



## UPCOMING JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN VISUALIZATION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF BERGEN

The visualization research group at the Department of Informatics of the University of Bergen, Norway, is seeking motivated and capable new PhD students in visualization. Please refer to the job section on our homepage for current announcements: <http://www.i.uib.no/vis/about/jobs.html>

### THE UNIVERSITY OF BERGEN

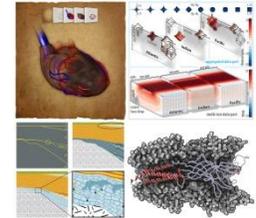
The University of Bergen, Norway (UiB) has approximately 14,500 enrolled students and 3,200 faculty and staff. Six faculties cover most of the traditional university disciplines. Within the faculties there are 40 different specialized departments, multi-disciplinary research centers, and institutes. The University is engaged in the European Union's Framework programs for research and technological development and has been designated as a European Research Infrastructure and a Research Training Site in several scientific fields. Since 1997 more than 500 European researchers (professors, senior researchers, post docs and PhD candidates) have visited Bergen on EU grants, making UiB one of the most international universities, setting out to attract both established and junior scientists to contribute to research teams and work in multidisciplinary research groups.



**Further information:** <http://www.uib.no/en>

### THE VISUALIZATION GROUP

The Department of Informatics at UiB is a dynamic international environment. The visualization research group was established in 2006 and focuses on new solutions for the effective and efficient visualization of large and complex data from measurements (e.g., from medical imaging or from seismic/sonar sensors), computational simulation (e.g., from computational fluid dynamics), or from analytic modeling (e.g., in the form of differential equations) for the purpose of data exploration, analysis, and presentation. Despite being a relatively young group, the recent ten-year evaluation of all 62 informatics research groups in Norway conducted by an international evaluation panel on behalf of Norway's Research Council, found that the group's "(...) accomplishments made so far are excellent." and concluded with an overall assessment of "very good to excellent".



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### THE CITY OF BERGEN

Bergen is Norway's second largest city with over 260,000 inhabitants and is located in the county of Hordaland on the south-western coast of Norway. Known as the "gateway to the fjords", Bergen is surrounded by spectacular scenery. As one of the offices of the Hanseatic League, Bergen was for several hundred years the center of prosperous trade between Norway and the rest of Europe. Today, Bergen is a lively and vibrant city with an international flair. Every semester the city with its university and colleges are proud and enthusiastic to welcome students from all over the world. Bergen is one of the most popular student cities in Scandinavia with 30,000 students in many different educational institutions. Its international atmosphere, together with the fact that Norway has been voted #1 in standard of living by the UNDP's Human Development Index for several years, make Bergen a very attractive place for life and study.



**Further information:** <http://www.visitbergen.com/en>