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The Department of Turkish Studies at the University Duisburg-Essen seeks to appoint the following position at the next possible date:

**University Professorship for Turkish Studies (W2 salary scale, permanent)**

Candidates should be in a position to cover the breadth of Turkish Studies in both teaching and research. Prerequisite is a PhD in the social or political sciences or in the humanities, and a distinctive international profile in Turkish Studies. Expected is a specialization in Gender Studies. Desirable are research interests in cultural studies modes of enquiry and pan-epochal approaches that will facilitate interdisciplinary cooperation in the Turkish Department.

Candidates are expected to have first-rate publications in peer-reviewed scholarly journals. Commensurate with a professorial appointment, experience in applying independently for competitive third party funding, particularly projects funded by the German Research Council, is desirable.

The successful candidate contributes to the new interdisciplinary bachelor program for Turkish Studies and the planned master program for Turkish Studies. The University Duisburg-Essen attaches specific significance to the quality of teaching. The applicants will be expected to provide evidence of their teaching qualifications and methodology, in keeping with the profile of the University of Duisburg-Essen.

Excellent knowledge of Turkish and English is expected. Candidates without German language skills will be expected to learn German (C1) within the first two years of holding the position. It is also expected that the candidates will fully engage in departmental projects and initiatives, and carry out requisite administrative duties.

The appointment is subject to the § 36 of the Hochschulgesetz NRW (Higher-Education Act, NRW).

The University Duisburg-Essen is particularly concerned with improving the diversity of its staff (see <http://uni-due.de/diversity>). It strives to increase the percentage of women in its academic staff and would very much appreciate qualified women applying for this position. Please contact the equal opportunities representative PD Dr. Claudia Hiepel at [claudia.hiepel@uni-due.de](mailto:claudia.hiepel@uni-due.de) with any questions you may have. Assuming equal qualifications, women will be treated according to the specifications of the equality law of the state of North Rhine-Westphalia. Disabled applicants with equivalent qualifications will be viewed favourably according to §2 Abs. 3 SGB IX.

Please submit your application to the Dean of the Faculty of Humanities, Prof. Dr. Dirk Hartmann ([bewerbungen-geiwi@uni-due.de](mailto:bewerbungen-geiwi@uni-due.de)). Applications should include a CV, a list of publications, documents concerning academic and professional development, copies of relevant documents, an exposé of the applicant's research profile with reference to its relevance for the University Duisburg-Essen, as well as statements regarding successful third party funding, teaching, and experience in academic administration. Please submit your application via email in a single pdf file no later than September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019 (deadline).

Further information on the Faculty of Humanities can be found under <http://www.uni-due.de/geisteswissenschaften/>.