

Notices

**1. MITTELEUROPÄISCHES
LUMINESZENZ-UND ESR-DATIERUNGS-KOLLOQUIUM**

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ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR IN LUMINESCENCE DATING

Applications are invited for a position as associate professor in luminescence dating. The position is open from January 1, 1996 and the annual salary is up to Danish kroner 300.000 plus about 15% for retirement.

The post is related to the laboratory for luminescence dating which is a joint Nordic facility involved in age determinations of geological and archaeological materials.

A candidate with a background in geology and/or physics and documented research experience in luminescence dating methods, including thermoluminescence and optically stimulated luminescence will be preferred. In addition to performing routine dating determinations, the selected candidate will be expected to carry out research and development in the field of luminescence dating. Within a few years the appointee will be expected to assume full responsibility for the day to day running of the laboratory. The appointed candidate will be expected to supervise students at MSc and Ph. D levels.

As the dating laboratory is partly run on a commercial basis the appointee will be expected to be responsible for contact with users.

The laboratory is currently situated in the Research Centre at Risø on Zealand near Copenhagen, but in the long term it may be transferred to Aarhus.

Applications should include a curriculum vitae giving evidence on which the evaluation of the applicant's scientific and teaching qualifications can be based, a complete list of publications together with three copies of each of those publications which the applicant selects as the most relevant for the application. Other supportive material should also be submitted in three copies.

The selection committee may include further material from the list of publications in its evaluation of the applicant. In that case the applicant must, upon request, submit the material to the selection committee.

The selection committee's written evaluation of the applicants will be sent in full to all applicants.

Applications should be addressed to The Faculty of Natural Sciences, University of Aarhus, Ny Munkegade, Building 520, DK-8000 Aarhus C, Denmark, and marked 212/5-30.

The deadline for the receipt of all application material is October 23, 1995 at 12.00.

Obituary

Professor Mieczyslaw F.PAZDUR

We record with sadness the sudden death on 11th May 1995 of Professor Mieczyslaw F. PAZDUR. Since many years ago he was the Head of Department of Radioisotopes and Head of Radiocarbon Laboratory of the Silesian Technical University of Gliwice in Poland. His main research was concerned with TL dating of sediments and with improvement in radiocarbon measurement techniques.

He was very well known in the scientific communities of both techniques and he published many results in geology as well as in archaeology. Despite financial and political difficulties during his country's period of communism, he succeeded in setting up one of the most important dating laboratories in the world.

After 1989 he had to take charge of many responsibilities in his University and in the direction of scientific research in Poland. Before his death he had taken on the organisation of the next International Radiocarbon Conference.

His death is a hard loss both for the scientists or for his numerous friends.

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