



Invitation for application for stipends 2018

The **Peter and Traudl Engelhorn Foundation for the advancement of Life Sciences** invites high potential junior scientists to apply for postdoctoral stipends and doctorate scholarships.

Granting Institution: Peter und Traudl Engelhorn Stiftung zur Förderung der Lebenswissenschaften

Duration: two years for post-doc stipends

Number of grants: Approx. 7 per year

Areas of research: Life Sciences (biochemistry, molecular biology, biotechnology, genetics, proteomics, microbiology, bio-med-tec biophysics, cell biology, systems biology, gentech, bioinformatics a.s.m.)

Benefits: Salary comparable to local fostering practices

Prerequisites:

Qualification: Diploma or master, doctorate/PhD, MD, at high grades in Natural Sciences or Pharmacy

Age limit: Less than 34 years

Institutional partner: Applicants' research projects must be embedded in a renowned research organization in Germany, Austria, or Switzerland

Application deadline: July 15th of the preceding year

Application format: Applications should be written in German or English and sent by surface post and, in addition, electronically on CD-ROM or by email attachment at bewerbung@engelhorn-stiftung.de

Required documents:

- Letter of Motivation (max. 1 page)
- Description of proposed project (approx. 5 pages plus literature)
- Curriculum Vitae including recent photograph
- Certificates (copies of Matriculation Certificate, Diploma, Master, PhD, MD etc.)
- Letters of recommendation of at least two acknowledged peers
- Letter of acceptance of host research organization
- Acceptance of the additional guidelines of the Peter and Traudl Engelhorn Foundation

Decision-making body: The Board of Directors, eventually supported by members of the supervisory/evaluation board

Selection criteria: All decisions are subject to the decision-making body's sole discretion. Recourse to the courts is not permitted.

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