

Job ID: IGF054DOC222

The Institute for Interdisciplinary Mountain Research ([IGF](#)) of the Austrian Academy of Sciences ([OeAW](#)), the largest non-university institution for basic research in Austria, is seeking to fill a

PHD STUDENT POSITION (F*M)

(part-time, 30h per week)

in the Euregio project "RockME Response of rock glaciers to global warming". The successful candidate will contribute to the project by geohydrological modelling and field surveys of rock glaciers in Austria and Italy.

Your profile:

- Master's degree in the field of geology/geoscience
 - Particular experience in permafrost and rock glacier research in the Alps, preferably in the test sites Lazaun and Futschöl
 - Excellent knowledge of German and Italian
 - Very good command of English (written and spoken)
 - Demonstrated familiarity with field surveys in high mountain and permafrost areas
- Candidates for the position are expected to:
- Enroll in the doctoral curriculum of geoscience at the University of Graz
 - Present research results at workshops and international conferences, and to publish

We offer:

- A part time position for a period of three years (starting July 1, 2022 or soon after this date)
- An annual gross salary of € 32.297,58 according to the collective agreement of the Austrian Academy of Sciences (social and health insurance included)

The successful applicant is expected to take up residence in Innsbruck, a city consistently rated as having a particularly high quality of life.

Questions regarding the position can be addressed to Andrea Fischer (andrea.fischer@oeaw.ac.at).

Please send your application materials as a single PDF document to the project manager of the Austrian part, Andrea Fischer, (andrea.fischer@oeaw.ac.at), indicating the Job ID IGF054DOC222 in the heading.

Applications should include a cover letter explaining your research interests and motivation for applying, a full CV, references to past permafrost and field work experience particularly at the field sites Futschöl and Lazaun, and contact details of one referee, a copy of degrees and a list of publications (if applicable). The call is open until the position is filled. Applications will be considered until **May 31, 2022**.

The Austrian Academy of Sciences (OeAW) pursues a non-discriminatory employment policy and values equal opportunities, as well as diversity. Individuals from underrepresented groups are particularly encouraged to apply.