research position
starting as soon as possible
(E13 TV-L, non-permanent position)

Your Tasks
The focus of the “Neurocognition and Action” research group of the Faculty of Psychology and Sport Science is on research and teaching in the fields of sport psychology, cognitive interaction, and the neurocognitive control of movements. The research group is well connected, networking at a national and international level and is involved in interdisciplinary cooperations. Strategic cooperations with the research group “Sport and Education” of the Faculty of Psychology and Sport Science are targeted. The focus of this group is in sports pedagogy and there, among other things, in the area of affective and cognitive functions in the context of motor learning and instruction.

Research tasks are conducted in the “Neurocognition and Action” research group in one or more of the research fields: (Neuro-) Cognition and Action, Mental Training, Manual Interaction, Memory and Assistive Technologies. In this context, collaborations on the subject of learning, instruction and other research fields of the “Sport and Education” group are targeted. Various state-of-the-art technologies are available in different laboratories (e.g. VICON motion capture, mobile and stationary eye tracking, neurofeedback and EEG).

The tasks will be the following:
- research activity in the working area and publication of research results (65 %)
- teaching in the area of the master’s program “Intelligence and Motion” in the amount of 4 LVS including support of the exam activity as well as supervision of seminar and final theses (25 %)
- service tasks, especially participation in academic self-government (10 %)

Your Profile
We expect
- completed academic university degree (at least with the grade “good”) in a relevant subject (e.g. sports science, psychology, cognitive science, biology)
- completed doctorate (at least with cum laude) in one of the above subjects
- very good knowledge of methods (statistics)
- very good spoken and written English skills
- interest in interdisciplinary cooperation (e.g. with other working groups also from the excellence cluster “Cognitive Interaction Technology” – CITEC)
- high level of commitment and independent work
- strong communication and team skills

Preferable qualifications
- experience with interdisciplinary research projects
- research and publication experience
- experience in third-party funding
- interest in participation in research and teaching, in the area of nature - motion - technology, for example, the subject of manual actions (basic motor skills) in the context of nature and the establishment of sustainable assistive technologies

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) sentence 2 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. In principle, this full-time position may be changed into a part-time position, 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 thomas.schack@uni-bielefeld.de by October 07th, 2020. Please mark your application with the identification code: wiss20216. 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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