From: David Inouye

Subject: Postdoc: ecohydrological modeling

We are inviting applications for a postdoctoral research fellow in *_ecohydrological modelling_*. The post forms part of the project /VeWa: Vegetation effects on water flow and mixing in high-latitude ecosystems"/, funded by the European Research Council (ERC). VeWa is an interdisciplinary project which investigates water and plant interlinkages and consequent water availability in ecosystems to understand future responses to change. We are assessing the role of plants in moderating water stress and possible climate change in low energy environments. For more info on VeWa please see:

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The post is designed to conduct coupled hydrological/ecohydrological modelling. Qualifications for this position include a Ph.D. in hydrology, ecology, soil science, or a related field of environmental science. The successful candidate will be dynamic and motivated and have experience in the development and application of numerical models for various scales and environmental science contexts. The successful candidate should be experienced in combining process-based understanding with strong numerical / computational skills. Experience with programming is essential. Expertise in remote sensing & data assimilation and / or incorporation of tracers into hydrological models would be advantageous. Other advantageous background includes experience in working in interdisciplinary research projects, and working well in a team environment. Strong English language skills both in oral and written communication are also required.

The post is based at the Leibniz Institute in Berlin, Germany, but involves close collaboration with international project partners (in Scotland, Canada, Sweden, US). The successful candidate will be part of an exciting international team:

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Application deadline is 23/07/2017.

The position has to start at the *01/10/2017* and is limited to one year.

Enquiries or questions should be directed to *Professor Doerthe Tetzlaff* d.tetzlaff@abdn.ac.uk <mailto:d.tetzlaff@abdn.ac.uk>

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