



CEPLAS

Cluster of Excellence on Plant Sciences

SMART Plants for Tomorrow's Needs

The Cluster of Excellence on Plant Sciences is a joint unit of Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf, University of Cologne, Max Planck Institute for Plant Breeding Research Cologne and Forschungszentrum Jülich. CEPLAS is developing innovative science-based strategies for sustainable plant production. Our aim is to understand the mechanisms underpinning complex plant traits of agronomic relevance that impact on yield and adaptation to limited resources.

Student assistant (SHK/WHB)

Recruitment is open for a student helper position at the Institute of Molecular Ecophysiology of Plants, HHU (Head: Prof. Jürgen Zeier; Project supervisor: Dr. Yanrong You). The position is on an 8 hours/week basis.

The successful candidate will be involved in the following tasks :

- general plant care (planting, watering, seed harvesting)
- cultivating fungi
- preparing solutions

Qualification profile:

- BSc (or equivalent) in biology, agricultural sciences, biotechnology, molecular and cell biology, or related fields;
- Good communication and organizational skills;
- Fluent in English;
- Knowledge of plant biology is an advantage but not mandatory.

We offer:

- a highly dynamic and international environment within a top-level research lab
- flexible part-time position (8 h/week) for 6 months

This position is available from May 2023.

Applicants matching the qualification profile please send their application letter, including a short CV, to yanrong.you@hhu.de with the reference "student assistant".

Detailed information on the scientific interests of the institute is found at <https://www.molekulare-oekeophysiologie-der-pflanzen.hhu.de/en/>