

The University of Innsbruck is inviting applications for the following position:

**University Professor
of
BIOCHEMISTRY**

at the Department of Biochemistry, Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy.

The position is in accordance with § 98 of the Austrian Universities Act (Universitätsgesetz - UG) and will be based on a civil law employment contract with the university under the Salaried Employees Act (Angestelltengesetz). The contract will be for an unlimited period and the employment level will be 100%.

Responsibilities include

The successful candidate will represent the subject of "Biochemistry" both in excellent research and teaching. The research should focus on an innovative experimental biochemical area investigating the molecular mechanisms of cellular processes. Aligning with the university's strategic priorities, future integration into the multidisciplinary Research Area "Molecular Biosciences" (<http://www.uibk.ac.at/cmbi/>) and interdisciplinary collaboration with research groups in the Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy is expected.

The future professor will be responsible for teaching Biochemistry at BA, MA and PhD level in relevant courses at the Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy. Additionally, active participation in academic administration, self-governance, and faculty and departmental working groups will be a key responsibility.

Employment Requirements include

- a) a degree in higher education in Austria or the equivalent abroad, pertinent to the position;
- b) pertinent habilitation or comparable qualification (e.g. senior lecturer, associate professor);
- c) proven competence in experimental research in the field of biochemistry;
- d) publications in leading international peer-reviewed academic journals;
- e) evidence of involvement in international research;
- f) relevant international experience;
- g) experience in acquiring and managing competitive external research funds;
- h) proof of successful management of a research group;
- i) pronounced teaching skills and proven teaching experience;
- j) the ability to teach courses in German and English.

Your application must have arrived by

22.07.2025

at Universität Innsbruck Fakultäten Servicestelle, Standort Innrain 52f, A-6020 Innsbruck (fss-innrain52f@uibk.ac.at).

The University of Innsbruck is committed to increasing the percentage of female employees especially in leading positions and therefore explicitly invites women to apply. In the case of equivalent qualifications, women will be given preference.

In line with the Collective Bargaining Agreement professors are in remuneration group A 1, i.e., for a full-term professorship the basic salary is 6.604,30 Euro (14 times). Depending on qualification and experience a higher salary and facilities may be negotiated with the Rector. The university also offers attractive additional benefits (<http://www.uibk.ac.at/universitaet/zusatzleistungen/>).

The application must include the completed form 'Questionnaire' (obtainable by download <https://www.uibk.ac.at/files/share/1747285121/93535/>) and the usual documentation: a curriculum vitae with a description of your scholarly and professional career; a list of scientific publications, lectures, and other academic work and projects, including projects funded by competitive third parties with specification of the applicant's own contribution and role in the application process; a description of completed, current and intended research; the five most important works (full text or abstract); teaching activities (courses held to date), teaching concept (max. 3 pages). All documents have to be submitted in digital form (E-Mail with pdf attachment).

The full, authoritative text in German (published in the official bulletin of the University of 04/06/2025) and up-to-date information on the state of the opening can be found at

<https://www.uibk.ac.at/de/fakultaeten-servicestelle/standorte/innrain52f/berufungen/>

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