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Visiting position for international Post-doc researcher

Call for Applications

Applications are invited for the visiting position of Post-doc Researcher at the Institute of Physics of the Silesian University in Opava, Czech Republic.

The position is intended to foster the quality of research in the area of Physics carried out at the Silesian University in Opava and to enhance the international dimension of its activities by hosting an outstanding research expert from abroad. The researcher is expected to be in residence in Opava for the duration of the position* and to contribute to the research activities carried out at the university. There will be no teaching duties associated with the position, however the researcher is expected to take active role in various seminars or conferences organized and to interact with the faculty members and graduate students in his/her area. English is foreseen as the main language of communication. The researcher will have a mentor **doc. RNDr. Jan Schee, Ph.D.** from the Institute of Physics.

Conditions

Salary: the researcher will receive a monthly remuneration of 84 518 CZK including the deductions required by the pension and healthcare policy legislation. The salary is supposed to cover all expenses.

Duration: The duration of the position is 3 months. The starting date is subject to mutual agreement, but cannot be later than April 1, 2023.

Intellectual property rights: The position is offered thanks to funding from the European Union. The institutional support of the Silesian University in Opava and of the European Union must be acknowledged in all publications that result from the position. All such research outputs must be published using one of the “open access” models.

Conferences: The researcher is required to actively participate in at least one conference, workshop, seminar or similar activity organized by the Silesian University in Opava for every 6 months of the duration of the position.

Requirements

On the starting date of the position the applicant must meet the following requirements:

- hold a Ph.D. (or equivalent) conferred as on March 31, 2017 and later;

* The stay can be interrupted upon prior mutual agreement; the cumulative length of such interruptions must not exceed 6 months.



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- during the last 3 years have spent at least 2 years on at least half-time position(s) in organization(s) outside Czech Republic that perform research;
- have authored at least 2 research publications in the last 3 years.

Applications should include:

- a cover letter describing how the applicant can fulfil the objectives of the position;
- professional CV of the applicant, including a list of publications and citations of the applicant's work, grants/projects awarded (as an official grant-holder for his/her institution, not just a team member), conferences with active participation, and description of the applicant's employment during the last 3 years;
- copy of Ph.D. diploma (or its nostrification);
- proposed timetable of the applicant's stay at the Silesian University in Opava;
- unless this is already evident from other documents supplied, any additional items needed to prove that the applicant meets the Requirements stipulated above,
- a research statement describing the envisaged involvement of the applicant in research activities of the university;
- at least two recommendation letters by respected experts in the area.

Deadlines

Applications should be sent by e-mail to tereza.kapusova@physics.slu.cz no later than January 15, 2023.

Applicants will be notified about the result of the application February 8, 2023.