



University of Bergen

Institutt for informatikk

The University of Bergen (UiB) is an internationally recognised research university with more than 14,000 students and close to 3,500 employees at six faculties. The university is located in the heart of Bergen. Our main contribution to society is excellent basic research and education across a wide range of disciplines.

3 Research Fellows (PhD candidates) in Informatics / Computer Science

The Department of Informatics is now recruiting up to three research fellows in informatics/computer science. The Department is ranked first in Norway with respect to the quality of its research, by the Research Council of Norway.

The fellowship positions are for a fixed term of four years, of which 25% will comprise mandatory work such as teaching and/or administrative tasks.

The fellowship period may be reduced if you have been previously employed as a research fellow / research assistant or the like.

Qualifications and personal qualities

- You must hold a Master's degree within the field of informatics or mathematics (or achieved equivalent qualifications). Candidates without a Master's degree have until 15 September, 2015 to complete the final exam.
- You must have qualifications to complete a PhD programme within a field of research that is compatible with one of the six research groups of the department. These are: Algorithms, Bioinformatics, Optimization, Programming theory, Computer security and Visualization. See the Department web page <http://www.iu.uib.no> for further details.
- You must be able to work independently and in a structured manner and to demonstrate good collaborative skills.
- You must be proficient in both written and oral English.
- The positions will be filled before the end of 2015.

The research training programme

As a research fellow you must take part in an approved study programme leading to a PhD degree to be completed within a time period of 4 years (equivalent to 3 years of full time work). It is therefore a requirement that you meet the criteria for admission to the PhD study programme at the University of Bergen.

A final plan for completion of the research programme must be approved by the faculty within three months after you have begun working in the position.

We can offer

- a good and professionally challenging working environment
- starting salary at pay grade 50 (code 1017) Further increases will be made according to length of service in the position
- enrolment in the Norwegian Public Service Pension Fund
- an inclusive workplace (IW)
- good welfare benefits

The application must include

- a brief account of your research interests and motivation for applying for this job
- the names and contact details of at least two referees (one of these may be the main supervisor for your master's thesis or equivalent thesis)
- transcripts and diplomas that are complete on the day of application.
- if you have not yet completed your Master's degree, please also submit a statement from your institution confirming the expected date of the award of your Master's degree. The Master's transcripts and diploma must be submitted by 15 September 2015 at the latest
- CV (in addition to completing the "Academic CV" on Jobbnorge)
- relevant certificates/written references
- a list of any works of a scientific nature (publication list)
- publications (if any)

If your diploma, grade transcripts and other documentation are in a language other than a Scandinavian language or English, you must upload certified translations of these.

General information

For further information about these positions please contact Professor Petter E. Bjørstad, Head of Department, e-mail: petter@ii.uib.no.

The teaching language will normally be Norwegian, but may also be English.

The state labour force shall reflect the diversity of the Norwegian society to the greatest extent possible. Age and gender balance among employees is therefore a goal. It is also a goal to recruit persons of various immigrant backgrounds. We encourage persons with an immigrant background and persons with disabilities to apply for the position. We also encourage women to apply. If multiple applicants have approximately equivalent qualifications, the rules pertaining to moderate gender quotas shall apply.

The University of Bergen adheres to the principle of public access to information when recruiting academic staff.

Information about applicants may be made public even if the applicant has requested to remain anonymous. The applicant will be notified if the request must be refused.

Closing date for applications: 01. juni 2015

Jobbnorge ID: 113292, Deadline: 6/1/2015