

The mission of the Leibniz Centre for Agricultural Landscape Research (ZALF) as a nationally and internationally active research institute is to deliver solutions for an ecologically, economically and socially sustainable agriculture – together with society. ZALF is a member of the Leibniz Association and is located in Müncheberg (approx. 35 minutes by regional train from Berlin-Lichtenberg). It also maintains a research station with further locations in Dedelow and Paulinenaue.

The DFG funded project "Der Einfluss von Erosion auf die Kohlenstoff-Dynamik in einem Kontinuum aus Getreidepflanze, Rhizosphären-Mikrobiom und organischer Bodensubstanz - CropRhizoSOM" is a cooperation of the research Areas 1 Microbial Biogeochemistry and Isotope Biogeochemistry and Gasfluxes Groups. It investigates the impact of soil erosion state on plant and soil on Carbon fluxes, Carbon Sequestration, and the Soil Microbiome in a ¹⁴C radiotracer lab experiment.

In order to support laboratory and greenhouse experiments within the project, we are offering a temporary position as a Student Assistant at our Institute in Müncheberg, starting 01.11.2021 until 31.04.2022 (6 month).

Student Assistant (m/f/d)

Your tasks:

- Assist the collection of gas flux, soil and plant samples of a greenhouse experiment
- Basic laboratory work and sampling
- Support of the experiment (e.g. watering plants)

Your qualifications:

- Student in agriculture, biology, environmental or geo-science or related fields
- Experience in field work and/or laboratory work related to agriculture
- Knowledge of MS Word and Excel
- Good communication skills in English

We offer:

- An interdisciplinary/international working environment
- Practical work experience in sustainable agriculture research
- Insight in scientific work at a non-university research institute

Women are particularly encouraged to apply. Applications from severely disabled persons with equal qualifications are favoured. Please send your application preferably by e-mail (one PDF file, max. 5 MB) with the usual documents, in particular CV, proof of qualification and certificates, stating the reference number **55-2021** until **September 15th, 2021** to: Bewerbungen@zalf.de.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us: Julian Ruggaber or Ayten Pehlivan

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For cost reasons, application documents or extensive publications can only be returned if an adequately stamped envelope is attached.

If you apply, we collect and process your personal data in accordance with Articles 5 and 6 of the EU GDPR only for the processing of your application and for purposes that result from possible future employment with the ZALF. Your data will be deleted after six months.

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