

# Job advertisement

Vacancy ID: 184/2021

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**FRIEDRICH-SCHILLER-  
UNIVERSITÄT  
JENA**

Friedrich Schiller University is a traditional university with a strong research profile rooted in the heart of Germany. As a university covering all disciplines, it offers a wide range of subjects. Its research is focused on the areas Light—Life—Liberty. It is closely networked with non-research institutions, research companies and renowned cultural institutions. With around 18,000 students and more than 8,600 employees, the university plays a major role in shaping Jena's character as a cosmopolitan and future-oriented city.

The *Department for the Psychology of Human Movement and Sport* within the Institute of Sport Sciences seeks to fill the position of a

## Postdoctoral Researcher (m/f/d); 1.0 FTE, for initially 3 years

commencing on 1 October 2021.

### Your responsibilities:

- Develop, coordinate, manage and conduct research projects within the field of **perception & action and anticipation in sports**
- Publication of research articles in quality international, peer-review journals
- Support with the acquisition of external funding
- Management of one of the Department's laboratories (incl. kinematic measurements, EMG, Virtual Reality, gaze tracking etc.)
- Teaching courses in the field sport & performance psychology and motor learning (4h/ week)
- Supervision of Bachelor and Master theses
- Support in administrative tasks

### Your profile

- M.Sc. degree (or equivalent) and Ph.D. degree in human movement science/ sport science or in a related field
- Publications in quality international, peer-review journals
- Experience with experimental research
- Strong interest in the topics mentioned above
- Experience in teaching and the supervision of thesis projects
- Advanced statistical analysis skills (incl. Bayes-statistics)
- Excellent programming skills (e.g. Matlab, R, Python)
- Experience with different behavioral research methods (e.g. kinematic measurements, EMG, Virtual Reality, gaze tracking etc.)
- Excellent communication skills in English (oral and written)
- Scientific enthusiasm and motivation to work within an interdisciplinary research team

### We offer:

- An exciting and varied scope of activities with creative freedom
- Excellent equipment and infrastructure
- Attractive fringe benefits, e.g. capital formation benefits (VL), Job Ticket (benefits for public transport), and an occupational pension (VBL)
- Remuneration based on the provisions of the Collective Agreement for the Public Sector of the Federal States (TV-L) up to salary scale 13 — depending on the candidate's personal qualifications—, including a special annual payment in accordance with the collective agreement.

The advertised position is (initially) limited to a maximum of 3 years with the possibility of extension. This is a full-time position (40 hours per week).



Candidates with severe disabilities will be given preference in the case of equal qualifications and suitability.

Are you eager to work for us? Then submit your detailed written application (including a cover letter describing your motivation for the position, research interests and relevant experience; a complete CV including contact details of at least two scientific references; and publication list), preferably by email (one PDF file), stating the vacancy ID **184/2021** by **05.07.2021** to:

**Prof. Dr. Rouwen Cañal-Bruland**  
**Friedrich Schiller University Jena**  
**Institute of Sport Science**  
**Department for the Psychology of Human Movement and Sport**  
**Seidelstraße 20**  
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or by email to:

[sabine.sorge@uni-jena.de](mailto:sabine.sorge@uni-jena.de)

Since all application documents will be duly destroyed after the recruitment process, we ask you to submit only copies of your documents.

For further information for applicants, please also refer to [www4.uni-jena.de/stellenmarkt\\_hinweis.html](http://www4.uni-jena.de/stellenmarkt_hinweis.html) (in German)

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