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The Johannes Gutenberg-University Mainz (JGU), Faculty of Biology and the Institute of Molecular Biology gGmbH (IMB), Mainz, invite applications for a

## Full Professorship (W3 BBesG) in Bioinformatics

Applicants should hold a PhD degree in natural sciences, mathematics, or informatics. They are expected to lead an internationally visible research program in the area of computational and statistical genomics, epigenetics, evolutionary biology, or proteomics, complementing existing strengths at the University and IMB. Candidates should have a strong track record in one of the above areas of computational biology and be supported by significant external funding. We seek innovative leaders with a keen interest in teaching at all levels. The position is a joint appointment between the Faculty of Biology and IMB, and further supported by the Centre for Computational Sciences Mainz. The research group will be located at IMB on the University campus. Additional collaborations are encouraged with the Institute of Computer Science and the University Medical Centre.

State law (§ 49 of the Hochschulgesetz Rheinland-Pfalz) requires applicants to have the relevant university and doctoral degrees, an outstanding research record and teaching achievements. JGU aims at increasing the number of female faculty and therefore explicitly encourages applications from female scientists. Severely disabled persons will be given first consideration, provided that required qualification criteria are met. The State of Rhineland-Palatinate and JGU put particular emphasis on intensive student support. We expect the University's faculty to reflect this in their presence at the University.

Applications including the usual documents (CV; publications; teaching; funding; research proposal) should be submitted electronically as a single PDF file to personnel@imb-mainz.de no later than 12 October 2012.

The selection symposium will take place on 13 December 2012. Informal enquiries may be addressed to Christof Niehrs, Chair of the Appointment Committee (c.niehrs@imb-mainz.de).

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