

Carl von Ossietzky Universität Oldenburg, Germany
Department of Neuroscience, is offering a

PhD student position in Auditory Neuroscience

Salary will be according to TV level E 13 (65%).

We expect the position to be available from September 2018 for a duration of 3 years.

Our environment

We are part of a vibrant community of auditory and sensory neuroscience groups in Oldenburg, joined in the Cluster of Excellence "Hearing4All" (<http://hearing4all.eu/EN/>) and the Research Centre Neurosensory Science. The PhD candidate will participate in the structured graduate programs of the associated Graduate School OLTECH (www.oltech.org) in a joint Oldenburg/Groningen PhD program.

The project

We are looking for a PhD candidate that will study the anatomical change in the inner ear associated with noise-induced and age-related hearing loss. A special focus is on the synaptopathy associated with "hidden hearing loss". The work will be carried out in a collaboration between the labs of Georg Klump (www.uol.de/en/animalphysiology/) and Christine Köppl (www.uol.de/en/cochlea/) at Oldenburg University, and Sonja Pyott at the University Medical Center Groningen (thepyottlab.com).

Your profile

Applicants must hold an academic university degree (M.Sc.) or equivalent in a relevant discipline (e.g., Biology, Neuroscience, Veterinary Science). You should be enthusiastic about doing a PhD. Basic knowledge and practical experience with histological techniques is a distinct advantage.

How to apply

Please send your application to Mrs. I. Dwehus (email: Ilona.dwehus@uol.de, mail: Department of Neuroscience, Carl von Ossietzky University, Carl von Ossietzky Strasse 9-11, 26129 Oldenburg).

The application must include CV, potential referees and a copy of your undergraduate thesis. Please apply by 20th June 2018 to ensure consideration. Interviewing will continue until the position is filled.

The University of Oldenburg is dedicated to increase the percentage of female employees in the field of science. Therefore, female candidates are strongly encouraged to apply. In accordance to § 21 section 3 NHG, female candidates with equal qualifications will be preferentially considered.

Handicapped applicants will be given preference in case of equal qualification.