





The University of Bayreuth is a research-oriented university with internationally competitive, interdisciplinary focus areas in research and teaching. Its newly founded Faculty of Life Sciences: Food, Nutrition and Health based at the new Kulmbach Campus is currently seeking to appoint a

Full Professor of Crop Plant Genetics



at pay grade W 3 (minimum salary per month: 7,217 euros) to commence as soon as possible. This is a permanent civil service position.

We are looking for a molecular biologist with an excellent record of accomplishment in research and teaching, who is proficient in genome editing methods and who is able to conduct internationally competitive molecular biological research with the aim of contributing to more sustainable agricultural production and further improving the quality and safety of plant foods. This should be demonstrated by publications in high-ranking international journals, successful third-party funding, and a clearly recognizable academic profile.

In addition to outstanding research, the successful applicant will be expected to actively contribute to setting up the new Faculty of Life Sciences: Food, Nutrition & Health. This includes the establishment and conception of new degree programmes. Initially, teaching will mainly be carried out for the master's programmes Food Quality & Safety and Global Food, Nutrition & Health. We are looking for a university lecturer who, thanks to his/her research orientation, is able to link up with the faculty's research groups in economics, law, or the social sciences (e.g. Food Law or Public Health Nutrition). This is intended to facilitate the establishment of corresponding research networks in the medium term. The option of a secondary membership in the University of Bayreuth's Faculty of Biology, Chemistry & Earth Sciences will be offered.

The ability to teach in English is a prerequisite for employment, as substantial parts of the new faculty's curriculum will be offered in English; international applicants must, at least in the medium term, be willing and able to teach in German.

The general administrative requirements for hiring professors at universities in Bavaria apply. A complete description of the vacancy can be found at **www.uni-bayreuth.de/en**.

Please submit your cover letter and supporting documents (CV outlining education and academic career, list of publications, list of courses taught, experience obtaining external funding, as well as copies of all diplomas and certificates) to the Dean of the Faculty of Life Sciences, Prof. Dr. Stephan Clemens, using the online platform found at https://uni-bayreuth.berufungsportal.de by 18.10.2020. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact the Dean at dekanat7@uni-bayreuth.de. Application documents will be deleted following the conclusion of the appointment process in accordance with data protection law.