quoting reference number 141/2016 by **July 28th, 2016 (date of receipt of application)** to the address below:

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