



The following position is available immediately in the Pesticide Safety Division of the Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR), subject to the allocation of funds:

Scientific Researcher as part of the "PARC" project (f/m/d)

Reference number 3670	Pay grade 13 TVöD	Place of work Berlin	Limited for four years	Application deadline 13.03.2025	Apply here BfR job portal
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Im Geschäftsbereich



Tasks

As part of the "Partnership for the Assessment of Risks from Chemicals" (PARC), the BfR is coordinating the "Hazard Assessment" work package together with the French partner authority ANSES. The aim is to close significant data gaps in the health risk assessment of chemicals, to develop New Approach Methods (NAM) and to contribute to the implementation of an Adverse Outcome Pathway (AOP)-based Next Generation Risk Assessment (NGRA). With over 200 partners from all over Europe and a budget of €400 million, PARC is one of the largest projects of its kind in the world.

- Scientific planning, monitoring and evaluation of studies in vitro and in vivo
- Collaboration in the prevalidation of methods; experimental design, substance selection
- Development and testing of concepts for a NAM-based toxicological risk assessment
- Scientific collaboration in the development of in vitro tests for the regulatory evaluation of chemical substances
- Preparation of scientific publications and presentation of results at conferences and in expert committees
- Support with data analysis and data management

Your profile

- Completed university degree (Master's, diploma or comparable) in biology, biochemistry, bioinformatics, chemistry, food chemistry, toxicology, pharmacy, (veterinary) medicine or a comparable specialisation
- Expertise in toxicology (e.g. through DGPT training courses or relevant study or work experience)
- Conscientious and independent way of working; very good IT skills and willingness to travel on business
- Very good knowledge of written and spoken German and English
- Very good computer skills; a conscientious and independent way of working; flexibility, ability to work in a team and under pressure

Desired

- Promotion
- International experience and experience in the coordination of research projects on an international level
- Practical experience in working with NAM and experience with NGRA
- Experience in the field of prevalidation
- Good knowledge of written and spoken French

Our offer

- As a family-friendly institute, we offer various part-time working models
- Flexible working hours without core working hours
- 30 days holiday (5-day week) and days off on 24.12. and 31.12.
- Possibility of claiming additional compensatory days for time credits
- Attractive subsidy for the Deutschlandticket job/company ticket
- Possibility of hybrid working (up to 60% mobile)
- Very good connection to the public transport network
- Extensive training opportunities for professional and personal development
- VBL company pension / capital-forming benefits
- AWO Family Service

Application procedure

Do you feel addressed?

Then please apply by
13.03.2025 via our **online system**.

Please direct any questions in connection with the application procedure to:
bewerbung@bfr.bund.de.

(Please do not send applications to this e-mail address)

If you are unable to apply online, please send us your application by post:

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