

Three fully financed Post-Doc Positions, The Department of Informatics, University of Hamburg, Germany.

Description

The positions in accordance with Section 28 subsection 2 of the Hamburg higher education act (Hamburgisches Hochschulgesetz, HmbHG) commences as soon as possible. This is a fixed-term contract in accordance with Section 2 of the academic fixed-term labor contract act (Wissenschaftszeitvertragsgesetz, WissZeitVG). The initial fixed term is three years. The contract provides for a maximum extension of up to three years depending on the associate's achievements during the first stage. Providing that a position is available and that requirements have been fulfilled, the associate may apply for temporary civil servant status in accordance with Section 28 subsection 2 HmbHG. The position is full-time and comprises 39 hours per week (40 for civil servants).

Responsibilities

Duties include research and teaching in the respective department or institute. Research associates may also pursue independent research and further academic qualifications as well as acquire teaching experience. These duties are intended to promote academic achievement. Therefore, at least one-third of set working hours will be made available for the associate's own academic work. Details below.

Specific Duties

We are searching for highly qualified and motivated postdoctoral candidates in any research field fitting to our department (see <https://www.inf.uni-hamburg.de/en/research.html>). The person shall be able to pursue independent research and have a clear and innovative research plan for the three years of the contract including a long-term perspective. The topic of the research area shall fit to the topics of one of the research groups at our department. The position includes the joint supervision of PhD and master students, the participation in research projects of the group, and the responsibility to teach 4 hours/week in the computer science department.

Requirements

A university degree in a relevant subject plus doctorate, e.g. in computer science, engineering, physics, mathematics etc. Fluent English, spoken and written, and good communication skills are mandatory. Knowledge of German is helpful but not mandatory. Furthermore, the candidate should have a good publication record at top-tier conferences/journals, and should be able to work self-organized. International experience is an asset. The Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg promotes equal opportunity. As women are currently underrepresented at this position category at Universität Hamburg according to the evaluation conducted under the Hamburg act on gender equality (Hamburgisches Gleichstellungsgesetz, HambGleiG), we encourage women to apply for this position. Equally qualified and suitable female applicants will receive

preference. Qualified disabled candidates or applicants with equivalent status receive preference in the application process.

For further information, please contact the head of the department, Prof. Dr. Frank Steinicke (fb-leitung@informatik.uni-hamburg.de), or consult our website at <https://www.inf.uni-hamburg.de/>.

Applications should include a cover letter, a curriculum vitae, a publication list, a research plan, copies of degree certificates, and the names of three reference persons. The research plan shall outline an innovative plan for the three years of the contract within the research group of interest and indicate clearly the fit to the research topics of this group. A long-term perspective shall be visible.

Please send applications by January 31st , 2020 to: fb-leitung@informatik.uni-hamburg.de in a single pdf document (the subject in the email shall start with "APPLICATION"). Please do not submit original documents as we are not able to return them. Any documents submitted will be destroyed after the application process has concluded.