



Vacancy Notice

The Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg (OVGU) is seeking to fill a

Visiting professorship post (m/f/d) with focus on Gender Research for the academic years 2021/2022 and 2022/2023

as of October 1st, 2021.

Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg (OVGU) is a research-driven, regionally networked and internationally orientated university with a distinctive profile. Our traditional focus in research and teaching is on engineering, the natural sciences, mathematics and medicine, whilst the economic, social, educational and cultural sciences represent indispensable disciplines of a modern university in the information society and make a decisive contribution to our scientific diversity and multidisciplinary.

The aim of the visiting professorship is to establish gender research in diverse contexts at OVGU. For a period of two years, the post offers the opportunity to develop a distinct research profile that is consistent with the research focus of OVGU and equally addresses the subject of “gender”. The exact orientation has deliberately been left open, so that cultural and social science research with a gender perspective and potentially equality and/or diversity can be addressed, as well as the inclusion of gender aspects in research projects in the STEM subjects or in medicine.

The professorship provides a framework for scientists to hone and expand their professional research profile in gender research and potentially equality and/or diversity.

Subject-specific gender-related knowledge should be generated and made visible. A contribution will be made to ensuring that aspects of gender research are more firmly established structurally at OVGU and that a greater diversity of research perspectives is guaranteed. The integration of subject-enhancing gender research will be a key aspect of the courses offered.

The call is addressed to scientists whose profile in research and teaching is compatible with the above-mentioned disciplines at OVGU. In addition, candidates should be in possession of extensive knowledge of gender research and potentially equality and/or diversity in the respective subject. Prerequisites for a successful application are an above-average doctorate, teaching experience and relevant publications. Furthermore, experience in applying for and conducting third-party funded research projects is desirable. Employment is based on the preconditions for appointment according to § 35 (2, 3) of the Higher Education Act for the Federal State of Saxony-Anhalt (Hochschulgesetz Sachsen-Anhalt).

The professorship is to be awarded by the university for a period of two years. In particularly justified cases, there is a possibility that the appointment may be made for one year only. The professorship will be assigned to a specific faculty/institute at OVGU in accordance with the appointee’s particular subject area. The salary will be in accordance with the W pay scale (grade W2, Remuneration Act of Saxony-Anhalt).

We consider the visiting professorship to be a career step towards becoming a tenured professor. We will assist you along this path with individually-tailored development opportunities. Furthermore, we will be happy to assist you in finding childcare where required.

Scientists who wish to pursue a career in academia are invited to apply. Applications from disabled candidates will be given priority in the case of equal suitability, ability and professional expertise. Otto von Guericke University aims to increase the proportion of female researchers within the university and therefore specifically encourages women to apply.

For organizational questions, please contact Dr. Teller (Tel.: +49 (0)391 67 58907, anne.teller@ovgu.de) and for questions concerning gender aspects, Dr. Tiefel (Tel.: +49 (0)391 67 58945, gleichstellungsbeauftragte@ovgu.de).

Please note the information for storage of personal data: https://www.uni-magdeburg.de/Datenschutz_Bewerber.html

Please send your complete application, ideally by e-mail, include an outline of research topics, academic curriculum vitae, list of the candidate’s five most important publications and lecture activities and documentation of teaching activities by **May 31st, 2021 (application deadline)** to the address below: