

*Announcement and Call for Applications*

**12<sup>th</sup> Berlin Summer School**  
**Psychiatry as a Science: Learning and Plasticity**

**Directed by** Department of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Charité Campus Mitte, Charité –  
Universitätsmedizin Berlin  
Berlin School of Mind and Brain , Humboldt University Graduate School

**Date / Place** August 26<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup>, 2012, Berlin (Germany)

**Objectives**

- Learning processes in the development and course of mental disorders
- Behavioral and neural plasticity in the context of therapeutic interventions
- Decisions and priorities in mental health
- Training of general skills to successfully conduct research in psychiatry

**Target audience**

- Medical doctors and psychologists (mid or end of postgraduate training)
- predominantly from eastern and south-eastern European countries
- with strong interest and experiences in both research and patient care

**Applications** Please send

- a brief CV with list of publications / copies of own publications where possible
- a motivation letter including a statement about your research interests
- a certificate of proficiency in English
- a letter of recommendation from the head of your department, or from the president of the national psychiatric society

to Prof. Dr. A. Ströhle: Charité Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Department of Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Campus Charité Mitte, Charitéplatz 1, 10117 Berlin, Germany (as well as a digital copy by email to [andreas.stroehle@charite.de](mailto:andreas.stroehle@charite.de))

**Deadline for applications 8<sup>th</sup> of May, 2012**

Participants are also invited to present their research as a poster or talk at the 11<sup>th</sup> Charité Conference on Emotional Neuroscience, taking place Aug 31<sup>st</sup> - Sept 1<sup>st</sup>.

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