Call for Applications
reference number 10/2020

The Faculty of Economics, Law and Social Sciences at the University of Erfurt intends to appoint

to the following Professorship at the earliest possible date:

**Junior Professorship (W1) in International Politics and Conflict Studies with a tenure track option for W3**

This tenure track professorship is part of a joint programme funded by the German Federal Government and the Federal States.

**Responsibilities**

After a successful Career Track, the successful candidate will be appointed as a tenured W3 professor and represent the specialisms in political science as teacher and researcher at the Faculty of Economics, Law and Social Sciences. The Faculty takes an interdisciplinary approach to its subjects. The successful candidate is expected to contribute to teaching on the courses of the Faculty of Economics, Law and Social Sciences, some of which are taught in English. S/he will also be responsible for coordinating the Bachelor of Arts programme in International Relations.

**Requirements**

In addition to the general public service regulations, applicants must fulfil the requirements for appointment set forth in Section 89 Subsection 2 of the Thuringian Higher Education Act (Thüringer Hochschulgesetz, ThürHG).

As a complement to the Professor in International Relations with a focus on International Theory and International Political Economy it is expected that the successful candidate has a proven track record in empirical approaches to either conflict studies or international organisations and institutions. S/he will have a relevant degree in either political science or international relations, an outstanding completed dissertation, and a proven track record in at least one of the above mentioned fields. successful candidate will also have the interdisciplinary compatibility to contribute to research and teaching in other subjects taught at the Faculty of Economics, Law and Social Sciences. S/he is further expected to have a good command of written and spoken German (reading and listening skills at CEFR level B2, writing and speaking skills at level B1) or acquire that command within 2 years.

Moreover, relevant working experience abroad, initial experience throughout third-party funding, and teaching experience in the relevant fields are desired.

**General Remarks**

The German version of this vacancy notice alone shall be legally binding.

The appointment as civil servant is initially made with limited tenure. After a successful interim
evaluation an extension will be provided (Section 89.6 Sentence 2 ThürHG). The appointment to a W3 professorship in a civil service position with unlimited tenure or a permanent employment contract is planned after a successful final evaluation within the framework of the appointment and career concept of the University of Erfurt (“Erfurt Career Track”) in accordance with Section 85.1 Sentence 4 Nr. 4 ThürHG. For more information on the Erfurt Career Track concept, visit: https://www.uni-erfurt.de/uni/arbeiten-an-der-uni/karrierewege/erfurter-career-track/

Please note Section 89.3 ThürHG. Insofar as employment as research assistant or in a comparable employment contract took place in a German university or research institution before or in pursuit of the doctoral degree, the total length of time spent working on a doctoral thesis and as a research assistant (or comparable) should not exceed six years before her/his appointment as junior professor. An exception is made in cases where an employment period was extended for parental leave, the applicant worked on a part-time basis due to childcare duties, or in particular cases that are specifically justified and properly documented.

The University of Erfurt is an equal-opportunity employer. This post is open for applicants of any gender. Women are currently under-represented in this field. Therefore, we encourage them to apply. Preference will be given to disabled persons and persons of equivalent status in the event of equal aptitude, qualifications and professional achievements.

The successful candidate is expected to take up domicile in the Erfurt region. Her/his involvement in the teaching programme includes interdisciplinary courses (also given in English) and the Studium Fundamentale.

Application and Deadline
Please send your complete application (resume, academic CV, list of publications, list of taught courses, course evaluations, list of third-party funding proposals (if applicable), copies of your qualifications) to the following contact in hard copy only, quoting the reference number. The application deadline is 20 March 2020.

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Privacy Policy
By submitting an application, you agree to the further processing of your personal data within the scope of the application procedure. This consent may be revoked at any time in writing or electronically without giving any reason. To do so, direct this kind of information to the departments mentioned above. Please note that withdrawal of consent may disqualify your application in the current proceeding.

For all further information on our privacy policy pursuant to Article 13 of the EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), consult the privacy leaflet (“Data Protection Information for Applicants”) on our website: www.uni-erfurt.de/personal-und-recht/ausschreibungen/

Reimbursement of Expenses
Please send copies of your documents only. For reasons of cost, we will destroy all application documents after the application procedure has been concluded.

The University of Erfurt cannot compensate applicants for any expenses incurred.