

Vacancy for a permanent scientist in the field of Ecophysiology and Animal Physiology

Start date: 1 October 2021

Job description:

A position of first full-time assistant, in the field of Ecophysiology and Animal Physiology within the Department of Biology, Ecology and Evolution.

Activities:

Teaching

- Contribute to the supervision of practical work and to courses in animal physiology, animal ecophysiology and marine ecology, as well as to other courses, according to the needs of the Department of Biology, Ecology and Evolution.
- Participate in the supervision of field training courses offered in the Bachelor's of Biological Sciences and Master's courses in the Biology of Organisms and Ecology, and in Oceanography according to the needs of the Department of Biology, Ecology and Evolution (some of these courses must be conducted in English).

Research

Develop research in the field of Animal Physiology and more particularly Ecophysiology and the physiology of animal-microalgae endosymbiotic interactions in connection with the research areas within the Department of Biology, Ecology and Evolution.

Qualifications required / profile:

- Must hold a PhD in Science (Biology);
- Must have international research experience in the ecophysiology of animal-microalgal endosymbiosis (e.g., through a post-doctoral fellowship, scientific publications, participation in international congresses, invited lectures).

Successful applicants should have good experience in teaching and supervising students (Bachelor's and Master's) They will need to have the skills to supervise practical and tutorial work in animal physiology (cellular and organism) and animal ecophysiology. They will have experience in supervising field placements and will be willing to invest in the development of courses in the above-mentioned field of research.

The ability (certificate, experience) to scuba dive will be an additional asset.

Selection procedure:

The selection procedure will be in accordance with the regulations applied within the University of Liège.

Applications:

Applicants are requested to submit their applications electronically, to the following address: Postesscientifiques@uliege.be and doyen.sciences@uliege.be, with a copy to francoise.motte@uliege.be no later than 8 March 2021.

How to apply - required documents:

- ✓ Applications (with a cover letter) should be accompanied by a complete curriculum vitae (including the list of ORBi institutional publications if available) in line with the terms and conditions of the Faculty of Sciences (see terms and conditions on the website of the Faculty of Sciences at the address <https://www.sciences.uliege.be/emploi-sciences>
- ✓ A report on past and current research activities (5 pages maximum) and a research plan (5 pages maximum), including how it is envisaged that this will integrate within the University of Liège;
- ✓ A teaching report (5 pages maximum), including a report on any prior teaching activities and a teaching plan;
- ✓ A copy of any publications (electronic version). Documents can be provided in either English or French, although most classes must be taught in French.

Conditions of recruitment:

Positions are awarded either on a permanent basis from the outset or following a positive evaluation at the end of a term of office or a fixed-term contract of up to four years.

Our institutional policy is based on diversity and equal opportunities. We select candidates on the basis of their qualities regardless of age, sexual orientation, origin, beliefs, disability or nationality.

Conditions for permanent appointment:

Positions are awarded either on a permanent basis from the outset or following a positive evaluation at the end of a term of office or a fixed-term contract of up to four years.

If the successful candidate is well known to the Institution and has demonstrated their teaching qualities, the Committee may, if it so wishes and with the necessary explanation, judge the appropriateness of, from the outset, offering the successful applicant the confirmed post as First Assistant at Category A on a permanent basis.

Information:

Any further information can be obtained from Ms Françoise Motte - tel: +32 4 366 36 52 – francoise.motte@uliege.be

Salary:

Salary scales and how they are applied are available from the human resources department of the University: Ms Ludivine Depas – tel.: +32 4 366 52 04 – Ludivine.Depas@uliege.be