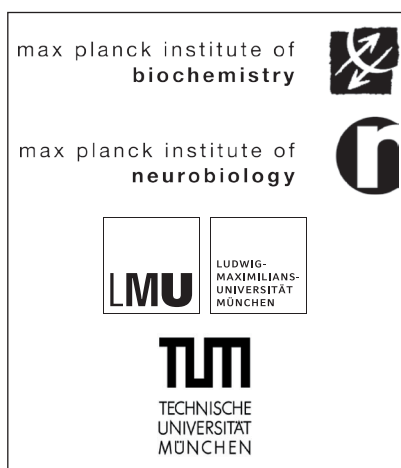


## The International Max Planck Research School for Molecular Life Sciences

The International Max Planck Research School for Molecular Life Sciences (IMPRS-LS), jointly conducted by Munich based Max Planck Institutes and Universities, is an internationally recognized center of scientific and educational excellence. More than 60 distinguished group leaders actively participate in the PhD program and offer challenging and cutting-edge PhD projects in the following areas:

- ▷ **Biophysics and Bioimaging**
- ◁ **Computational and Systems Biology**
- ▷ **Gene Regulation and DNA Biology**
- ◁ **Neurobiology and Neurodegeneration**
- ▷ **Protein Structure and Protein Folding**
- ◁ **Signaling and Immunology**



The PhD program provides comprehensive scientific training in a superb and vibrant research environment with state-of-the-art facilities. Doctoral students work within international teams of scientists in an interdisciplinary setting that provides extensive access to expertise and support. Laboratory work is supplemented by seminars, summer schools, elective courses, career development training and participation in national or international conferences.

The cosmopolitan city of Munich is at the forefront of scientific research in Germany and, situated in the heart of Bavaria, uniquely combines tradition with the modern age.

Highly qualified candidates with a strong commitment to basic research are invited to apply. Applicants should hold an MSc (or equivalent degree) with a strong background in biological sciences, neurosciences, biochemistry, biophysics, biotechnology or a related discipline.

Outstanding candidates with a BSc degree (or equivalent degree) are welcome to apply for the fast track option. For more information and online application please visit our website: [www.imprs-ls.de](http://www.imprs-ls.de)

Successful candidates will be supported with a generous PhD fellowship covering living expenses and tuition.

Application start is September 15th 2017; closing date for application is November 15th 2017. Accepted candidates may start research projects as early as April 2018 and no later than October 2018.

### We offer you:

- ✓ Excellent career opportunities in a competitive research environment
- ✓ A structured PhD program organized by Munich-based Max Planck Institutes and Universities
- ✓ State-of-the-art facilities and cutting-edge research projects
- ✓ Individual supervision from research scientists who are leaders in their respective fields
- ✓ An English speaking PhD program in an international setting
- ✓ Full funding provided for international and German students

### We are looking for:

- ✓ Talented, creative and enthusiastic doctoral students from all over the world with a strong passion for basic science

