The Center for Adaptive Rationality directed by Ralph Hertwig at the Max Planck Institute for Human Development is seeking applicants for a position as

**Student Research Assistant**

to assist the ongoing research in all phases of the scientific process. Research assistants are usually employed on a basis of 60-80h a month. The position lasts for 6 month or longer. The anticipated start date is October 2019.

**Requirements**

- Enrollment in Psychology or a related subject at a German university
- High interest in participating in research on cognitive science and decision making
- Eagerness to design, program, and analyze experiments
- Good proficiency in English and German

**Desired qualifications (not all are necessary to apply)**

- Experience with conducting scientific literature searches
- Interest in assisting with meta-analytic studies or qualitative data analysis of group studies
- Skills in statistics and statistical software packages (R, Matlab)
- Skills in programming experiments (in software such as PsychoPy, E-Prime etc.)

**What we offer**

The Center for Adaptive Rationality is investigating various aspects of judgment and decision-making. We offer you the chance to participate in an international and interdisciplinary research team. Research assistants will be involved in research using behavioral, computational and/or neuroscience methods to study the cognitive, affective, social and/or developmental basis for decision making. The Max Planck Society seeks gender equality and diversity and encourages students from all backgrounds to apply. The Max Planck Society is committed to employing more individuals with disabilities and especially encourages them to apply. Salary: 11,15 €/hour (Bachelor Students). 12,97 €/hour (Master Students).

**How to apply**

Please send your application without a photo, as one single PDF-document to eschulze@mpib-berlin.mpg.de, using the subject line “Application Student RA 1907”. The application should include (a) a short motivation letter, (b) CV, and (c) relevant school/university certificates and references. The **deadline for submitting applications is August 11th, 2019**.

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