

The Medical Faculty of the Otto-von-Guericke-University Magdeburg, Germany, invites applications for a full-time, position as a

**W3-Professor in Epidemiology and Health System Research**  
(Successor for Prof. Dr. med. Bernt-Peter Robra, M.P.H.)

starting April 1st, 2018.

The candidate will hold the position of Director of the Institute for Epidemiology and Health System Research at the Faculty of Medicine. The institute is responsible for interdisciplinary research and teaching. Teaching requirements will include lectures and courses for medical students in the first and second study sections (occupational fields, medical sociology, social medicine, health promotion/prevention) as well as interdisciplinary elective courses. We are looking for an outstanding scientist who represents the entire field of epidemiology in research and teaching.

The ideal candidate has the capacity to lead and further develop collaborative research efforts with a focus on "autonomy in old age". Close cooperation with other faculties of the university in the field of epidemiology, the planned Comprehensive Cancer Center and the German Center for Neurodegenerative Diseases (DZNE) is expected, particularly in the context of patient- and population-related studies. Epidemiological research should focus on chronic diseases, their determinants and consequences. In health system research, the focus will be on the evaluation of new forms of care and structures and the scientific use of secondary data.

The Faculty of Medicine is seeking to recruit an outstanding personality. Requirements for application are a completed university degree, habilitation or equivalent scientific qualifications in conjunction internationally recognized accomplishments in research and teaching. Competencies are expected in planning, implementation and evaluation of population-related studies. The appointed candidate must have a record of extramurally funded research.

The position is initially limited to 5 years, with a permanent position possible after positive evaluation (in the fourth year of employment).

The Otto-von-Guericke-University is an equal opportunity employer. The University is committed to increasing the number of female faculty members and strongly encourages applications from female candidates. Disabled candidates with essentially equal qualifications and professional achievements will be given preference.

Applications should include a cover letter, a curriculum vitae, documentation of the scientific career, a structured list of publications, documentation of teaching experience, certified copies of essential certificates and documents, selected reprints of original publications, record of funding support and the application form (<http://www.med.uni-magdeburg.de/Berufungsverfahren.html>). All requested materials must be submitted within 6 weeks after publication of this advertisement to

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