

Announcement: Job opening

The *Hans Kilian and Lotte Köhler-Center (KKC) for Social and Cultural Psychology and Historical Anthropology* at the Ruhr University Bochum (RUB) invites applications for a

Doctoral or Postdoctoral Fellowship in Interpretative Cultural Psychology

Duration: 36 months.

To be eligible for a fellowship, candidates must:

- show evidence of academic excellence (excellent master's or doctoral degree, respectively)
- be working on a doctoral or habilitation project or currently developing another relevant project
- in the case of postdoctoral candidates: have completed their doctorate after July 2018 (exceptions can be made for family reasons and for one year max.)
- possess strong research skills and interests in the narrower field of cultural psychology as well as:
 - contemporary subject, social and cultural theories
 - approaches and methods of interpretative social research and cultural analysis, including psychoanalytic/depth hermeneutic approaches
- possess the ability and willingness to think in an interdisciplinary manner.

The fellowship will offer candidates the opportunity to:

- focus on their research project while receiving a monthly salary of 1,800 euros (doctoral fellowship) or approx. 3,000 euros (postdoctoral fellowship) for a period of 3 years. Fellows may apply for an additional year of funding if their progress is satisfactory.
- discuss the results on a regular basis within the scientific network provided by the KKC and the Chair of Social Theory and Social Psychology, Faculty of Social Science, RUB.

Fellows will be required to:

- offer one master-level seminar each semester at the Faculty of Social Science, RUB. These seminars can pertain to the fellow's own research topic and project;
- organize an annual (one- or two-day) scientific symposium related to their research topic/project.

The application deadline is August 25, 2021.

The position is scheduled to begin on October 1, 2021.

Applications must include a/an:

- cover letter stating the motivation for the application
- academic curriculum vitae, including a complete list of publications
- master's or doctoral diploma
- two letters of reference sent separately by the referees
- 3- to 5-page differentiated project description
- preliminary title/description of the master-level seminar and the scientific symposium, respectively.

Applications are to be submitted in hard copy *and* in digital form (a single PDF) to:

Hans Kilian and Lotte Koehler Center (KKC)

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