

## Public job advertisement

45,000 students and 8,000 employees in teaching, research and administration, all working together to shape perspectives for the future – that is the University of Münster (WWU). Embedded in the vibrant atmosphere of Münster with its high standard of living, the University's diverse research profile and attractive study programmes draw students and researchers throughout Germany and from around the world.

The research group Green Biotechnology at the Institute of Plant Biology and Biotechnology in the Faculty of Biology at the University of Münster, Germany, is seeking to fill the position of a

### **Doctoral Research Associate** *Wissenschaftliche/r Mitarbeiter/in* **(salary level E 13 TV-L, 65%)**

commencing between December 2021 and February 2022. We are offering a fixed-term part-time position (65%) for 3 years.

#### **Your tasks:**

- *independent research towards the completion of a doctoral degree*
- *collaboration in research and teaching*
- *work on a DFG-funded project about the role of lipid droplets in seed germination*

#### **Our expectations:**

- *A graduate degree in Biology or a related field (i.e. German Diplom and/or master's degree) is required.*
- *Candidates in their final phase of their master's degree can also apply.*
- *Good command of written and spoken English is advantageous.*
- *Experience in confocal microscopy, molecular biology, plant genetics and/or MS-based analytics would be welcomed.*
- *Knowledge of plant lipid metabolism is advantageous.*
- *We are looking for a team-oriented researcher with good communication skills that can work independently.*

#### **Advantages for you:**

- responsible, varied and challenging tasks
- a friendly and collegial working atmosphere
- a family-friendly environment

The University of Münster is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to increasing the proportion of women academics. Consequently, we actively encourage applications by women. Female candidates with equivalent qualifications and academic achievements will be preferentially considered within the framework of the legal possibilities.

The University of Münster is committed to employing more staff with disabilities. Candidates with recognised severe disabilities who have equivalent qualifications are given preference in hiring decisions.

If you have any questions or if you want to learn more about the project, please contact Prof Till Ischebeck (till.ischebeck@wwu.de).

Are you interested? Then we look forward to receiving your application (cover letter, the names of two referees, a CV, copies of degree certificates and transcripts) by **31 October 2021** at:

Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität  
Institut für Biologie und Biotechnologie der Pflanzen  
Schlossplatz 8  
48143 Münster  
**Reference no: Isch\_2021\_09\_1**

You may also send us your application electronically in a single PDF file (max. 10 MB) to:

[application.sp8@uni-muenster.de](mailto:application.sp8@uni-muenster.de).

Please note that we cannot consider other file formats.