

With its 3,800 employees and 30,000 students, the University of Graz provides an exciting and varied work environment. Due to our research and teaching competence we are a central institution for guaranteeing that Styria remains a research and education location.

The main research area of the Austrian Centre for Digital Humanities (ZIM-ACDH), that was established in 2008 at the University of Graz, is the digital edition as a generalisable method of semantic and formal enrichment and analysis of research data from the humanities and cultural heritage domains.

The Austrian Centre for Digital Humanities at the Faculty of Arts and Humanities is seeking to appoint a

Professor (f/m) for Digital Humanities

(40 hours per week; fixed-term employment for 5 years pursuant to §99 (1) UG (Austrian Universities Act); Expected starting date October 1st 2015)

We are seeking applicants with an internationally recognised research profile in the field of digital humanities, with an emphasis on topics of the analysis, long-term availability and preservation of digitised cultural heritage (text, image, artefact).

The candidate should be able to critically examine the transferability of computational methods to subject areas of humanities research (for example, in arts- or artefact-oriented disciplines), and to apply processes and methods from the area of information processing to cognitive processes in the humanities.

In addition, research expertise in at least one of the following topics is expected:

- Modelling of data from the fields of humanities, social sciences and cultural sciences
- Knowledge Engineering and formal knowledge representation
- Information visualisation
- Text analysis

Requirements for employment

- Completion of an appropriate university degree at a university in Austria or abroad
- Habilitation or equivalent qualification in a humanities discipline, combined with in-depth knowledge in the field of computer science
- Excellent scientific qualification in research and teaching for the relevant subject and profile of the professorship
- Fluency in English and German

The candidate is expected to demonstrate his/her educational and didactic skills. The candidate will complement the teaching programme offered by the Faculty of Arts and Humanities by subject-specific teaching in the amount of 8-12 hours per week and ensure the supervision of student theses and dissertations. Special emphasis lies on the development of a Master's curriculum in Digital Humanities. In addition, we expect gender mainstreaming competence.

This professorship is established through a co-operation with the Austrian Academy of Sciences and the University of Vienna and will be coordinating interdisciplinary activities in the field of digital humanities in research and teaching, both at the University of Graz and with (inter)national partner institutions.

Classification

Salary scheme of the Universitäten-KV (University Collective Agreement): A1

Minimum salary

The minimum salary according to the classification scheme of the collective agreement is EUR 65.769,20 gross per year (14 monthly salaries). Salary subject to negotiation.

Application deadline: **March 16th 2015**
Reference number: **PR/5/99 ex 2014/15**

The University of Graz is striving to increase the number of women, particularly in executive positions, and thus explicitly encourages qualified women to apply. In case of equal qualifications, women will receive priority consideration.

If you are interested, please submit your application documents in accordance with the general application guidelines (which can be found at <http://jobs.uni-graz.at/en/Berufungsverfahren>) within the deadline. Your application documents should include the reference number of the position and be sent by email to:

bewerbung.professur@uni-graz.at