



PaleoSynthesis: Strengthening Paleontology – The German seed for global cooperation

Call for our next PostDoc



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We offer a **2 year postdoc** position in Paleontology at the Friedrich-Alexander University, [GeoZentrum Nordbayern](#). The opening is in the framework of the [PaleoSynthesis](#) project funded by the Volkswagen Foundation.

Your tasks

The successful candidate will provide scientific support for international workshops on paleontological themes. Workshops will be held twice a year and the topics will be defined based on a [competitive call](#). You will ensure that publications emerge from these workshops and coordinate collaborative grant applications.

This time we offer a new opportunity: Workshop proponents can apply for a postdoc position. PaleoSynthesis finances the postdoc for two years (you will work at FAU) – after the workshop you are then responsible for at least one further workshop including scientific organization and publication(s) ([more on our workshops](#)).

Your qualifications

A PhD in Paleontology or a closely related subject is required. You have a strong and diverse background in paleontology and demonstrated the ability to write high-quality publications. You have skills in quantitative methods and experience in managing people. Your English has a high standard, and you work efficiently and independently. Success in grant applications would be an additional merit.

Duration

The position is for 2 years in the first instance. The preferred starting date is September 1, 2022. The employment will be as Research Associate (full time, wage agreement [E 13 TV-L](#), Bavaria).

Further information and application

For more information and to submit your application: pal-synthesis@fau.de (Barbara Seuss); your application including a cover letter and your CV should be submitted as a **single pdf file**.

Closing date: April 29, 2022

Erlangen, February 11, 2022