Institute of Science and Technology Austria (ISTA)

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VISTA Fellowship

- Full Time (40h/w)
- Klosterneuburg (Vienna), Austria / Home Office possible
- Salary depending on career stage (ranges between 2,700 EUR gross/month and a maximum of 3,500 EUR gross/month All-In)

ISTA is growing. Grow with us!

ISTA is a growing international institute for conducting frontier research in mathematics, computer science, and the life and physical sciences. We recruit passionate professionals from all over the world and from all fields who support our goals of excellence in research and science management.

The fellowship program

You are a scientist seeking to put your passion for education & outreach at the center of your career? The VISTA Fellowship offers scientists room to develop and kick start innovative science education projects and acquire skills necessary for a transition to a career in science education. Develop your own project, whether it is connected to your previous research work or independent from it. VISTA fellowship projects can be entrepreneurial in nature, and take many different formats – with respect to target group, formal vs informal education etc. In addition to developing your own project, being immersed in ISTA's science education team and actively contributing to its activities provides you with transitional support and practical experience in science education.

The VISTA Fellowship covers both the salary of the fellow for 6 months (up to 1 year with appropriate justification) and project costs.

Your responsibilities

- Develop and start implementing your own science education project
 - o Prototyping & testing your project (e.g. school workshop) and incorporating feedback
 - o Devising the next steps for a larger implementation or scale-up of the project
- Be an active part of ISTA's science education team
 - o Participate in team meetings as a critical colleague
 - Contribute to existing science education formats to gain experience
- Make use of educational and networking resources to strengthen your profile
 - Take science education courses, journal club, career development program, participation in events

Your profile

- Previous working experience in research
- Strong passion for and interest in education
- Strong English skills, other language skill requirements depend on project requirements

Application deadline: January 31, 2023

Interested? For further information see the <u>VISTA Fellowship Information</u> for applicants. Still open questions? The Science Education Team (<u>science.education@ista.ac.at</u>) is happy to answer them.

We are looking forward to receiving your application via recruiting@ist.ac.at.