For the independent Max Planck Research Group of Dr. Viola Priesemann we seek to fill a

**Student Assistant or Internship position (m/f/d) on the statistics of infectious disease spread (in Göttingen or remote).**

The Max Planck Institute for Dynamics and Self-Organization at Göttingen, Germany, is an international research institute embedded into the vibrant Göttingen Campus. The institute focuses on complex systems, statistical physics and active matter, with both experimental and theoretical approaches, and employs about 300 people. However, moving to Göttingen is not required for the position.

We are looking for a BSc or MSc student to join our team to investigate the spread of COVID-19 using online surveys. The student assistant will thus set up online surveys, do statistical analyses and if interested contribute to writing of the papers. Please check our github page ([https://github.com/Priesemann-Group](https://github.com/Priesemann-Group)) and our prior work. Please apply as soon as possible, as we have to start very soon. An early starting date is a plus.

We are looking for excellent, enthusiastic and self-motivated researchers with programming skills to join our research team. Experience with online surveys and statistical analysis is a plus, but not required. Please outline briefly your programming and statistical or data science skills, any work related to the call and your motivation. Women, like everyone else, are warmly encouraged to apply.

**Our offer**
The usual student assistant wages given your degree apply.

The Max-Planck Society is committed to increasing the number of individuals with disabilities in its workforce and therefore encourages applications from such qualified individuals. Furthermore, the Max Planck Society seeks to increase the number of women in those areas where they are underrepresented and therefore explicitly encourages women to apply.

**Application**
Please send your CV, transcript of records and a short motivation letter to covid-research@ds.mpg.de with emil.iftekhar@ds.mpg.de in CC with the subject “student assistant”.