The Faculty of Natural Sciences invites applications for a

**University Professorship (Salary Scale W 3 NBesO)**
in Biodiversity of Ecosystems

starting on October 1st, 2019.

The holder of the position needs to have excellent international scientific references with a research focus on the integrated environmental diversity of habitats on earth. The key research areas should include biogeography and biodiversity with focus on plant sociology. Experience in the area of biodiversity research is required for a successful cooperation within the faculty for research and teaching. The chair plays a part in the bachelor and master degree courses in the life sciences and earth sciences and will serve as a nucleus for interdisciplinary research on biogeoystems. Active participation in the Leibniz Research Initiative Soil-Plant-Human Interactions as well as in further research networks is expected.

Conditions of appointment are in accordance with § 25, Niedersachsen Higher Education Act (NHG).

Part-time employment can be arranged on request.

As an equal opportunities employer, Leibniz Universität Hannover has set itself the strategic aim of significantly increasing the proportion of women. Female scientists are therefore particularly encouraged to apply. Applications from abroad are especially welcome. Equally qualified candidates with disabilities will be given preference.

In its mission statement, Leibniz Universität Hannover attaches great importance to the international orientation of teaching and research. At the same time, it places major value on the intensive guidance and support of its students and on the university's close ties to the region and to Niedersachsen. Its professors are thus expected to take up residence in the Region of Hannover.

Successful candidates who have reached the age of fifty by the time of appointment and who do not already have civil servant status will be given an employment contract.

Further information is available from Prof. Dr. Gerald Kuhnt, Tel. +49 0511 762 3591,
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Please submit your full application with the usual documents until April 16, 2018 in electronic form to

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