

Discussion group:
Places of Postdoctoral Career -The German Research System (EN)

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Research takes place in many different ways at different locations in Germany. In addition to the universities, the German science system has a large number of institutions and organizations where research and development take place. This offers young researchers a wide range of different working locations and qualification paths. The lecture will present an overview of the research landscape in Germany and the characteristics and functions of the various types of institutions. In addition, the speakers will present various career options and programs at the institutions and will give valuable insight into the requirements and expectations that young researchers will meet along their academic career.

This discussion group will be led by **Dr. Julia Nase** from the Appointment Management Unit and **Dr. Felix Stehle** from Research Support Services.

Dr. Julia Nase studied physics in Saarbrücken and completed her doctorate in France in 2009. From Paris, she moved to TU Dortmund University, where she gained various perspectives on science and research in the Faculty of Physics as a coordinator of bachelor's programme, post-doc and working group leader. Recently, Ms. Nase went into science management and is now getting to know the science system from a wider perspective in the TU's appointment management.

Dr. Felix Stehle has been working as a funding consultant at the Research Support Services since May 2020. He supports and advises researchers in all aspects of application. This includes, among other things, the search for suitable funding agencies, the proofreading of application texts as well as arranging contacts to other departments or units.

Felix Stehle studied biochemistry at the Martin-Luther-University in Halle/Saale. After completing his doctorate at the Leibniz Institute of Plant Biochemistry, he transferred to TU Dortmund University at the end of 2012. From 2014, he was head of a research group at the Department of Biochemical and Chemical Engineering and gained valuable experience in research and project management.

10:00 – 11:15 a.m.