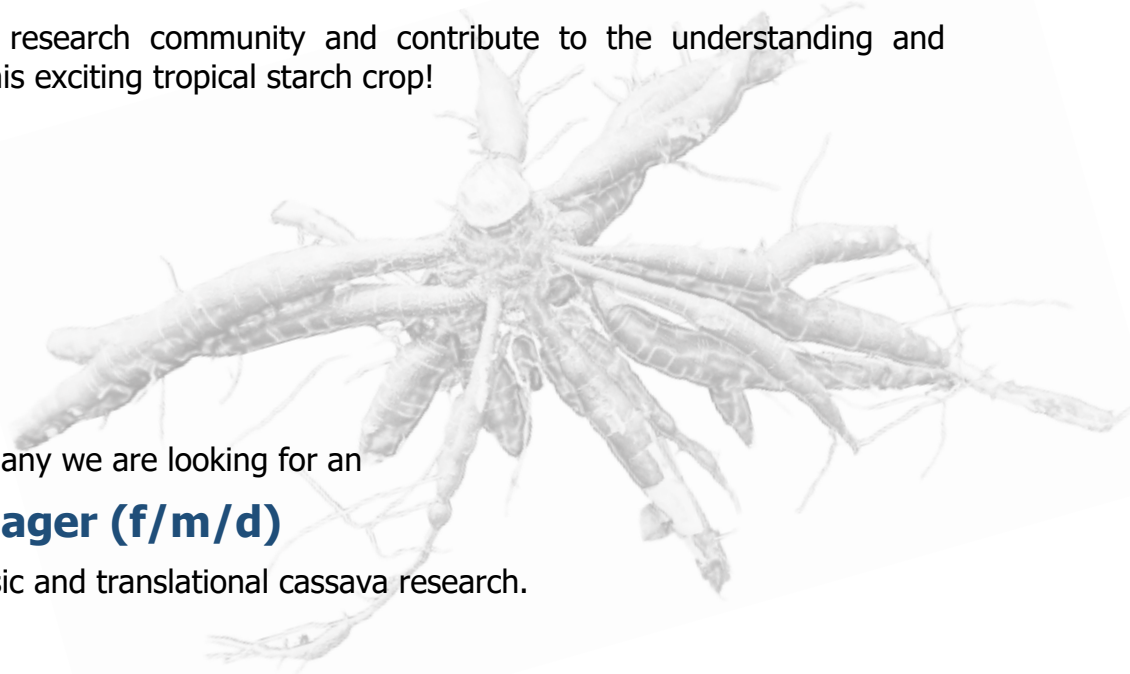


Interested in crop improvement? Want to work in an international and well-connected research environment? **Want to make a difference?**

Join the cassava research community and contribute to the understanding and improvement of this exciting tropical starch crop!



In Erlangen, Germany we are looking for an

### **Impact manager (f/m/d)**

to support our basic and translational cassava research.

An impact manager position is available in the group of Prof. Dr. Sonnewald/Dr. Zierer at the Chair of Biochemistry (<https://www.biochemie.nat.fau.de>) at Friedrich Alexander University Erlangen-Nürnberg. The position requires a PhD degree (**TV-L E13 100%**) in natural science preferentially in plant science. Career changers with a background in science communication and management are also welcome. The position is available immediately and can be termed for up to five years.

Our cassava research is embedded in the Cassava Source-Sink Project (<https://cass-research.org>). The project aims to improve cassava storage root yield by engineering structural and metabolic components of cassava growth and metabolism. To support our project process, we are looking for a person with strong interest in scientific management and technology transfer. The ideal candidate has strong communication and organization skills, expertise in scientific management, and ideally experience in securing IP.

Your key tasks:

- Interact with consortium members and monitor progress in the different areas of the program
- Support the team in protecting intellectual property in close collaboration with the funding entity
- Support the team in public communication tasks

We are looking forward to your application, including a brief letter of motivation describing your skills and interests, your CV, and your contact information. Please send your application documents to [project-cass@fau.de](mailto:project-cass@fau.de) until March 29<sup>th</sup> 2024.

