

For a research project on the role of **learning and memory processes in judgment and decision making**, the Department of Cognition and Individual Differences at the University of Mannheim, Germany, invites applications for a

**Doctoral student (m/f/d)
(E-13 TV-L/ 65%)**

The position is available from June 2020 onwards, but a later start is possible. The position is part of a collaborative research project with the Center for Adaptive Rationality at the Max Planck Institute for Human Development, Berlin, and is funded by the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG).

Candidates for the position should be interested in using experimental methods and cognitive modeling to study the mechanisms underlying memory and judgment. Candidates must hold (or anticipate receiving very soon) a Master's degree, diploma, or equivalent in psychology, cognitive (neuro-)science, or a related field, and demonstrate expertise in decision making and memory. There are no teaching obligations associated with the position.

The doctoral student is encouraged to apply for the Psychology Program at the Graduate School of Economic and Social Sciences (GESS) to prepare and finalize a dissertation in addition to the project work. The duration of the position is 2.5 years. If the GESS application is successful, a fellowship from the GESS for an additional year of funding will be granted (i.e., 3.5 years of funding in total). For further inquiries about the position, please contact Julia Groß (julia.gross@psychologie.uni-mannheim.de) and/or Thorsten Pachur (pachur@mpib-berlin.mpg.de).

Applications may be submitted in English or German. Please include a letter of motivation, a CV, copies of certificates and transcripts of grades, and an electronic copy of your thesis (or a draft thereof), with the materials merged into a single PDF file. In addition, please have two letters of recommendation sent separately. All materials should be sent to:



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Applications for the position must be submitted by April 18th, 2020 to ensure consideration. However, review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

The University of Mannheim seeks to increase the number of female scientists. Thus, qualified women are especially encouraged to apply. Disabled candidates will be given preference over other, equally qualified applicants.

Information regarding Article 13 of the EU Regulation 2016/79 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data (GDPR, German: DS-GVO) is available on the university homepage, section "Job advertisements". Please note that when applying by e-mail, risks to confidentiality and unauthorized access by third parties cannot be excluded when communicating by unencrypted e-mail.