The Theodor Kocher Institute at the University of Bern in Switzerland invites applications for a

Research Group Leader Position “Intravital Microscopy” (OberassistentIn or DozentIn)

The research of the successful candidate should complement our current research activities in the fields of neuroimmunology, cell migration and vascular biology by employing high end microscopy techniques combined with transgenic mouse technology. We seek a highly motivated scientist with solid hands on experience in intravital microscopy of the immune system, the vascular system and/or the central nervous system.

The successful candidate will lead an independent and internationally competitive research group that attracts external funding and will contribute to our teaching activities at the undergraduate and postgraduate level.

The position is available from January 2019 or as agreed on and is initially limited for 6 years with the option for a permanent position. Technical support and start-up co-funding will be provided. The Theodor Kocher Institute (www.tki.unibe.ch) is a member of the Microscopy Imaging Center (www.mic.unibe.ch) of the University of Bern and offers an international and modern research environment with highly interactive research groups.

Applications from individuals with an appropriate university degree, a qualified PhD or MD/PhD, at least 2 years of post-doctoral research experience and an internationally visible track record are invited. Eligibility for the position of DozentIn will depend on the research experience of the applicant.

A CV, a list of publications, a description of current and projected research and 2 references should be included and sent to Prof. Dr. Britta Engelhardt, Theodor Kocher Institute, University of Bern, Freiestrasse 1, CH-3012 Bern, Switzerland (bengel@tki.unibe.ch) until August 31st, 2018.

The University of Bern is an equal opportunity employer and encourages applications from female scientists.