

Externe Stellenausschreibung Reg.-Nr. 4-183/24-H

Modern, Connected, and Tradition-Conscious: Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg (MLU) is the largest university in the state of Saxony-Anhalt. With a history spanning over 500 years, the university currently enrolls approximately 20,000 students. MLU's research focuses include material sciences, life sciences, Enlightenment studies, and social and cultural research. Additionally, the university is home to a wide array of small academic fields, some of which are unique in their discipline. Nationally and internationally, MLU is exceptionally well-networked, collaborating with numerous non-university research institutions, over 250 universities, and various industry partners.

At the Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Faculty of Philosophy I, Institute of Oriental Studies, Department of Jewish Studies, the following position is to be filled starting March 1, 2025, for a fixed term of up to three years:

Research Associate (m/f/d)

Full-Time

The salary is based on personal qualifications and assigned responsibilities and may go up to salary group 13 TV-L.

Responsibilities:

- Teaching in BA and MA programs in accordance with LVVO LSA (4 teaching hours per week), focusing on Yiddish language and the Jewish cultural history of Eastern Europe
- Independent research on Eastern European Jewry, with a focus on its relationship with the Arab world (habilitation).
- Participation in collaborative projects and research initiatives of the Department of Jewish Studies in the field of Arab-Jewish history

Requirements:

- An outstanding MA degree in Jewish Studies or a related field.
- A PhD in Jewish Studies, Yiddish Studies, or a closely related area is desirable.
- Extensive teaching experience in Yiddish language instruction, including language acquisition abroad.
- Proficiency in Ivrit desirable, excellent command of the English language.
- German language skills at C1 level.
- Experience in university self-administration.
- Strong intercultural, organizational, and teamwork skills

Applications from candidates with disabilities will be given priority if qualifications and skills are equivalent. Women are strongly encouraged to apply.

Candidates with qualifications earned outside of Germany must submit a statement of comparability for foreign higher education qualifications issued by the Central Office for Foreign Education (<https://www.kmk.org/zab/central-office-for-foreign-education>).

For inquiries, please contact Prof. Dr. Ottfried Fraisse at +49 345 55-23940 or via email: ottfried.fraisse@judaistik.uni-halle.de.

Application:

Please send your application, quoting reference number 4-183/24-H along with the usual documents by 28.01.2025 to: Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Department of Jewish Studies, 06099 Halle, Attn: Prof. Dr. Ottfried Fraisse, Phone: +49 345 55-23940, Email: ottfried.fraisse@judaistik.uni-halle.de.

The job posting is subject to potential budgetary restrictions. Application costs will not be reimbursed by the university. Application materials will only be returned if a self-addressed, stamped envelope is included. Submission via email is encouraged.