

The Bernhard Nocht Institute for Tropical Medicine (www.bnitm.de) is the largest Research Institute for Tropical Medicine in Germany and is the National Reference Centre for Tropical Pathogens, a WHO Collaborating Centre and member of the Leibniz Research Association.

From **01 January 2022 limited for three years** the **Department of Arbovirology** at the Bernhard Nocht Institute for Tropical Medicine is looking for a highly motivated

PhD student (m/f/d) **– EG 13 TV-AVH (65 %) –**

The position includes laboratory and field experiments on the ecology of mosquitoes in Germany within a project funded by the ministry of environment. The experiments will build a basis to conduct sustainable vector control measurements in the future. For further information regarding this research project please check <https://www.bnitm.de/forschung/forschungsgruppen/molekularbiologie-und-immunologie/abteilung-arbovirologie/bmbf-junior-research-group-luehken/> (Third-Party Funded Projects)

Your profile

- Very good degree in natural sciences
- Highly interested in entomological work in the laboratory and field
- Field fitness and willingness to participate in regular sample campaigns lasting several days at different locations in Germany
- Driver's license (class B) mandatory
- Practical experience with entomological, molecular biological techniques and statistical evaluation methods are an advantage
- In addition to independent and creative work, the ability to work in a team and commitment to the work group are required

Our benefits

- Interesting work as part of challenging projects in an interdisciplinary research area at an institute of the Leibniz Research Association
- Integration into an open-minded, motivated and supportive team
- A central location at the Landungsbrücken, easily accessible by public transport
- 30 days of vacation per year
- Flexible and family-friendly working hours
- Subsidy for childcare
- Subsidy for the HVV-ProfiTicket
- Company pension scheme
- Opportunities for further education and training
- Special conditions in selected sports and fitness clubs in Hamburg

We support our employees in achieving a work-life balance and promote the professional equality of women and men. We strive to assist women in their scientific career, increase the number of women in research and reduce under-representation in all areas and positions in general. Applicants with disabilities will be given preference when equally qualified.



Please send your application **by 30.11.2021** via our [jobportal](#) with the required documents (letter of motivation, detailed CV, university certificates with grades and if applicable contact details of references).

Alternatively you may apply by postal mail **referring to "Doktorand:in-Arboviro"** to: Bernhard Nocht Institute for Tropical Medicine, HR Department, Bernhard-Nocht-Str. 74, 20359 Hamburg, Germany.

If you have any questions regarding the formal application process or the selection procedure, please contact Jeannette Meurer from the HR Department (meurer@bnitm.de).

For further questions regarding the position please contact Dr. Renke Lühken (luehken@bnitm.de, Tel.: 040/42818-862).