

We are a leading research organisation in the area wood and wood-related renewable resources in Europe. Our core competences are materials research and process technology along the complete value chain – from raw material to finished products. We develop methods and basics and perform applied research on the economy-science interface in order to enable resource-efficient management in the circular bioeconomy.

In collaboration with the company partner Lenzing AG we offer the opportunity to elaborate a

# Master Thesis (f/m/d)

Topic: Membrane technologies as an energy-efficient alternative to thermal evaporation for the recovery of water

## These fascinating research issues are waiting for you:

- o Application of pressure-driven and pressure-free membrane technologies
- o Recovery of process water from various effluents of the viscose fiber production
- o Analysis of the impact of the relevant factors on process efficiency
- Up-scaling of the lab setup for industrial applicability tests

## Your qualification:

- o Degree in process engineering, chemistry or physics
- Theoretical and practical understanding of membrane separation processes
- o Interest in research on production-relevant and sustainable systems
- o Reliability, flexibility and independence

#### Your benefits:

- o An international, motivated team and a highly active scientific environment
- Work in basic and industry-related projects
- Modern laboratories and pilot plant facilities
- $\circ\quad$  Numerous professional and varied training and development opportunities
- o Responsible and varied field of activity
- o Attractive working environment
- Variety & no boredom
- o Excellent working atmosphere in a committed team
- o Allowance EUR 500,00/month
- o Start in September 2024

### Place of employment:

Lenzing (Upper Austria)

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