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Three Ph.D. fellows in forest and landscape research

The Research School for Forest, Landscape and Planning (REFOLANA) at The Royal Veterinary and Agricultural University, KVL, invites applications for three Ph.D. fellows from 15th February 2006 or soon thereafter.

Research School for Forest, Landscape and Planning (REFOLANA) focus on PhD-projects related to the management continuum from unmanaged forests to urban areas in both developed and developing countries. REFOLANA is a part of KVL and is supported by the Danish Ministry for Science, Technology and Innovation.

The PhD scholarships must be within one of the four following subject areas:

1. Responses of plant communities to climate change

Focus should be on growth, phenology and plant competition in heath/grassland vegetation in large scale field experiment with manipulations of temperature, precipitation and CO₂ alone and in combinations.

Contact *Inger Kappel Schmidt*, iks@kvl.dk or 3528 1668

2. The economics of hunting

Focus should be on novel ways to analyse the market for hunting rentals in Denmark with the objective to support decisions at landowner level – as well as information on the welfare economic role of the market for hunting rentals.

Contact *Bo Jellesmark Thorsen*, bjt@kvl.dk or 3528 1700

3. Value of maintaining biodiversity

Focus should be on application of econometric methods for assessing the value of biodiversity of importance for wildlife, recreation, forestry or nature conservation.

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4. Governance in Natural Resources

Focus should be on policy analysis of governance in Danish and European forest and landscape management.

Contact *Tove Enggrob Boon*, tb@kvl.dk or 3528 1760

Qualification requirements

In connection with the appointment to the posts, special importance will be attached to the applicants having the professional and personal qualifications stated below:

- Passed Master's degree in relation to the subject area(s)
- Analytic skills and research potential
- Enterprising and good interpersonal skills

Terms of employment

The posts will be filled according to the Agreement between the Danish Ministry of Finance and the Danish Confederation of Professional Associations. The posts are covered by the Protocol on Job Structure.

The position as Ph.D. fellow requires the applicant to be approved for admission to the Ph.D. programme at KVL when accepted for the post.

Questions

For further information about the posts, please contact the persons indicated above. For general information please contact Professor Erik Dahl Kjær, phone: (+45) 3528 1624, e-mail: edk@kvl.dk.

General questions regarding Ph.D. programmes should be directed to Course Administration c/o special advisor Michael Cleve Hansen, tel. + 45 3528 2056 or head clerk Lillian Zeuthen Bjørnseth on tel. +45 3528 2172. Further information on Ph.D. programmes is available at www.kvl.dk >Present students > Ph.D. programmes > Regulations.

Application

The application must be submitted in four sorted copies and include a reply e-mail address. Each application must include the following appendices marked with the stated appendix numbers:

Appendix 1: curriculum vitae with publication list and documentation of education.

Appendix 2: material required for expert assessment.

Appendix 3: outlined project description (1-3 pages)

In addition to the material the applicant wishes to be included in the assessment, the Assessment Committee may include further material in their assessment of the applicant. In such circumstances, it is the responsibility of the applicant, on request, to send the material to the Committee. Following processing of the application, any application material sent will be destroyed.

Receipt of the application will not be acknowledged, but the applicant will be kept continuously informed of the progress of the application. The applicant will be assessed according to the Ministry of Science Technology and Innovation Executive Order no 170 of 17. March 2005.

Applications marked 212-142 »REFOLANA« must be submitted to: **Forest & Landscape**
Hoersholm Kongevej 11
2930 Hoersholm
Denmark

Not later than 30 January 2006 at 1200 noon. Application material received after the closing date for applications will not be considered.

Forest & Landscape Denmark is an independent centre at the Royal Veterinary and Agricultural University of Denmark (KVL). The Center undertakes research, education, extension and consultancy services in the area of forest, landscape and planning. The Center has some 300 employees and an annual budget of about DKK 150 millions.

The Royal Veterinary and Agricultural University (KVL) is Denmark's only university within the areas of agriculture, forestry, horticulture, veterinary science and human nutrition and food science. KVL has 3,500 students (incl. approx 400 PhD students), 1700 man years and an annual turnover of DKK 1.15 billion. In accordance with KVL's equal opportunities policy, we invite applications from all interested individuals regardless of gender, age, ethnicity or religion. For more information on KVL see www.uk.kvl.dk
