TUD Dresden University of Technology, as a University of Excellence, is one of the leading and most dynamic research institutions in the country. Founded in 1828, today it is a globally oriented, regionally anchored top university as it focuses on the grand challenges of the 21st century. It develops innovative solutions for the world's most pressing issues. In research and academic programs, the university unites the natural and engineering sciences with the humanities, social sciences and medicine. This wide range of disciplines is a special feature, facilitating interdisciplinarity and transfer of science to society. As a modern employer, it offers attractive working conditions to all employees in teaching, research, technology and administration. The goal is to promote and develop their individual abilities while empowering everyone to reach their full potential. TUD embodies a university culture that is characterized by cosmopolitanism, mutual appreciation, thriving innovation and active participation. For TUD diversity is an essential feature and a quality criterion of an excellent university. Accordingly, we welcome all applicants who would like to commit themselves, their achievements and productivity to the success of the whole institution.

At the Faculty of Chemistry and Food Chemistry, the Chair of Molecular Functional Materials offers two positions as

**Research Associate (m/f/x)**

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starting **as soon as possible**. The first position comprises 100 % of the fulltime weekly hours and is limited to 12 months (reference number w23-481), the second position comprises 50 % of the fulltime weekly hours and is limited to 12 months (reference number w23-480) within the ERC project **Practical magnesium batteries enabled by 2D crystalline polymer-based artificial electrode skins (BattSkin)**. The period of employment is governed by the Fixed Term Research Contracts Act (Wissenschaftszeitvertragsgesetz - WissZeitVG). The positions offer the chance to obtain further academic qualification.

**Tasks:** design and synthesis of 2D polymers and 2D COFs; investigation of ion transport properties of 2D polymers and 2D COFs; application research in Mg batteries; organizational tasks within the ERC project.

**Requirements:** university and PhD degree in chemistry, polymer chemistry, materials sciences, or similar; previous experience in 2D polymer/2D COF synthesis and/or battery material investigations; very good interpersonal and communication skills; in particular, the ability to effectively work in collaborative research efforts; an independent, target- and solution-driven work attitude; inter- and multidisciplinary thinking; strong motivation; fluency in English - written and oral.

TUD strives to employ more women in academia and research. We therefore expressly encourage women to apply. The university is a certified family-friendly university and offers a Dual Career Service. We welcome applications from candidates with disabilities. If multiple candidates prove to be equally qualified, those with disabilities or with equivalent status pursuant to the German Social Code IX (SGB IX) will receive priority for employment.

Please submit your application **(in English only)** including motivation letter, CV, copy of degree certificates and quoting the reference number by **January 5, 2024** ( stamped arrival date of the university central mail service) to: **TU Dresden, Fakultät Chemie und Lebensmittelchemie, Professur für Molekulare Funktionsmaterialien, z. Hd. Herrn Dr. Minghao Yu, Helmholtzstr. 10, 01069 Dresden, Germany**. Please submit copies only, as your application will not be returned to you. Expenses incurred in attending interviews cannot be reimbursed.

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