

Founded in 1991, the University of Potsdam has firmly established itself in the scientific landscape and has become an outstanding economic factor and development engine for the region. It has a high level of third-party funding, has won several awards for teaching, and has a service-oriented administration and has received several awards for being family-friendly. Around 20,000 students and 3,000 employees work at three locations - Am Neuen Palais, Griebnitzsee and Golm - at one of the most beautifully situated academic institutions in Germany.

The Faculty of Science, Institute of Computer Science, at the University of Potsdam invites applications for the following position to be filled as soon as possible:

Professorship (W 2) for Theoretical Computer Science

We are looking for an internationally recognized individual with an excellent track record of peer-reviewed publications and success in the acquisition of external funding. Active collaboration with the various research groups of the institute, interdisciplinary collaborations, and participation in the research initiatives of the university are expected. The candidate's research profile should complement the research topics of the institute, the Joint Labs "Wireless and Embedded System Design" and "Embedded Intelligence for Bioeconomy", as well as the research areas in Data-Centric Sciences and Cognitive Sciences of the University of Potsdam.

Teaching requirements include contributions to the degree programs in Computer Science/Computational Science, Data Science, Cognitive Systems, and the teaching degree program in Computer Science as well as to the institute's service courses.

The successful candidate will be required to teach in German and English and must be willing to participate in academic self-government. Non-German-speaking appointees are expected to acquire proficiency in German sufficient to be able to interact with colleagues, students, and staff within two years.

If you have any questions, please contact Prof. Dr. Anna-Lena Lamprecht (anna-lena.lamprecht@uni-potsdam.de).

The hiring process is subject to the requirements set forth in Section 43 subsection 1 sentence 1 no. 1-3 and no. 4 letters a and c of the Brandenburg Higher Education Act (BbgHG). The appointment procedure is conducted in accordance with Section 42 BbgHG.

The University of Potsdam values diversity and thus pursues the goals of equal opportunities and diversity in accordance with the general principle of equal treatment. One of the UP's strategic goals is to significantly increase the proportion of women in research and teaching. Therefore, the UP expressly invites applications from qualified female scientists. People with a severe disability will be given preference if they are equally qualified. Periods of time taken for parental leave or caregiving are taken into account when assessing applicants' academic careers. The implementation of equality and diversity standards in the respective field of work is expected.

The University of Potsdam offers dual career support and coaching for newly appointed professors.

Please submit your application, with the relevant documentation, via email to ausschreibungen@uni-potsdam.de by August, 31, 2025. Further information is available online at https://www.uni-potsdam.de/berufungen.

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