As a University of Excellence, Universität Hamburg is one of the strongest research universities in Germany. As a flagship university in the greater Hamburg region, it nurtures innovative, co-operative contacts to partners within and outside academia. It also provides and promotes sustainable education, knowledge, and knowledge exchange locally, nationally, and internationally.

Junior professorships are aimed at researchers in the early stages of their career, within four years after completion of doctoral studies.

The Faculty of Education invites applications for a

**JUNIOR PROFESSORSHIP (W1) FOR SOCIAL PEDAGOGY**

commencing as soon as possible, ref. no. JP 322

**RESPONSIBILITIES:**

The successful candidate is expected to teach and conduct research in the field. The junior professorship is based in the Social Pedagogy subject group, and teaching duties will be performed within the Bachelor’s and Master’s in Educational Science degree programs. The successful candidate is expected to contribute specifically to innovative theoretical and empirical research on social pedagogy and child and youth services.

The subject group focuses particularly on the dimension of participation within the context of sustainable action. Accordingly, it is desired that the candidate contributes to the research and development of democracy education in child and youth services, taking diversity into account.

Applicants are expected to take part in the University’s “Labor and Social Change” profile initiative (https://www.uni-hamburg.de/en/forschung/forschungsprofil/forschungsschwerpunkte.html).

Section 12 subsection 7 sentence 2 of the Hamburg higher education act (Hamburgisches Hochschulgesetz, HmbHG) applies.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

Academic qualifications and additional requirements as specified in Section 18 HmbHG.

**ADDITIONAL CRITERIA:**

Applicants are expected to have international research experience as well as a successful track record in acquiring external funding and carrying out externally funded projects. The University
places particular emphasis on the quality of teaching and therefore requests that applicants provide details of their teaching experience and objectives.

Non-German-speaking post holders are expected to acquire the language skills necessary to teach in German (Level C1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages) within two years of commencing employment.

In accordance with Section 14 subsection 3 sentence 3 HmbHG, Universität Hamburg seeks to increase the proportion of women in teaching and research and encourages female academics to apply.

Suitable disabled candidates or applicants with equivalent status with comparable qualifications, abilities, and experience receive preference in the application process.

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The application deadline is 10 September 2020. Please submit your application with your CV, list of publications, teaching experience, successful external funding record, copies of certification and documents, three representative publications, teaching and research plans, additional evidence of skills and experience, such as presentations, posters, significant roles held in organizations, etc. where available, and the reference number JP 322, preferably by email in a single PDF file, to bewerbungen@uni-hamburg.de or per post to:

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Due to the coronavirus pandemic, the academic search procedure is set to proceed digitally. More information is available from the chair of the search committee.

Please submit a completed application form alongside your application documents. Link to application form: www.uni-hamburg.de/juniorprof-ew-en