



Center of Plant Systems Biology and Biotechnology  
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The Center of Plant Systems Biology and Biotechnology (CPSBB) offers the following position:

## **Postdoctoral researcher**

**Occupation:** Full-time

**Period:** Fixed-term contract, probation period of 6 months, possibility of extensions

**Place:** Plovdiv, Bulgaria

**Apply no later than:** February 26, 2017

CPSBB is a newly established research center in Plovdiv, Bulgaria, with the financial help of the H2020 project PlantaSYST (Teaming), the Bulgarian Government, and the Municipality of Plovdiv. CPSBB's mission is to position itself at the forefront of plant sciences in Bulgaria and South-East Europe. This will be achieved by building on the research and technological excellence of two advanced partners from Potsdam, Germany: the University of Potsdam and the Max Planck Institute of Molecular Plant Physiology, Potsdam-Golm.

The CPSBB is looking for an enthusiastic postdoc with background in plant molecular biology/plant genetics, biochemistry, stress physiology, or related fields, who can 1) perform experiments in the field of molecular stress physiology and 2) design and write competitive projects for attracting third-party funding.

CPSBB is equal opportunity employer.

## **Job Requirements:**

- PhD in plant biology, plant physiology, plant biochemistry or related fields
- Very good publication record (peer-reviewed papers) in plant biology
- Excellent English is mandatory; Bulgarian and German are highly advantageous
- Experience with project preparations and grant management

## **Main responsibilities:**

- Conduct cutting-edge research related to molecular stress physiology
- Supervising PhD student(s)
- Participation in teaching (e.g. courses on plant biochemistry)
- Writing grant proposals and assisting with grant management

## **We offer**

- Fast changing and growing scientific environment. Opportunity to build and develop. Career development in an international research institute
- A competitive remuneration package
- Funding is available immediately

## **Deadline for application**

The application deadline is 26.2.2017. Applicants are encouraged to apply as soon as possible as the position will remain open until filled by a suitable candidate. Interested applicants should send the following documents:

- CV
- letter of application, mentioning the position you apply for and the motivation to apply
- Recommendation(s) by former employers

You can apply for this job **no later than 26 February 2017** by e-mail ([secretary@cpsbb.eu](mailto:secretary@cpsbb.eu)).