



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, on the basis of internationally 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 an institution with legal capacity within the portfolio of the Federal Ministry of Food and Agriculture (BMEL).

The following temporary position is to be filled with immediate effect for a period of two years in the Risk Communication department at the BfR:

Psychologist for Social Scientific Risk Research (m/f/d)

Reference number: 2262/2019 | up to salary group 14 TVöD

Part-time work is possible.

If applicants do not completely satisfy the requirements profile, it may be possible to transfer duties to salary group 13.

Salary/pay will be commensurate with duties and qualifications.

The limited employment period is based on the German Fixed-Term Research Contracts Act (Wissenschaftszeitvertragsgesetz).

Duties:

- Conception and conducting of social scientific research projects in the field of cognitive psychology
- Establishment of behavioural psychological laboratory experiments in the field of consumer health protection
- Analysis of the communication requirements of various BfR stakeholders with regard to their target group-specific information
- Preparation of theme-specific recommended courses of action for risk communication

Requirements:

- University degree (master's, diploma or comparable university degree) with doctorate in Psychology or comparable subject
- Many years of experience in the statistical evaluation of data
- Proven scientific publication activities and professional experience in the acquisition of third party funding
- Organisational and communication skills
- Confident style of expression and assured presentation of data
- Knowledge of the structures of consumer health protection

- Pronounced orientation on service
- Ability to work in a structured, purposeful and independent manner
- Openness, creativity, great willingness to perform, self-assured personal demeanour
- Very good written and spoken English
- Good computer literacy as well as a conscientious work approach, flexibility, ability to work in a team and the ability to cope with pressure are prerequisites

The place of work is Berlin.

Application process:

Does this offer appeal to you?

If so, then please submit your application via our online system by **10 June 2019**:

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If you have any questions regarding the application procedure, please contact: bewerbung@bfr.bund.de.

– Please do not send any applications to this e-mail address –

If you are unable to submit your application online, you have the option of sending it by standard mail, stating the relevant reference number:

Bundesinstitut für Risikobewertung
 Personalreferat - 11.17 -
 Max-Dohrn-Str. 8-10
 10589 Berlin

Please direct any questions on the scope of duties to:

PD Dr. Böhl **Tel.: 030 18412-22000**



The BfR welcomes applications from people of all nationalities.

As an innovative scientific institution, the BfR offers family-friendly working conditions for which it was awarded the “audit berufundfamilie®” (work and family) certificate. The BfR guarantees equal career opportunities for women and men. In the case of equal suitability, severely disabled applicants will be given preferential consideration and are only required to have a minimum level of physical suitability.

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