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The Institute of Classics is looking for a

Projectassistant without doctorate (m/f/d)

30 hours a week fixed-term employment for 3 years position to be filled as of 01.10.2023

The University of Graz invites applications for up to 1 position for Doctoral Researchers (30 hrs per week) for PhD projects in the fields of Sociological Theory, Social Philosophy, History of Sociology, Cultural Sociology) within the framework of the International Graduate School (IGS) "Resonant Self-World Relations in Ancient and Modern Socio-Religious Practices" (supervisor Univ.-Prof. Dr. Stephan Moebius). The International Graduate School is directed by Univ.-Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Spickermann and Univ.-Prof. Dr. Ursula Gärtner (Graz) and Prof. Dr. Jörg Rüpke and Prof. Dr. Hartmut Rosa (Erfurt). The position is to be filled by 1 October 2023 for a period of 24 months with the option of extension for a further 12 months pending review. The project is a cooperation between the Max-Weber-Kolleg at the University of Erfurt and the University of Graz, funded by the FWF and the DFG. Participants are required to spend one academic year at the cooperating university in the second year of their term. As an International Research Training Group, the programme's primary language is English. Core research fields and project suggestions in the framework of the IGS are outlined on the programme's website: https://dk-resonance.uni-graz.at (cf. "Suggested projects"). Further proposals developed by applicants for research projects that fit into the framework of "Resonant Self--World Relations" in the above named discipline are welcome. Further information about the University of Graz and the IGS are available under: https://dk-resonance.uni-graz.at. Your application must include the following: CV; outline of the Ph.D. project you would like to pursue (max. 5 pages) with a stringent discussion of your research questions, the state of research on the topic, the methodological approach and the leading hypotheses as well as a working schedule and projected date of completion; copies of your final school and university degrees, one letter of recommendation; and a copy of your MA or diploma thesis. You should also indicate in your letter of motivation who among the members of the faculty in Erfurt you see as your prospective supervisor. Prospective candidates will be invited to personal interviews conducted on 14 June 2023 in person or via video conferencing. Inquiries may be made to Dr. Anna-Katharina Rieger (resonance@uni-graz.at).

Your duties

- Completion of a dissertation in the field of Sociology (Sociological Theory, Social Philosophy, History of Sociology, Cultural Sociology)
- Independent research within the frame of the IGS 'Resonant Self-World Relations' to be documented in publications and conference attendances

- Weekly participation in the colloquium of the IGS with one presentation per semester and feedback for the other participants in the colloquium
- · Regular attendance in seminars, reading groups and extracurricular activities of the IGS
- · Organisation and/or participation in conferences of the IGS
- · Research stay (12 months) at the University of Erfurt during the second year of the employment

Your Profile

- excellent, relevant university degree (Master's degree or equivalent in sociology)
- Interest in interdisciplinary research questinos
- · Good knowledge of English
- Basic knowledge (or better) of German (desirable)
- Willingness to learn German
- · Ability to work in a team, organizational and communicational skills
- International experience and networks (desirable)
- Willingness to learn German

Our Offer

Classification

Salary scheme of the Universitäten-KV (University Collective Agreement): B1

Minimum Salary

The minimum salary as stated in the collective agreement and according to the classification scheme is EUR 45.882,20 gross/year (for full-time employment). This minimum salary may be higher due to previous employment periods eligible for inclusion and other earnings and remunerations.

We offer you a job with a lot of responsibility and variety. You can expect an enjoyable work climate, flexible work hours and numerous possibilities for further education and personal development. Take advantage of the chance to enter into a challenging work environment full of team spirit and enthusiasm for your job.

Application deadline: 26.04.2023

The University of Graz strives to increase the proportion of women in particular in management and faculty positions and therefore encourages qualified women to apply.

Especially with regard to academic staff, we welcome applications from persons with disabilities who meet the requirements of the advertised position.

* Please note the limitations of § 109 UG (university act), especially in the case of short contract terms. For further information, please refer to our general application regulations.

For further information or questions, please contact:

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Please note that in order to comply with the applicable data protection regulations, we can only accept applications via our web-based applicant tool for this vacant position.

