Call for candidates for the position of director of Centre for Nuclear Studies Bordeaux-Gradignan (CENBG)

CENBG is a research laboratory (UMR 5797) of CNRS – IN2P3 and of the University Bordeaux. CENBG counts 37 staff scientists (fulltime researchers and University staff), about 20 PhD students and post-docs and 45 technical and administrative support staff (engineers and technicians). The scientific activities of the laboratory are covering experimental and theoretical nuclear physics, neutrino physics and gamma astronomy, spanning from the most fundamental research areas to interdisciplinary aspects at the interfaces with high power laser physics, biology and environmental studies.

The research groups of CENBG are strongly engaged in international collaborations working on large research infrastructures and on local research platforms. The technical departments of CENBG (mechanics, electronics, experimental technics and computing) allow for the scientist to participate in the design, prototyping and construction phase of the experiments (advanced detection system, beam transport lines for accelerators,..) and in their data treatment.

The future direction of CENBG should have an outstanding scientific profile, experience in leadership positions in the domain or in related research fields and show a strong ambition for the laboratory within the major research areas as well as for interdisciplinary topics. It is expected that he or she will work full-time on this mission, in the aim of developing, together with the parent organisations, the excellence of the scientific and technical activities, as well as teaching and outreach activities.

Applications and any related question should be addressed to Ursula Bassler (ursula.bassler@in2p3.fr) before March 31, 2018. The applicant should join a curriculum vitae and a letter of motivation. The applications will be transmitted to a Search Committee, representing the parent organisations and the personnel of the laboratory. The committee is in charge of advising the parent organisations that will make the final selection.

Following a first evaluation of the applications, the Search committee will audition the preselected candidates during the month of April 2018. The selected candidate will be appointed between July and September 2018.