

The newly-created "Institut Philippe Meyer" is a foundation funded by the Meyer family and Ecole Normale Supérieure, with the aim of promoting excellence in theoretical physics. Each year, it will offer postdoctoral positions in theoretical physics at the physics department of the Ecole Normale Supérieure in Paris. The salary will be competitive.

The Institut invites applications for two postdoctoral positions, starting September 1, 2012, and for the duration of two years (which may exceptionally be extended to a third year).

The successful candidates will carry out theoretical physics research at the Département de physique de l'ENS, which includes Laboratoire Kastler-Brossel, Laboratoire Pierre Aigrain, Laboratoire de physique statistique, Laboratoire de physique théorique and Laboratoire de radioastronomie.

Projects in particle and astroparticle physics, field and string theory, statistical physics and its applications in condensed matter physics, biophysics and information theory, are especially welcome.

The deadline for application is November 30, 2011. The application, including a detailed CV and a research proposal (indicating the preferred laboratory), should be submitted electronically to:

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