

The Institute of English and American Studies at the University of Oldenburg, Germany, invites applications for a position of a

Lecturer in Literary and Cultural Studies (m/f/d)

(Lehrkraft für besondere Aufgaben)

as a permanent part-time position (60%) with working hours of currently 23.88 hours per week. The starting date is 1 April 2023, and the salary will be based on the German public service pay scale 13 TV-L.

Tasks:

- Teaching in the field of English-language literary and cultural studies, with a special focus on Anglophone literary and cultural studies as well as postcolonial studies, according to the teaching regulations of the federal state of Lower Saxony (LVVO) and with reduced teaching duties (4-5 courses/9 teaching hours per week). Courses taught will be primarily first-year courses, but also intermediate (BA level) and advances courses (MA level)
- Supervising students with regard to both academic and administrative matters
- Fulfilling administrative tasks within the Institute of English and American Studies (in cooperation with and as part of a team of colleagues from all areas of English and American Studies)
- Participating in committees at the institute, faculty, and/or university level

Requirements:

- Master's degree or equivalent diploma (with an above average grade) in the field of English/American/Anglophone Studies with a focus on literary and cultural studies, or in a related field
- Ph.D./doctoral degree in the field of English-language (British, American or Anglophone) literary and cultural studies
- Research experience (for instance in the form of the doctoral dissertation or other publications and presentations) focusing on at least one region and field relevant to postcolonial Anglophone literary and cultural studies
- A sufficiently wide background in literary and cultural studies for introductory teaching
- Familiarity with current research and approaches in literary and cultural theory, including postcolonial theory
- Experience in teaching British, American or Anglophone literary and cultural studies at university level
- Ability and readiness to engage in teamwork; communication and advisory skills
- IT skills (MS Office etc.)
- Native or near-native knowledge of English (C2)
- Knowledge of German at B2 level or higher

Preference will be given to applicants who fulfil as many of the following additional criteria as possible:

- Experience in teaching a wide range of regions in the field of Anglophone literary and cultural studies at university level

- Familiarity with the history of as well as current research and approaches in literary and cultural theory, including postcolonial theory as well as intersectional gender studies
- Experience in fulfilling organisational tasks within academic administration in an efficient as well as team- and addressee-oriented way
- Experience in the following areas (relevant to the institute as a whole): digital organisation of examinations and digital examination methods; digital teaching and learning formats; quality management; international student mobility
- Research interests resonating with existing research foci in Oldenburg Anglophone literary and cultural studies
- Experience in international cooperations, for instance with regard to student mobility, teaching and/or research

The University of Oldenburg is an equal opportunities employer. According to § 21 para. 3 of the legislation governing Higher Education in Lower Saxony (NHG), preference shall be given to female candidates in cases of equal qualification. The same applies to people with disabilities.

Please send your application, including a CV, copies of degree certificates as well as your list of publications and an overview of the courses which you have taught at university level preferably as a single PDF attachment with a maximum size of 40MB to anglistik.bewerbungen@uni-oldenburg.de using the reference "LfbA-Anglophone-Lit-Cult". Applications may also be sent to Carl von Ossietzky Universität Oldenburg, Fakultät III, Institut für Anglistik/Amerikanistik (z. H. Institutsleitung), Postfach, D-26111 Oldenburg. The closing date for applications is **2 January 2023**.

Please note that applications will not be returned and applicants are therefore asked not to send folders or other bound materials.

Inquiries can be addressed to Prof Dr Anton Kirchhofer: anton.kirchhofer@uol.de

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