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To Research Group Leaders at the Faculties of Medicine, Natural Sciences (Life-Sciences), and Veterinary Medicine

Medizinische Fakultät

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Studienleitung Masterstudium Pharmazie

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Invitation to submit Proposals for Master Thesis Topics for Master Students in Pharmacy

Dear Sir or Madam, dear Colleagues

The next round of master theses in Pharmacy will take place between <u>beginning of January 2024 and August 2024</u>. Within this timeframe, the students will carry out a sixmonths master thesis. It can cover any topic within Natural Sciences, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Biomedical Sciences, and Veterinary Sciences. Furthermore, the students have the possibility to perform their master thesis in an external institution, a pharmaceutical company, or another university in Switzerland and abroad.

After completing the three-year Bachelor's course in Pharmaceutical Sciences at the Department of Chemistry, Biochemistry and Pharmacy (DCBP) at the Natural Sciences Faculty, our students have a very good knowledge in Natural Sciences and Biomedical Sciences. They have also acquired a lot of practical skills in numerous practical laboratory courses. We are therefore convinced that master's students in Pharmacy can make a valuable contribution to the research in your group during their master thesis.

The students will not receive any salary. The supervisors based at the University of Bern will receive a fix compensation of CHF 4'800 per master thesis for their time and effort and to cover material costs.

For further information on the Master thesis 2024, all documents and the detailed time schedule please refer to our ILIAS plattform for the Master course in Pharmacy. https://ilias.unibe.ch/goto_ilias3_unibe_cat_1855884.html We would like to invite you now to <u>use the attached form and submit proposals</u> for master thesis projects in your research group. The project proposals will be made available for the students at the beginning of the autumn semester in mid September.

Please send your project proposal as soon as possible, but no later than **20th August 2023** to myself (**verena.schroeder@unibe.ch**) and to Mrs. Barbara Rechsteiner (**barbara.rechsteiner@unibe.ch**).

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you very much and kind regards

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