

The Department of Landscape, Spatial and Infrastructure Sciences, Institute of Landscape Development, Recreation and Conservation Planning wishes to fill a **career position in compliance with § 99 (5) UG (tenure-track) in the field of**

## **Sustainable Landscape Development**

Working time: 40 hours a week

Term of the employment relationship: 1<sup>st</sup> of November 2022, limited to a period of 6 years

Allocation in compliance with the Collective Agreement for University Staff to job group: B1 lit. b  
Gross monthly salary (depending on previous eligible experience) at least: € 4,061.50 (14x a year, in addition we also offer an attractive career development programme and an extensive range of social benefits)

### **Target group**

§99 (5) positions offer academics with high potential and the relevant achievements the opportunity of an academic carrier ranging from a postdoc position to that of assistant professor and on to associated professor. The position of associated professor can be achieved at the latest six years after the appointment. §99 (5) positions are aimed at academics with a doctorate/PhD degree, with high potential, who are close to or have already successfully completed a habilitation. Experience at other universities or research institutes abroad is expressly welcome.

### **Tasks and focus areas**

- Research in the field of Sustainable Landscape Development with a focus on research and teaching in the field of change and sustainable transformation of landscapes
- Research on complex relationships of different land use demands on the landscape and development of planning methodological solutions for land use conflicts
- Development of methods for the integrative analysis of landscape-related sustainability processes
- Research and teaching about the theory and practice of sustainability transformation, knowledge integration and transdisciplinary
- Development, application and evaluation of participatory methods at the science-society-policy interface
- Implementation of ecosystem- and landscape service approaches into adaptive management
- Teaching and supervision or co-supervision of final papers within the scope of legal possibilities
- Transfer of knowledge and the promotion of junior researchers in line with the social responsibility of the University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences
- Assumption of administrative tasks within the framework of university self-administration
- Acquisition and management of competitively funded national and international research projects

### **Requirement profile**

- Degree in landscape planning and landscape architecture, landscape ecology and landscape management or related disciplines with specialization in landscape ecology and planning sciences
- Completed doctorate in a relevant field
- In-depth knowledge in sustainability science, inter- and transdisciplinary, knowledge integration as well as landscape ecology

- Sound professional experience in the scientific field as a postdoc
- Excellent publication achievements as well as international orientation and recognition
- Willingness and ability to lead your own research team incl. the necessary funding this requires (third-party funding)
- Enthusiasm for outstanding teaching
- Excellent written and spoken German and English or willingness to learn German in the first two years

#### Other desired qualifications

- Experience abroad as well as in teaching and leadership at universities and research institutions
- Knowledge in GIS/spatial statistics
- Experience in the communication of sustainability topics
- Experience with stakeholder involvement and inclusion, i.e. authorities and representatives of different landscape usages
- Practical experience (e.g. internships or employment in the field of landscape development)
- Knowledge in modeling, simulation and visualization of sustainable landscape development

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Closing date for applications: 21<sup>st</sup> of June 2022

University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences Vienna seeks to increase the number of its female faculty and staff members. Therefore qualified women are strongly encouraged to apply. In case of equal qualification, female candidates will be given preference unless reasons specific to an individual male candidate tilt the balance in his favour.

People with disabilities and appropriate qualifications are specifically encouraged to apply.

Please submit your application in English incl.

- Curriculum vitae with detailed presentation of professional, teaching and research activities incl. ORCID
- List of all publications (refereed & non-refereed), lectures and projects
- Electronic transmission of the PDF files of five own publications which you consider to be particularly important
- Rough concept for future plans in research and teaching including your contribution to the scientific profile of the Department
- Teaching portfolio including evaluation results
- Brief explanation why you think you should be particularly suitable for this position (max. 1 page)

and indicating the reference code 100 to [kerstin.buchmueller@boku.ac.at](mailto:kerstin.buchmueller@boku.ac.at) until 21<sup>st</sup> of June 2022.

Applicants are not entitled to reimbursement of travel and accommodation costs incurred as a result of the selection procedure.

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