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**1 graduate research assistants (m/f)**
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The teaching responsibility amounts to 2 hours a week per semester period.

Candidates must hold a Master in physics, physical chemistry, and electrical engineering or in similar field with very good or excellent grade. We expect solid English skills.

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