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SCIENCE WITHOUT
BORDERS

BRAZIL-DENMARK COLLABORATION

FOR PROSPECTIVE SWB FELLOWS

Aarhus University offers abundant possibilities for sandwich-PhD, full PhD and postdoctoral studies within most Science without Borders priority areas. You can study:

- Agricultural Science
- Bioscience
- Chemistry
- Computer Science, incl. bioinformatics
- Geoscience
- Engineering
- Environmental Sciences
- Food Science
- Health Sciences
- Mathematics
- Molecular Biology and Genetics
- Nanoscience
- Physics and Astronomy

To see how these match with SWB priority areas, please visit:
www.au.dk/sciencewithoutborders.

Services

SWB fellows can get assistance in practical issues related to settling into the university and the community. Read more about the International Centre's services at:
www.ias.au.dk.

Application process

As a prospective PhD student, you can:

1. Contact Aarhus University to find a project and be matched with a supervisor
2. Apply to the graduate school at Aarhus University through the open calls at:

www.talent.au.dk/phd

As a prospective postdoctoral fellow and sandwich PhD student, you can:

1. Contact Aarhus University to find a project and be matched with a supervisor
2. Apply to the open positions announced at www.swbdenmark.dk

Contact the International Team

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- Other Science & Technology subjects: Susanna Pakkasmaa
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Why Aarhus University?

- Aarhus University provides high level education and research
- Aarhus University is consistently ranked as one of the world's Top-100 universities - for instance it is ranked as number 51 by crown indicator in the 2012 Leiden Ranking.
- Denmark is a great place to live – number 2 on Forbes's list of the happiest countries in the world



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FOR SUPERVISORS AT AU

Full PhD

The students will be enrolled at Aarhus University, where they obtain their degree. The candidates apply to the graduate schools (www.talent.au.dk/phd). After submitting the application to AU, they apply for funding from the Brazilian funding agency. The full PhD scholarships cover up to 48 months.

Sandwich PhD

The students must be enrolled in a PhD programme at a Brazilian university. The scholarship gives an opportunity for a 12 months research visit at AU (with a possibility of extension to 24 months). In the application to the Brazilian funding agency, the students must enclose an invitation from the supervisor.

Postdoctoral fellows

The candidate and the supervisor agree upon a project and the candidate encloses an invitation from the supervisor in the application to the Brazilian funding agency. The scholarship is for up to 24 months.

The scholarship covers a monthly grant (Jan. 2013: PhD stud. €1,300 per month, postdocs €2,100 per month), health insurance, housing reimbursement and travel reimbursement.

The International Team can help you in:

- Establishing contacts with Brazilian universities, scientists and candidates
- Screening applications and recruiting Brazilian students

