

The mandate of the Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg (OVGU) is a strong focus on research, while being regionally linked and internationally orientated. Our traditional focus in research and teaching lies in Engineering, Natural Sciences, Mathematics and Medicine. The Economic, Social, Educational and Cultural sciences are indispensable disciplines of a modern university in the information society and contribute decisively to our academic diversity and interdisciplinarity.

As of 1st October 2018, the Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg is seeking to fill the position of a guest professor.

Guest professor with partial assignment for *Gender Studies*

for the academic years 2018/2019 and 2019/2020

The aim of the guest professor is to establish Gender Studies in diverse contexts at the OVGU. Over the course of two years, there will be the opportunity to develop a research profile compatible with the research focuses of the OVGU, similarly including the category of “Gender”. The exact direction is therefore open in order for research in cultural and social sciences with gender perspectives to be addressed, as well as the inclusion of gender aspects in research projects in the STEM subjects or in Medicine.

Responsibilities: The professorship should enable the possibility for academics to hone and expand their professional research profile in gender perspectives. Subject-specific gender-related knowledge shall be generated and made visible. A contribution should be made to ensure that aspects of gender research at the OVGU are more structurally established and that a greater diversity of research perspectives is guaranteed. With regards to teaching, the integration of subject-enriching gender research is expected.

Qualifications: This advertisement is aimed at academics whose profile in research and teaching is compatible with the OVGU’s aforementioned focus points. Additionally, the ideal candidate should be knowledgeable in each subject of gender research. The successful applicant is in possession of an above-average doctorate degree, teaching experience and relevant publications. Furthermore, experience in applying for and conducting third-party funded research projects is desired.

Offer: The university will offer the professorship over the course of two years. In specific justified cases, the position may also be filled for one year. The professorship is affiliated with the OVGU according to the specifics of the respective subjects. Remuneration is paid according to the W-salary (pay group W2, remuneration law Saxony-Anhalt). We envisage the guest professorship as a possible step towards becoming a lifelong professor. In this way, we will assist you with specifically designed offers for your individual development. We will be happy to support you in finding options for childcare.

Application process: Scholars seeking a career in academia are warmly invited to apply. Applications from disabled persons will be given priority in the case of equal suitability, ability and professional expertise. The Otto-von-Guericke-University aims to increase the proportion of women researchers within the university and specifically encourages women to apply.

Applications should be sent to Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jens Strackeljan, Rector of the Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg, preferably via e-mail by the **15th June 2018** (application deadline) and should include:

- an outline of research topics
- an academic curriculum vitae
- a list of five most important publications
- a list of key note speeches
- a record of teaching
- third party funding

Please send the complete application to:

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