



UNIVERSITÄT KOBLENZ · LANDAU

The **Faculty 7: Natural and Environmental Sciences** at the University of Koblenz-Landau invites applications for a

Post-doctoral (full time, TV-L E14) position (male/female/diverse)

at the **Institute for Environmental Sciences** – in the newly to be established **Working Group of Social-ecological systems** at the **Campus Landau, Germany** depending on final project approval. The successful applicant will work in a leading role together with a new Junior-Professor in the junior research group in transdisciplinary, social-ecological research SALIDRAA 2 funded by the German Ministry of Science and Education (BMBF). This group deals with the problem of salinization of the Draa watershed in Morocco, its effects on biodiversity and ecosystem services and the potential of system transformation. The appointment is for **5 years** (beginning not earlier than April 2019, continuation beyond March 2020 subject to a milestone evaluation of the project) and salary will be according to the German public service salary scale TV-L E14.

Main tasks:

The applicant will be responsible for research activities on the human and social dimension of ecosystem services, water and land use conflicts as well as stakeholder involvement. Specifically, he or she will be in charge of networking and collaborating with actors of the civil society in Morocco. Together with the Junior Professor he or she will develop the specific research foci of the group, oversee and guide an interdisciplinary and international group of doctoral students from Germany and Morocco and initiate and guide publications in international scientific journals. Further tasks include public relations activities, presentations and teaching.

Requirements:

The successful candidate holds a PhD degree in a relevant field of social and/or political sciences (also relevant: sustainability science, human and political ecology, Humangeography). He or she must be willing to engage in interdisciplinary collaboration, have experience in leading teams as well as in planning and conducting public and stakeholder meetings. He or she must show the ability to publish in international scientific journals. Fluency in English is required, good language skills in French and/or Arabic are advantageous. The applicant must be willing to spend considerable time in Germany as well as in Morocco.

Please contact **Prof. Dr. Oliver Frör (froer@uni-landau.de)** or **Dr. Elisabeth Berger (berger@uni-landau.de)** for further information.

It is the policy of the University Koblenz-Landau to increase the percentage of female employees. If equally qualified, preference will be given to female applicants in fields where they are underrepresented. Disabled candidates are given priority, if equally qualified (please attach a proof and make it visible in your application). International candidates are highly encouraged to apply.

Applications should include a letter of motivation, a complete curriculum vitae and a letter of recommendation from a referee. Please send your application, quoting the reference number **30/2019 via email in a single pdf document** to **bewerbung@uni-koblenz-landau.de**. Applications arriving **before 25 March 2019 will be given priority**. Late applications might be considered, if the position is still vacant.

We do not send a confirmation of receipt. In accordance to the protection of data privacy all documents will be destroyed after the application procedure.

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