Helmut Schmidt University / Bundeswehr University, Hamburg (HSU/UniBw H), Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Chair of the Experimental Psychology Unit (Prof. Dr. Thomas Jacobsen), is looking to recruit a

**Post-Doctoral Researcher**

for the externally funded project “Valuating Handwriting in the Digital Age: A Case Study in Japanese Calligraphy”

*(pay grade: E 13 TVöD (German Public Service Collective Bargaining Agreement); 39 hours per week.)*

The position is open until filled and limited (initially) for a duration of three years.

**Job description:**

The project forms part of the Cluster of Excellence ‘Understanding Written Artefacts: Material, Interaction and Transmission in Manuscript Cultures’. It is also embedded in the Experimental Psychology Unit of Helmut Schmidt University / Bundeswehr University, Hamburg (epu.hsu-hh.de).

- The research activities comprise academic services provided within the framework of the project “Valuating Handwriting in the Digital Age: A Case Study in Japanese Calligraphy” (https://www.written-artefacts.uni-hamburg.de/research/field-c/rfc02.html)
- Independent work on project assignments in close consultation with the project head
- Possibility to also pursue further (postdoctoral) academic qualifications

**Qualification requirements:**

- University degree (Diplom, bachelor or master) successfully completed in a relevant subject (psychology, experimental psychology, cognitive neuroscience or a related field)
- Doctorate in one of the relevant subject areas
- High level of articulateness in English – written and spoken

For more detailed information, please contact Prof. Dr. Thomas Jacobsen, email: jacobsen@hsu-hh.de.

Employment will be based on the provisions of the "Tarifvertrag für den öffentlichen Dienst" (TVöD; German Public Service Collective Bargaining Agreement) in conjunction with the "Wissenschaftszeitvertragsgesetz" (WissZeitVG; "Act regulating Fixed-Term Contracts in Higher Education and Research"). Classification in pay grade E 13 TVöD will be subject to fulfilment of the personal requirements and to all the assigned activities being taken on.

The position can, in principle, also be taken up on a part-time basis.

All positions are open equally to persons of any gender. Where aptitude, ability and professional merit are deemed equal, preferential consideration will be given to women in areas in which they are underrepresented, unless there are reasons relating to the person of a rival applicant which predominate.

Applications from handicapped people are expressly welcome. Severely handicapped persons and those of equivalent status will, where equal in aptitude, receive preferential
consideration. They will be required to have only minimum physical suitability. Individual handicap-specific limitations will only preclude preferential consideration if particular abilities are absolutely essential for the position that is to be filled.

HSU/UniBw H has a campus atmosphere, student groups of manageable size, and a good infrastructure. It offers officer candidates and officers academic study courses at bachelor and master degree level which are conducted according to the trimester system and complemented by interdisciplinary study elements.

For more detailed information about the University, visit our Internet website at www.hsu-hh.de.

Please address your application along with the customary documentation in electronic form only (pdf file), stating reference number GeiSo-1920, by 24th of July 2020 to:

personaldezernat@hsu-hh.de

NOTE:

Information on data protection in the context of the application process can be found on the website www.hsu-hh.de under the heading "Universität - Karriere - Datenschutzinformationen"

Failure to state the reference number will mean that your application cannot be considered and will be promptly deleted for data protection reasons.