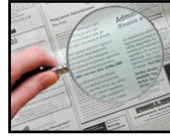


## Vacancies



The Department of Ophthalmology at Mainz University offers

### Research position in ophthalmic epidemiology and research management

A research position for ophthalmic epidemiology and research management.

This position is supported by the Deutsche Ophthalmologische Gesellschaft (DOG, German Ophthalmological Society). The DOG was founded in 1857. Thus, it is the oldest specialized medical society worldwide. The DOG sees its mission in the promotion of ophthalmology and ophthalmological research and vision sciences. We think that the society needs to promote research. The researcher that we are looking for will support the DOG in establishing its research strategy. The tasks will be to define conditions that cause visual disability and blindness, to describe the future development of the burden for the society and to develop a research strategy that is advocated by the DOG. This work will require extensive research in epidemiology of ophthalmic diseases, establishing prognoses for their development and costs involved as well as interaction with the leading ophthalmic researchers in Germany and Europe.

Applicants will usually have a qualification as a PhD or MD in either medicine or another area of the life sciences. Previous experiences in ophthalmology is, of course, very helpful. You are willing to research these aspects of ophthalmology and you do have previous experience in writing manuscripts for publications. You will also be required to present your results at public meetings.

The University Eye Hospital in Mainz, Germany, is looking for an

### Ophthalmologist

To fill in the position of a research fellow in a research project.

In a large-scale epidemiological research project, the University eye hospital Mainz is about to examine 17.000 selected inhabitants of the Mainz and Mainz-Bin-

gen areas. We aim at establishing incidence and prevalence of eye diseases and try to research possible risk factors. Extensive cardio-vascular examinations will be part of the procedure. The project (Gutenberg Heart Study) is funded by state and federal governments as well as by different foundations.

We expect from applicants for this position the ability to work precisely and independently. The registered ophthalmologist is of advantage, however, applicants being in an advanced stage of their training will be considered, too. We offer excellent opportunities to do scientific work in a great team.

The position could be arranged to be part-time, if so desired. Furthermore, we offer the possibility, not the obligation, to participate in emergency room-duties at our hospital.

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