

Job offer ref. #11-17020

The Senckenberg Gesellschaft für Naturforschung (SGN) is a member of the Leibniz Association and is based in Frankfurt am Main, Germany. SGN conducts natural history research with almost 800 employees and research institutions in six federal states. Within SGN, the Senckenberg Biodiversity and Climate Research Centre (BiK-F) explores the interactions between biodiversity, climate, and society.

Senckenberg BiK-F invites applications for a

PhD position in Mammalian Evolutionary Genomics (50 %)

There is an exciting opportunity for a talented and motivated applicant to join the research group of Prof. Dr. Axel Janke. The applicant is expected to be closely involved in evolutionary, population- or phylogenomics to study speciation and gene flow in mammals (bears, giraffe, kangaroos or other) at the genomic level.

Your profile:

- Master degree in Biology, Genetics, Bioinformatics or a related field
- Strong interest and proven skills in evolutionary, population or phylogenetics
- Experience in analyzing genomic data of eukaryotes
- Very good written and oral communication skills in English
- Interest to be involved in an international and interdisciplinary group to expand the work to species distribution modeling, paternal inference and conservation genetics

Salary and benefits are according to a full time public service position in Germany (TV-H E 13, 50%). The contract should start on **February 1st, 2018** and will initially be limited until **January 31st, 2021**. The Senckenberg Biodiversity and Climate Research Centre supports equal opportunity of men and women and therefore strongly invites women to apply. Equally qualified handicapped applicants will be given preference. The place of employment is in Frankfurt am Main, Germany. The employer is the Senckenberg Gesellschaft für Naturforschung.

Please send your application, mentioning the reference of this job offer (**ref. #11-17020**) before **November 12th, 2017** by e-mail (attachment in a single pdf document) and including a cover letter detailing research interests and experience, a detailed CV and a copy of your Master degree to:

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