



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

DOCTORAL POSITION (3-6 YEARS) AT THE CHAIR FOR “SCIENCE COMMUNICATION” (PROF. DR. MIKE S. SCHÄFER)

About the position

- 3-year doctoral position (60%, paid according to cantonal salary scheme)
- Contract can be extended by an additional 3 years
- Workplace is Zurich

What would be your main tasks?

- Conduct high-quality research on science communication
- Collaborate in team projects
- Attend conferences and publish in leading communication journals
- Pursue your PhD within the period of appointment
- Teach one class per semester relevant to your research interests in our BA/MA programs
- Some organizational or administrative tasks

What should you bring to the team?

- Master's degree in communication science or a related subject (certificate required at start of employment)
- Interest in research on science communication, preferably also on climate change communication
- Experience with computational methods of social/communication science would be welcome
- Proficiency in English and ideally also in German
- Interest in/ability to work in a team, but also to work independently on your PhD project

What can we offer you?

- Dynamic and research-oriented team
- Collegial and inspiring working atmosphere
- Excellent resources
- Track record of successful PhD supervision

How to apply

Please send the following documents as a single PDF file to Pinar Tidin-Alpan (p.tidin@ikmz.uzh.ch):

- Letter of motivation
- Your CV
- Copies of degrees and relevant transcripts
- List of scientific publications (if applicable)

Deadline for applications is **May 10, 2022**

Interviews will take place in **late May/early June 2022**

Starting date of this position is **August 15 or September 1, 2022**

For questions regarding the position, please contact Daniela Mahl (d.mahl@ikmz.uzh.ch).

The University of Zurich is the largest research university in Switzerland. IKMZ is one of the leading communication departments in Europe. The University of Zurich is interested in the equality of men and women in scientific positions and encourages applications from women.