

# ADDITIONAL CALL – OPEN UNTIL – 5 JANUARY 2017





The internationally renowned Technische Universität Berlin is located in Germany's capital city at the heart of Europe. With its seven faculties, 320 professors and more than 30,000 students, it is one of the largest technical universities in Germany. It strives to promote the dissemination of knowledge and to facilitate technological progress through adherence to the core principles of excellence and quality. The TU Berlin has extensive regional, national and international networks with partners in science and industry.

# POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME FOR INTERNATIONAL FEMALE RESEARCHERS

Between 2013 and 2018 the International Post-Doc Initiative (IPODI) of the Technische Universität Berlin awards 26 two-year fellowships to outstanding international researchers. The programme addresses excellent female researchers regardless of their nationality or age and is open to applications from all fields of research represented at the TU Berlin. Researchers returning from periods of international mobility (researching outside Germany), intersectoral mobility (working in the private sector) or non-academic mobility (e.g. after parental leave) are especially encouraged to apply.

The fellowships are announced in internationally open calls for application and awarded through a merit-based international selection process. The next call for applications is open between 5th October 2016 and 5th January 2017.

IPODI is co-funded by the European Union.



For current call for applications and application details visit: <u>www.ipodi.tu-berlin.de</u>

## Who Can Apply?

- Applicants must have at least two and not more than ten years of research experience after obtaining their doctoral degree.
- Applicants must not have resided in Germany for more than twelve months in the three years prior to the application deadline.
- The research proposal has to fit into one of the fields of research represented in the seven faculties of the TU Berlin.
- The research proposal has to be supported by a cooperating professor of the TU Berlin.

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## **IPODI Fellows**

- ... will receive a two-year employment contract with salaries comparable to those of the Marie Curie Programme for experienced researchers.
- ... will receive a monthly contribution to research costs, a yearly travel allowance and family benefits.
- ... will find excellent research conditions and will be supported by an experienced mentor of the TU Berlin.
- ... will have the opportunity to attend training in the fields of research management and career development.
- ... will be able to expand their professional networks through the TU Berlin's alliances with research institutions and industrial partners worldwide.
- ... will live in one of Europe's most exciting and vibrant capital cities with a worldclass research environment.

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## The IPODI Selection Process