

The Graduate Research Training Group 2873  
**“Tools and Drugs of the Future – Innovative Methods and New Modalities  
in Medicinal Chemistry”**

funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG)  
offers

**12 PhD Positions**  
(TVL E13, 65%)

**Program Start:** preferably **October 2025**

The research program focuses on **drug research and development** comprising four core themes: (I) targeted protein degraders (PROTACs), (II) macrocyclic drugs, (III) biopolymers as tools and drugs, and (IV) drug conjugates.

The GRK provides a structured qualification program in an interdisciplinary and strongly internationally oriented environment. A unique feature is the lab exchange program with leading international universities.

The following disciplines are represented by the participating research groups:  
**pharmaceutical & medicinal chemistry, organic chemistry, chemical biology,  
structural biology, pharmaceutical & cell biology,  
molecular pharmacology, and microbiology.**

We are looking for highly qualified and strongly motivated national and international **graduate students** with an excellent degree.

Complete applications including cover letter, GRK 2873 application form, CV, and copies of certificates should be submitted **via E-mail** (one PDF file) to  
[grk2873@uni-bonn.de](mailto:grk2873@uni-bonn.de)

Please check out our website for more information and application forms:  
[www.grk2873.uni-bonn.de](http://www.grk2873.uni-bonn.de)

Women are especially encouraged to apply. Disabled applicants with equal qualifications are given preferential consideration.

**Application deadline: January 31, 2025**