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**PostDoc position in evolutionary genetics**

I am looking for a PostDoc with a background in evolutionary- or ecological genetics. You should have recently (within the last three years) obtained your PhD degree and have worked in any field of evolutionary genetics/genomics, such as genetic/genomic basis of adaptation or speciation, genetic changes in response to natural selection, etc. in plants or plant-animal interactions. Skills in bioinformatics are welcome, too. Proficiency in English, both orally and written, and prior experience with scientific publishing is required. The tasks of the job are to pursue and develop an own/collaborative research program in evolutionary genetics and to organize the molecular lab in my group, as well as to do some teaching. The initial duration of the employment will be for three years with possible prolongation. I offer a vibrant, collaborative work environment and a competitive salary; earliest starting date is 1st January 2024. Our department is located in the University Botanical Gardens and houses modern molecular and ecological labs, including greenhouses and climate chambers for plant cultivation. The University of Zürich has a broad research coverage of organismal and molecular biology, and Switzerland offers excellent external research funding opportunities, for example through the Swiss National Science Funds.

If you are interested in the job, please send me by e-mail (florian.schiestl@systbot.uzh.ch) a letter describing your motivation, CV including a list of publications, and e-mail addresses of two academic referees, by 15th of September 2023. Please send all documents in a single file. If you have any further questions, don’t hesitate to contact me.