

We are looking to recruit the best of the best!

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The climate change compels us to radically transform our energy systems away from fossil and nuclear fuels. In doing so, renewable energy offers the only alternative. Since only a very short time span is available for this transformation, the further development of renewable energies and their integration into our supply system needs to be done rapidly.

Fraunhofer IWES is Europe's leading institute in the field of renewable energy and decentralized energy systems, which together with smart grids play a central role in future power supply structures. The pioneer work which has been carried out at the institute now needs to be stepped up and research applications put into practice. We require outstanding scientists and engineers who are as passionately committed as we are to this task. We are looking to recruit the following university graduates and specialists with work experience:

Electrical engineers, mechanical engineers, mechatronic engineers, control engineers, physical engineers, chemical engineers, electrochemical engineers, process engineers, mathematicians, computer scientists

We expect an above average level of commitment and offer the opportunity to work as part of a team of leading international scientists and industrial partners in solving one of the acutest problems faced by mankind. We also expect you to complete your doctoral thesis on a topic related to your scientific work within three or four years and to publish other high-level articles. You will receive all the support you need in doing so, including for example the costs of visiting other cooperating national and international institutes.

Salaries will be paid in accordance to the German Public Service Regulations (TVöD), depending on the candidate's qualification and professional experience.

We are planning a long-time employment, but the position is initially fixed for 2-3 years.

Please send your application by email directly to our director Professor Dr. Jürgen Schmid (juergen.schmid@iwes.fraunhofer.de) referring to 2011-IWES-KS 18. We look forward to your application.
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