



Group leader position in Aquatic Ecosystem Research (f/m/d)

at WasserCluster Lunz – Biological Station

Working place: WasserCluster Lunz – Biological Station, 3293 Lunz am See, Austria;
www.wcl.ac.at

Extent of employment: 40 Hours per week

Duration of employment: Start earliest Feb 2024

Gross monthly salary (payable 14 times per year): EUR 5.800,-

WasserCluster Lunz (WCL) offers a stimulating international scientific working environment. Several laboratories, including a molecular biology, a microbiology, and a radionuclide lab amongst others, are equipped with state-of-the-art infrastructure, such as GC-IRMS, flow cytometry, TOC analyser, Confocal Laser Scanning Microscope, Laser Diffraction Particle Size Distribution Analyzer, etc. Various out-door and in-door experimental facilities and long-term monitoring stations in the groundwater, lake and stream ecosystems allow for innovative ecosystem research across scales.

Responsibilities:

- Develop and extend a research topic complementary to the existing research at WCL
- Lead a working group and take over responsibilities for the laboratories and the lake monitoring station, including the analyses and publication of the long-term lake data
- Engage in public relation activities of WCL

Required skills and qualifications:

- PhD in aquatic ecology or related fields
- Distinguished record of research with publications in peer-reviewed international journals
- Experience in lake and/or lake catchment research
- Ability to secure external funding
- Experience in leading a research team
- Skills in communication and team work in an international team
- International scientific network with ongoing collaborations
- Experience in presenting at international conferences and workshops



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- Commitment to the mentoring of students and fellows
- Excellent command of English (written and spoken)
- Beneficial: speak and understand German

Job applications must include:

- full CV, including ORCID number
- Letter of motivation
- List of publications and research projects (please indicate in which projects you were PI)
- Names and addresses of three academic references
- Research outline of past, current and future research

Applications can be submitted until 31 January 2024 to:

WasserCluster Lunz – Biologische Station GmbH, Dr. Carl Kupelwieser Promenade 5, 3293 Lunz am See, office@wcl.ac.at