The Faculty of Psychology and Sports Science, Department of Sports Science, offers a part-time research position starting January 15th, 2020 (E13 TV-L, non-permanent position)

Your Tasks
The new research group “Motor Control and Training” in the Department of Sports Science focuses on the planning and control of human movement and its biomechanical and physiological bases. The laboratories provide motion capture, EEG, EMG, and force measurement and are embedded in the central scientific institute CITEC. A PhD project in the field of cognition and motor control (e.g. anticipative/retrospective motor planning, perception and action, interaction of working memory and action) is encouraged.

The tasks include in particular:
- independent basic research in the field of motor control: design, programming, execution, and analysis of own experiments, documentation of research through publications in international, peer-reviewed journals (70 %)
- teaching of 2.6 hours per week in the study programs of the Department of Sports Science, primarily BA “Psychology and Movement” and MA “Intelligence and Movement” (20 %)
- collaboration in academic self-administration (10 %)

Your Profile
We expect
- completed university degree (diploma/master) in a relevant subject (e.g. psychology, neuroscience, biology, sports science)
- experience in experimental research
- high scientific interest in the field of motor control
- independent, self-reliant working style
- good command of spoken and written English
- high communication and cooperation skills

Preferable qualifications
- PhD degree aspired
- good programming skills for the creation/analysis of experiments (e.g. Matlab, Presentation)
- good methodological skills (data analysis/statistics)
- ability to work in a structured and analytical manner

Remuneration
Salary will be paid according to Remuneration level 13 of the Wage Agreement for Public Service in the Federal States (TV-L). As stipulated in § 2 (1) sentences 1 of the WissZeitVG (fixed-term employment), the contract will end after three years. In accordance with the provisions of the WissZeitVG and the Agreement on Satisfactory Conditions of Employment, the length of contract may differ in individual cases. The employment is designed to encourage further academic qualification. The position is advertised as 65 % part-time job. In individual cases, this percentage may be reduced on request, as long as this does not conflict with official needs.

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Application Procedure
For full consideration, your application should be received via either post (see postal address below) or email (a single PDF) document sent to christoph.schuetz@uni-bielefeld.de by November 20th, 2019. Please mark your application with the identification code: wiss19250. Please do not use application portfolios and send only photocopies of original documents because all application materials will be destroyed at the end of the selection procedure. Further information on Bielefeld University can be found on our homepage at www.uni-bielefeld.de. Please note that the possibility of privacy breaches and unauthorized access by third parties cannot be excluded when communicating via unencrypted e-mail. Information on the processing of personal data is available https://www.uni-bielefeld.de/Universitaet/Aktuelles/Stellenausschreibungen/2019_DS-Hinweise_englisch.pdf.

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