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UNIVERSITÄT LÜNEBURG

Leuphana University Lüneburg (foundation under public law), Faculty of Sustainability, is offering a post for the establishment of the “Research Hub” of the International Sustainable Chemistry Collaborative Centre (ISC₃)

Research Associate (m/f) Sustainable Chemistry –
for non-experimental work in
Sustainable Chemistry Concepts and Synthesis
salary group EG 13 TV-L (100%, full time)

as soon as possible for a preliminary fixed-term until 15 November 2020.

Sustainable chemistry, in a broad interdisciplinary understanding, is of paramount importance for sustainable development. A major task and opportunity to move sustainable chemistry forward on a global level is to identify, understand, evaluate, and promote emerging research topics. Moreover, it is important to share them with the international scientific community, industry, authorities and non-governmental organizations.

YOUR TASKS

The successful candidate is expected to contribute to the interdisciplinary research activities of the ISC₃ research hub at the Leuphana University of Lüneburg. The core competences of the candidate are expected in the following fields:

- Research, evaluation, and dissemination of emerging topics in sustainable chemistry with a focus on concepts of sustainable chemistry and/or synthesis of chemicals, and materials
- Development of research topics and acquisition of third-party funding
- Collaboration and networking with international academic and nonacademic institutions
- Teaching of chemistry
- Contribution to the content and organization of workshops, the annual Green and Sustainable Chemistry Conference, and the annual International Summer School on Sustainable Chemistry
- Support of the scientific director of the ISC₃ research hub in above-mentioned activities

YOUR PROFILE

- Completed academic university degree in the field of chemistry or PhD
- Knowledge in sustainable chemistry, green chemistry, chemistry in general
- Expertise in green chemistry and sustainable chemistry with a focus on synthesis of chemicals and materials, at MSc or PhD level
- Interest in working in an interdisciplinary research team and in a wider research network on international level
- Strong communication skills and cultural sensitivity to collaborate with individuals from all over the world
- Motivation for travelling, including intercontinental trips
- Fluency in English and at least a solid basis in German, additional language skills are beneficial

OUR OFFER

- You will be part of a dynamic and motivated interdisciplinary team of scientists in an inspiring academic research environment.
- You will work in an emerging and promising field of science with strong links to other disciplines and sustainable development.
- We offer a responsible and versatile position and excellent links with national and international research networks.
- You will be located at one of the most pioneering German universities within the interdisciplinary faculty of sustainability.
- The city of Lüneburg offers the advantages of a smaller city whilst Hamburg, one of the most vibrating big cities of Germany, is very close by.
- We offer interesting career opportunities and an extensive range of training and further education courses as well as other individual development opportunities.

Leuphana University Lüneburg is an equal opportunity employer committed to fostering heterogeneity among its staff. Disabled applicants with equal qualifications will be given priority consideration. We are looking forward to receiving your application.

For informal queries about the position, please contact Prof. Dr. Klaus Kümmerer (klaus.kuemmerer@leuphana.de)

Please send your application with the usual documents (motivation letter, CV and certificates) by **31 January 2018** electronically (in a pdf file) or by mail to

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Information on ISC₃:

<https://www.isc3.org/en/governance/isc3-hubs.html>

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