



The University of Kassel is a modern and growing University with round about 22.000 students. The university's wide range of expertise covers subjects in the natural, applied, cultural and social sciences.

The Department of Mathematics and Natural Sciences at the University of Kassel invites applications for at the Institute of Biology starting on October 1, 2026 a

Professorship (W3) in biochemistry (m/f/d)

Application deadline:	28.03.2025
Date of hire:	01.10.2026
Vacancy number:	38120

We are seeking an outstanding scientist with excellent qualifications in the field of biochemistry. The candidate has a strong research profile in the study of metabolic pathways, metabolomics or signal transduction with experience in experimental protein biochemistry. Research on vertebrate models is excluded.

The professorship is based at the Institute of Biology at the University of Kassel and strengthens its research and teaching profile. Collaborations within the Institute of Biology (www.uni-kassel.de/fb10/institute/biologie/startseite.html), the "Multiscale Clocks" research training group (www.uni-kassel.de/forschung/multiscale-clocks), the Centre of Interdisciplinary Nanostructure Research and Technology (CINSaT) (www.uni-kassel.de/cinsat/) or the Kassel Institute for Sustainability (<https://www.uni-kassel.de/uni/nachhaltigkeit/nachhaltigkeitsforschung/kassel-institute-for-sustainability>) are desired.

The successful candidate will have a proven track record in the following areas: (1) publications in renowned scientific journals, (2) acquisition of third-party funding, (3) ability to lead a research group.

The successful candidate will cover the entire range of theoretical and practical basics of biochemistry in teaching, for bachelor's and teacher training students, as well as in-depth elective modules for master's students in the fields of biology and nanostructure science. The language of instruction for bachelor's and teacher training programs is German. The willingness to learn German in a reasonable period of time is required.

Teaching experience and the ability to teach biochemistry to bachelor and master students are expected.

The Institute of Biology at the University of Kassel is seeking to increase the proportion of female scientists and encourages applications from qualified women. Female applicants with the same qualifications and performance as male applicants will be given preferential consideration.

We welcome applications regardless of the candidate's ethnic and social background, age, religion, gender, disability, sexual orientation and identity or other personal background.

For this professorship, participation in academic self-administration is part of the official duties. The requirements for employment and performance requirements according to §§ 67, 68 of the Hessian Higher Education Act (HessHG) apply. Candidates have a qualified subject-related doctorate and additional scientific achievements (habilitation or equivalent achievements).

Applications should include the following documents: (1) a cover letter with private and academic postal and e-mail addresses and telephone number; (2) curriculum vitae with certificates of academic degrees, list of publications, three selected publications, list of previous and current third-party funding and information on teaching activities, and (3) a presentation of current and future research interests (max. 2 pages). The

application documents are to be submitted as a single pdf document.

In the event of any differences between the German and English versions of this call for application, the German wording is legally binding.

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Please send your application with the usual informative documents, stating the reference number the subject line, via the online form. We have compiled further information for you in our [FAQ](#). The protection of your personal information is very important to us, so we will handle your personal information with care. By your application, you allow us the storage and use in the sense of the Hessian Data Protection and Freedom of Information Act. You can object to this at any time. Your personal data will be deleted.

Information according to Art. 13 DSGVO for the application process at the University of Kassel can be found at:

<https://www.uni-kassel.de/uni/datenschutz/>

Information and FAQ about applying for a job offer:

<https://www.uni-kassel.de/uni/universitaet/stellenangebote/hinweise-und-faq-zur-bewerbung-auf-ein-stellenangebot>

The University of Kassel is very interested in the professional satisfaction of its employees. It is distinguished as a family-friendly university and, in the interests of equal opportunities, strives to offer everyone the same opportunities for development and to counteract existing disadvantages. It promotes the Family Welcome Service and also the Dual Career Service for positions that are scientifically and academically filled. One of the strategic goals of the University of Kassel is to significantly increase the proportion of women in research and teaching. Applications from women are therefore particularly welcome. Seriously handicapped and equivalent applicants are given preference if they have the same suitability, qualifications and professional performance.