

Gielen-Leyendecker Fellowship For Young Female Scholars At the University of Bonn

The Gielen-Leyendecker Fellowship supports a female post-doc in the Humanities with excellent academic qualifications who would like to complete an independent research project at the University of Bonn.

The Fellowship supports stays at one of the following institutes of the **Faculty of Arts**:

- [Institute for Classical and Romance Philology](#)
- [Institute of Oriental and Asian Studies](#)
- [Institute for Linguistics, Media Studies and Sound Studies](#)
- [Institute for Art History](#)

At the time of application you need the agreement of a mentor at the envisaged host institute at the University of Bonn who will support and advise you in your academic work. The mentor must be firmly anchored within the relevant discipline.

Work will start on 1 October 2017.

Target group

Applications will be accepted from national and international applicants. Eligible to apply for this fellowship are female post-docs who have received their **doctorate within a period of 2 years** from the time of deadline. If more than two years have passed since receipt of the doctorate due to family obligations, this may be taken into account.

Fellowship amount

The fellowship pays €85,000 per year for a period of two years. The elements of the fellowship include the following:

- A position (usually, temporary contract as a *Wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiterin* (research assistant), TV-L 14);
- Student assistants or research assistants, as well as funds for materials and travel;
- A 6–9 month-period spent abroad at an international partner organization of the corresponding Bonn Institute (optional);
- Additional benefits from the University of Bonn, such as participation in continuing education for young scholars.

Selection criteria

The following criteria will be considered when selecting Fellows:

- Excellent dissertation in their discipline;
- Academic qualifications according to the criteria for the discipline (publications, awards and grants, presentations and conferences, etc.);
- Quality of the academic proposal;
- Letter of recommendation from the mentor within the desired area of work at the University of Bonn;
- One additional external letter of recommendation.

How to apply

The application documents can be accessed online at:
https://www.uni-bonn.de/research/office-for-research/7.1-funding-advisory/foundations/gielen-leyendecker-fellowship-en?set_language=en

Deadline for applications: **31 January 2017.**

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