



**Call for Proposals
„LFUI – Wittgenstein Guest Professor“
at the
University of Innsbruck**

Academic Year 2017/18



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For the 2017/2018 academic year, one „LFUI – Wittgenstein Guest Professorship“ acc. to §26 of the Collective Contract for a duration of one month is offered at the Leopold-Franzens-University of Innsbruck. The initiative aims to promote top-level international scientific and didactic exchange with the University of Innsbruck, especially in the fields of Wittgenstein research (with an editorial and cultural focus), as well as philosophy of language and literature, and is targeted also to support internationalization on site.

Candidates, who have a public sector employment contract with a renowned university or research institution outside of Austria can be considered for the LFUI – Wittgenstein Guest Professorship. The Brenner Archive, the Faculty of Humanities 1 (Philosophy and History), the Faculty of Humanities 2 (Language and Literature) and the School of Catholic Theology of the University of Innsbruck are eligible to apply, but only two applications per faculty are possible.

Preconditions:

- Doctorate plus relevant scientific accomplishments that go beyond a dissertation/PhD; desired: habilitation or equal qualification resp.
- The candidate holds a professorship at a university outside of Austria or is employed at a research institution and has achieved excellent accomplishment there.
- The candidate is ready to hold a public lecture at the University of Innsbruck during the course of the stay. Suggestions of topics are asked for and should be coordinated with the respective faculty that applies for the professorship.
- For organizing and carrying out the lecture it is requested that institutions of the University of Innsbruck that specialize on the imparting of scientific knowledge, internationalization and/or networking (e.g. research foci, research platforms and centres, the Science and Responsibility study group, country-specific centres, AIANI, the Alumni network and others) are integrated.

Purpose:

- Integration of the candidate in a suitable institute or research and teaching area
- Teaching: up to max. 6 semester hours
- Duration of the stay: one month (preferably at a stretch)

Payment:

- Gross € 4.650,20/month (without supplementary grant; last updated 2017) for an employment of 40 hours/week and a teaching assignment with a teaching load up to a maximum of 6 semester hours

