

Job ID: IKT069DOC222

The Institute of Culture Studies and Theatre History ([IKT](#)) of the Austrian Academy of Sciences ([OeAW](#)), Austria's leading non-university research facility, is offering a

PHD STUDENT POSITION (F*M)

(part-time, 30 hour per week)

for a duration of 3 years, starting October 1, 2022.

The Institute of Culture Studies and Theatre History of the OeAW is a research facility of the humanities, combining basic research with innovative international theoretical approaches. Research is focused on the following key question: how are memory, identity and knowledge generated, represented and communicated within complex social and cultural constellations by means of narrative, staging and translation?

Your tasks:

- Participation in an FWF-funded research project on the Austrian "Trümmerfrauen" lead by Martin Tschiggerl. The focus of this research project is to investigate the Austrian "Trümmerfrauen"-myth as the idea that the removal of debris after World War II in Vienna was mainly done by voluntary female workers. To this end, previously unprocessed holdings of the Wiener Stadt und Landesarchiv will be systematically recorded and analyzed for the first time.
- Archive work and creation of a database
- Composing a doctoral thesis
- Support of the project leader

Your profile:

- Completed university qualification (Magister/Master) in history
- Experience in archive work
- Experience in working with databases
- Excellent knowledge on Austrian contemporary history
- Excellent German skills
- Team orientation, independence, reliability

Our offer:

- A part time position for a period of three years
- Participation in an innovative research project
- Possibility to work independently

The annual gross salary is € 32.297,58, according to the collective agreement of the Austrian Academy of Sciences.

Our offer aims at reliable personalities who are able to work independently in the archive and also coordinate the work of a student employee there. The candidate is also expected to write a PhD-thesis on the so called "Notstandsarbeiten" in Vienna in 1945/46. We are looking forward to receiving your written application (covering letter, curriculum vitae, certificates of qualification, and, if applicable, list of publications). Please submit these electronically by patricia.kurucz@oeaw.ac.at, **no later than June 12, 2022**, referencing the Job ID: IKT069DOC222.

The Austrian Academy of Sciences (OeAW) pursues a non-discriminatory employment policy and values equal opportunities, as well as diversity. Individuals from underrepresented groups are particularly encouraged to apply.