

Training Opportunity for Portuguese Graduates

Call for applications 2019

Title	Duty Station
Superresolution microscopy	EMBL Heidelberg/Germany
(Cell Biology & Biophysics Unit, Ries Group)	
Supervisor name and function	

Jonas Ries, Group Leader

Domain of activity and project

Superresolution microscopy (optical or algorithmic improvements of single-molecule localisation microscopy). The Ries group develops new optical, computational and biological technologies for super-resolution microscopy (specifically single-molecule localisation microscopy) with the aim to resolve the structure and dynamics of protein machines in cells. Depending on the background of the applicant, there are two possible projects:

a) Development of new microscopes with increased 3D resolution and multi-colour abilitiesb) Development of new algorithms to analyse super-resolution data to improve accuracy and speed of imaging.

Required education

Physics, engineering or IT

Knowledge, skills and any special requirements

Either optics / microscopy or programming / software development

Training opportunity for the Graduates

The graduate student will be trained in all aspects of super-resolution microscopy: sample preparation, acquisition and data analysis. Depending on the project, the graduate student will gain in-depth experience either in optical instrumentation development, or image formation in microscopes, machine learning and optimisation algorithms, or image analysis algorithms.

Further information (website)

https://www.embl.de/research/units/cbb/ries/index.html