

Dear postdoctoral fellow,

The LS² Annual Meeting 2017 (www.ls²-annual-meeting.ch) offers PostDocs an opportunity to kick-start their academic careers in Switzerland. As a selected candidate of the session "Tomorrow's PIs: The future of Swiss research", you will have the chance to present your research topic and future plans in 15 minutes to an audience of scientists and to a knowledgeable jury composed of professors and other life scientists. The best presentation will be awarded a prize. However, everyone is a winner, as the selected participants will receive feedback from the members of the jury over lunch after the session, will have the opportunity to expand or refresh their network in Switzerland, to exchange with scientists in and outside their field, and to enjoy a two-day meeting in the beautiful city of Zurich. Only applicants having ties to Switzerland will be considered (i.e. Swiss citizenship, Swiss residency or previous affiliation with a Swiss institution for at least two years).

To apply, please follow the guidelines below:

Submit a single PDF document entitled

"YourSurname LS2 Tomorrows Pl.pdf" to carolin.vonschoultz@ls2.ch containing:

- 1. Cover letter highlighting your eligibility (half page)
- 2. Abstract of your presentation including past work and future research plans with their scientific impact and significance (max. 300 words)
- 3. Brief CV including your publications (max. 2 pages)

## Applications must be received by November 15th, 2016.

If you are selected, your travel and accommodation fees will be covered by LS<sup>2</sup>.

We are looking forward to your application and hope to welcome you on the  $2^{nd}$  –  $3^{rd}$  of February 2017 in Zurich!

Yours sincerely

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