

Postdoc Position, Geochemistry, Freie Universität Berlin

The Geochemistry Group at Freie Universität Berlin will have an open position for a postdoctoral research scientist as a maternity leave replacement for a minimum period of 3 ½ months (extension due to further parental leave is likely). Available facilities include a new Neoma MC ICP-MS, a thermal ionization mass spectrometer (Triton), a sector field ICP-MS (Element XR), a clean lab for the analysis of geological samples, and a range of other instruments (e.g., IR-MS MAT 253, electron microprobe, SEM). The candidate is expected to contribute to geochemistry or cosmochemistry research in our laboratories, to help in training of internal and external users and ICP-MS maintenance and troubleshooting. In case of a longer employment on this position, we also expect limited participation in teaching of geochemistry classes (up to 4 hours per week in the summer semester 2023).

A M.Sc. or comparable degree in earth sciences is required. Applicants must also have a doctoral degree in earth sciences and practical experience with ICPMS applications and related chemical sample preparation methods in geochemistry. Salary will be according to the German E13 TV-L FU pay scale and includes benefits. The position is open from March 28, 2023. We particularly encourage applications from qualified female candidates. Handicapped applicants will be given preference in case of equal qualifications.

Applications should include a CV, publication list, copies of university degrees, a statement of research interests and projects, and a description of analytical and scientific experience, with the name and contact information of a colleague, who is familiar with the candidate's accomplishments. Please send your application electronically and compiled into a single pdf file to Dr. Harry Becker (hbecker@zedat.fu-berlin.de), Institute of Geological Sciences, Freie Universität Berlin, Germany. Applications will be reviewed until the position is filled.