

## Postdoctoral Research Fellowship

A Postdoctoral Research Fellowship is available in the Department of Chemistry and Polymer Science at Stellenbosch University (South Africa)

Scope of Research: Lignin valorisation, polymerization and polymer characterization.

Requirement: PhD (must have graduated within the last five years). The successful candidate will have experience in: polymer synthesis and modification, polymer analysis, Interaction chromatography and SEC, FTIR and NMR spectrometry, Fractionation techniques for polymer and particles characterization.

Commencement of duties: As soon as possible.

Duration of fellowship: The position is funded until the end of 2022.

Financial support: A tax-free bursary valued at ZAR 250,000 per annum is available.

Closing date: 1 March 2022.

Enquiries: Send a letter of application, accompanied by a comprehensive curriculum vitae, including a list of publications and the names and contact details of at least two referees, to: Prof Alben Lederer, Department of Chemistry and Polymer Science, University of Stellenbosch (alederer@sun.ac.za).

Please note:

Postdoctoral fellows do not hold posts or positions and neither do they enter into an employment contract with the University. They are therefore not eligible for employee benefits.

They receive a fellowship in order to conduct research, and do not receive a salary or remuneration for contract research or teaching.

Their bursaries are paid out via the bursary system and not Human Resources.

They are not part of the teaching staff of the University, neither are they contract researchers.

They are not postgraduate students.