



Motivation Letter

Please use this template to write your motivation letter and send it together with all other documents in a single PDF.

If you do not follow the instructions, your application will be considered invalid.

1. Please describe your motivation to do a Pre-Doc internship at the BCCN Berlin including your interest in computational neuroscience (**max 2800 character incl. spaces**).

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2. Please provide an overview/a summary of your master thesis topic (**max 1400 characters incl. spaces**).

3. Please describe your background and any financial, societal or personal factors which may prevent you from pursuing a state-of-art PhD/doctorate (**max 2100 characters incl. spaces**).

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4. Please list the BCCN Berlin member(s) with whom you would like to do the internship with and briefly outline your project idea. (**max 1100 characters incl. spaces**). You are not required to list several labs, however, your chances of being selected are higher since there may not be space available in your first choice. You are welcome to apply for an internship with any member of the BCCN Berlin however some groups have expressed availability and interest in hosting an intern (see list of interested groups).

a. First option:

b. Second option:

c. Third option:

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5. Please list your programming skills and absolved advanced university level math courses in linear algebra, statistics and probability theory and analysis/calculus.