WERNER BALTES-FELLOWSHIP

The German Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR) is the national institute which prepares expert reports and opinions on questions concerning the safety of food, feed and chemicals as well as consumer health protection in Germany, on the basis of recognised scientific evaluation criteria. It advises the Federal Government and other institutions and interest groups in these areas. The BfR conducts its own research on topics that are closely linked to its assessment tasks. It is a legally responsible institution within the portfolio of the Federal Ministry of Food and Agriculture (BMEL).

Within the scope of promoting scientific talent and international networking, the BfR is offering ten qualified and committed university graduates from the new member states of the EU and non-European countries the opportunity of a

Three-month stay as a guest scientist

During the stay as a guest scientist, the BfR offers you an insight into its research work and work results in the field of the safety of food, animal feed, chemicals or consumer products and substances, as desired. If interested, you can apply subsequently for a postgraduate or post-doctorate position in current BfR research projects. You can obtain a detailed overview of the structure and work areas of our institute in the internet at www.bfr.bund.de.

Prerequisites for participation

- University degree in Biology, Chemistry, Food Chemistry, Medicine, Veterinary Medicine, Toxicology, Nutritional Science, Statistics or comparable scientific discipline
- Interest in consumer health protection topics
- Responsible and committed work approach
- Fluent English or good knowledge of the German language

Your workplace will be in Berlin. At the start of your stay, the BfR will pay the costs of your flight (Economy Class) and accommodation. You will also receive an appropriate daily allowance. You must apply separately to the German Embassy or Consulate in your home country for the necessary residence permits, but we would be pleased to provide a letter of support if required.

If you are interested, please send your application online by **1 December 2018**, listing your field of interest and possible time schedule.

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If you have any questions regarding the application procedure, please feel free to contact Ms Schwadtke (Email: scientificcareer@bfr.bund.de).

Background-information WERNER BALTES-FELLOWSHIP

The food chemist Professor Dr. Werner Baltes was a national and international recognized scientist with an impressive list of various publications. Professor Baltes's career is strongly connected with the work of the BfR and its successor institutes in the field of health consumer protection. Professor Baltes was a mentor for generations of scientists.

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