

The Ruhr-University of Bochum is one of the leading research universities in Germany. As a reform-oriented campus university, it uniquely combines the entire range of the major scientific disciplines in one place. The dynamic community of disciplines offers extraordinary opportunities of interdisciplinary collaborations to researchers and students alike.

The Medical Faculty calls for applications for a

Full Tenured Professorship (W2) for Affective Neurosciences

to be filled as soon as possible at the Department of Medical Psychology and Medical Sociology.

The Department of Medical Psychology and Medical Sociology pursues an interdisciplinary and translational research, clinical, and teaching concept at the interface of basic research and clinical application in national and international collaborations and research consortia.

Applicants are expected to have a well-developed scientific profile with national and international recognition that is suitable to expand or complement the existing research focus “interoception and pain” with methodological expertise in the neurosciences and/or a clinically-oriented psychoneurobiology.

Their scientific background should be based predominantly within the research areas and planned research collaborations of the Medical Faculty and University as a whole, particularly the neurosciences. Collaborations with the clinics of the UK RUB and areas of planned future research foci are strongly encouraged, especially within research consortia. Applicants are expected to be internationally recognised for their research and to have a proven track record of raising third-party funding. Additionally, we will require candidates to actively participate in teaching for the reformed medical studies programme of the Medical Faculty, especially in subjects taught by the Department of Medical Psychology and Medical Sociology.

Formal requirements for the position include a positively evaluated junior professorship, habilitation or equivalent scientific achievements. Pedagogical aptitude and the willingness to participate in the academic self-administration of the faculty are expected.

Further requirements are:

- The ability and willingness to conduct interdisciplinary research
- Didactic aptitude, including a dedicated approach to teaching
- The ability and willingness to apply for and attract third party-funded research projects
- Extensive scientific expertise, documented by high-level international publications in the affective neurosciences and other relevant research areas, such as psychoneurobiology
- Strong commitment to translational research concepts at the interface of human-experimental and patient-oriented studies with a clear vision to integrate future research efforts into existing research consortia in the neurosciences and psychology of the University and within the Universitätsallianz Ruhr

- Competencies in clinical psychology and psychotherapy (or a license as psychotherapist) is desirable but not necessary

The Ruhr-University aims to support the careers of women in fields in which they have so far been under-represented. Consequently, we actively encourage female candidates to apply. We would also welcome the applications of suitable candidates with a disability.

Please send your written application and additional documents (CV, scientific profile and concept, certificates and diplomas, lists of publications and third-party grants, copies of 5 exemplary publications, overview of teaching experience and teaching concept) including the application form (to be downloaded at https://www.medizin.ruhr-uni-bochum.de/dekanat/sachgebiete_service/berufung.html.de) within 6 weeks only via e-mail to berufungen-medizin@rub.de:

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