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**The Polymer Chemistry and Materials Group of the Adolphe Merkle Institute (AMI) at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland invites applications for the position of**

## **Ph.D. Candidate in the field of Nanocomposites**

Qualified applicants must have a Masters Degree (or equivalent) in Engineering, Polymer or Materials Science and wish to pursue independent research involving polymers, melt mixing and nanocomposites.

Two positions are available, with the successful candidates expected to participate in cutting-edge research focused on mixing of nanofillers with polymer matrixes. Close collaboration with the other members of the Institute and the Faculty of Science is expected. AMI offers highly competitive working conditions, an outstanding infrastructure and a generous salary.

The Adolphe Merkle Institute at the University of Fribourg is a recently established center of competence, focused on research in the field of soft nanomaterials science and technology. With the objective to stimulate innovation, AMI aims to combine fundamental and application-oriented research within an interdisciplinary setting.

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