Job Advertisement

In the KeyLab "Electron and Optical Microscopy" of the Bavarian Polymer Institute of the University of Bayreuth, the following full-time position is to be filled as soon as possible, initially for a limited period:

**Research Associate**  
*For the future Director of Electron Microscopy*  
pay grade: 13 TV-L (100%)

**Responsibilities**

- Scientific support and further development of electron microscopy in the Key Lab
- Orientation and training of doctoral and postdoctoral researchers in theory and practice
- Participation in labs and internships for master’s students and doctoral researchers

**Requirements**

- A university degree and doctorate in natural sciences or engineering
- Relevant experience in electron microscopy
- Experience applying for, operating, and monitoring large-scale research equipment
- The ability to work in a team, strong communication skills, constructive collaboration with scientists and administrative staff
- A solution-oriented and independent way of working as well as a convincing demeanor
- Experience in personnel management would be an asset

**Please note:**

The position is initially to be filled for a fixed term of two years. In the event of a positive review, the institute will seek to transfer management responsibility for the Electron Microscopy division and establish a permanent employment relationship.

All qualifications being equal, severely disabled applicants will be given priority.

The University of Bayreuth seeks to increase the proportion of women involved in research and teaching and therefore particularly welcomes female applicants.

**Application Deadline**

Please submit the usual application documents by e-mail as a single PDF file (up to 30 MB) with the subject line “Elektronenmikroskopie BPI” by **15 February 2019** to Prof. Dr. Hans-Werner Schmidt (hans-werner.schmidt@uni-bayreuth.de).