BOĞAZİÇİ UNIVERSITY COGNITIVE SCIENCE JOB ADVERT

TÜBİTAK 2232 FELLOWSHIP POSITIONS

We are delighted to announce that Boğaziçi University Cognitive Science Program (http://cogsci.boun.edu.tr/) invites applications for the Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey - TÜBİTAK 2232 International Fellowship for Outstanding Researchers (Turkish: Uluslararası Lider Araştırmacılar Programı). Candidates with a Cognitive Science Ph.D degree are particularly encouraged.

There is a two stage application process. Firstly, the Boğaziçi University Cognitive Science Program will make a decision as to which applicants to support. In the second state, the successful applicants must submit individual application to TÜBİTAK (The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey) with the support of the Cognitive Science Program at Boğaziçi University.

Both Turkish Citizens and non-Turkish citizens are eligible to apply. This prestigious fellowship provides a very competitive salary, and a substantial research budget and support for up to 5 PhD students for 3 years, that might potentially lead to a permanent position at Boğaziçi University. The teaching load will be 1 course per semester.

Please follow the link for details about the fellowship:

English:
https://www.tubitak.gov.tr/en/news/international-fellowship-for-outstanding-researchers-programme-call-is-open-for-applications
Turkish:
https://www.tubitak.gov.tr/tr/duyuru/uluslararasi-lider-arastirmacilar-programi-basvuruya-acildi-0

Boğaziçi University is a highly competitive public university in Istanbul, Turkey. It admits students ranked in the top 1000 of over 2 million applicants entering a nation-wide university entrance exam and is the top research university in Turkey with a ranking of 190th worldwide

according to the US News and World Report University Rankings of 2018.

The Master of Arts Program in Cognitive Science aims at introducing the graduate students to the interdisciplinary investigation of cognitive processes. It is a joint program of the Computer Engineering, Linguistics, Philosophy and Psychology Departments, together with affiliated faculty members from other disciplines such as Biomedical Engineering, Economics, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, and Foreign Language Education. The program provides a rich interdisciplinary research environment with reading groups, seminars, and opportunities to collaborate with faculty across departments and universities. It is in close contact with other Cognitive Science Departments in the country, too, and has been a part of the organizing committee of an annual international symposium on Brain and Cognitive Science (http://cogsci.boun.edu.tr/isbcs/2018/program.html).

We will consider applications in any field of cognitive science, broadly understood. But we have a particular interest in researchers who work in the following areas: psycho-linguistics, language acquisition, computational modelling (particularly Bayesian modelling of cognitive processes), artificial intelligence, natural language processing, robotics, philosophy of mind and philosophy of language.

Candidates interested in being supported for their application by the Cognitive Science Program at Boğaziçi University should send their Curriculum Vitae and a brief, paragraph-long, abstract of their potential project to cogsci@boun.edu.tr by midnight of March the 4th. Those candidates, whom the Cognitive Science Program decides to support will be informed by March the 6th. The final deadline for applications to TÜBİTAK is March the 29th, 2019.