



## Academic position

### Theoretical Chemistry

#### The University of Namur - FUNDP, Department of Chemistry, Namur, Belgium

The Department of Chemistry at the University of Namur - FUNDP - invites applications for a Faculty position in the area of "Theoretical Chemistry" starting Spring 2009.

Applicants will be expected to have earned a Ph.D degree in chemistry or related disciplines and possess a post-doctoral experience with a proven and outstanding record of accomplishments in "theoretical chemistry".

The successful candidate will be expected to participate, **in the mean term in French**, in the normal teaching program (*i.e.*, quantum chemistry, statistical mechanics, non-equilibrium thermodynamics, ...) of the university at the bachelor, master, and graduate level.

The occupant of the position will have to develop an outstanding program of new fundamental methodologies in Theoretical Chemistry with strong complementarities with other research groups of the department and the university. The research will be conducted in the "Unité de Chimie Physique, Théorique et Structurale" and inscribed in one of the poles of excellence of the department: "Chimie du vivant" and "Chimie des (nano)matériaux". The originality of the proposed research program will be a primordial criterion in the selection of the candidate.

Applicants should submit the following documents to Prof. M. Scheuer, Rector of the University of Namur, 61 rue de Bruxelles, B-5000 NAMUR (Belgium): the completed and signed copy of the official application form (downloadable from <http://www.fundp.ac.be/universite/jobs>) accompanied by a complete curriculum vitae (including research accomplishments, teaching experiences, and a publication list), a detailed research program, a list of collaborations, a teaching statement, and a list of at least three referees **by December 15, 2008**.

Further information can be obtained via Profs D.P. Vercauteren, J. Wouters, or B.-L. Su, Director of the Chemistry Department (email: [daniel.vercauteren@fundp.ac.be](mailto:daniel.vercauteren@fundp.ac.be), [johan.wouters@fundp.ac.be](mailto:johan.wouters@fundp.ac.be), [direction.chimie@fundp.ac.be](mailto:direction.chimie@fundp.ac.be); Tel.: 0032 81 72 45 34, 0032 81 72 45 50, 0032 81 72 45 31).