

UNIVERSITY OF PARDUBICE, Faculty of Restoration

Is seeking 1 researcher for the position of a

SPECIALIST IN HISTORIC MORTARS, ARCHITECTURAL SURFACES and MOSAICS – POSTDOC

Research area:

Conservation/Restoration of tangible cultural heritage specialising in historical architectural surfaces, mortars and mosaics

Job description:

The Postdoc will participate in the research focused on historical architectural surfaces, mortars and mosaics in the frame of long-term research in this field carried out at the Faculty of Restoration and connected to other running research projects.

The Postdoc will be obliged to organise a seminar/workshop for his/her colleagues or other scholars on research achievements, experience from abroad, possibilities of cooperation etc.

The applicant is required:

- To be a postdoc, i.e. research worker within 7 years of gaining the PhD or its equivalent¹ (ISCED level 8) to the date of June 30th, 2019 and
- Within the last 3 years (to the date of June 30th, 2019) held a research position outside the CR extending to at least 50% of the full-time workload for at least 2 years, or was a PhD student abroad, and
- To demonstrate publication activity by submitting list of his/her publications (types of publications including “article”, “book chapters”, “letter” and “review”) – at least 2 items within the last 3 years (to the date of June 30th, 2019),
- To prove his/her experience in research of historical architectural surfaces, mortars and mosaics focused on composition, properties, damages and conservation methods
- To have excellent knowledge of the English language (written as well as spoken).

Successful applicants should not have any type of employment at another university or other institution. Any exception from this rule must be based on an application submitted during the selection process.

Job location:

University of Pardubice, Faculty of Restoration, Litomyšl, Czech Republic

We offer:

- Fixed term contract for 6 months
- Expected contract start on October 1st 2019
- Full-time contract (8 hours/day, working hours 8:00 – 16:30)
- Gross pay per month: 63.151,-- CZK
- Employee benefits – paid holiday, subsidised meals
- Pleasant working environment, training

The application must contain:

- Application form (filled in)
- Professional CV
- PhD Diploma, or its nostrification
- Certificate of an English language exam – passed as a part of study or a declaration of a passed English language exam from the institution granting the PhD. Degree²
- Documents proving the applicant’s scientific experience outside the CR
- List of publications concerning the last 3 years (to the date of June 30th, 2019)

¹ The stated time limit may be extended by a period spent by the applicant on maternity leave or sick leave longer than 90 days, caring for a family member (more than 90 days), sabbatical, or military service.

² Does not concern applicants whose mother tongue is English.

- List and a brief description of research projects (national and international) in which the applicant participated within the last 3 years (specifying the position and number of months), to the date of June 30th, 2019,
- List of internships (abroad, in the sphere of application) within the last 3 years (to the date of June 30th, 2019) and their brief description
- Cover letter incl. the specification of the applicant's contribution to the new workplace
- Brief description of the applicant's current research incl. its relevance and usefulness for the field of study
- Reference of a previous supervisor or head of research team in which the applicant participated

All the above documents will be translated into English. The diploma or its nostrification and the Certificate of English language examination can be submitted in Czech or Slovak. Documents in a language different from Czech, Slovak or English, must be submitted in a certified translation into one of these languages. Simple copy (printed or electronic) is sufficient for this selection procedure.

Applications including the attachments are to be sent in at the latest by June 27th 2019 in electronic form to the address libuse.cermanova@upce.cz or in printed form to the postal address:

Libuše Cermanová
 Univerzita Pardubice
 Studentská 95
 532 10 Pardubice

(Please write "Do not open – selection procedure" on the left side of the envelope)

Selection procedure, selection criteria and their evaluation:

Enclosed file

Information about the results of the selection procedure will be published on the University of Pardubice website (<https://www.upce.cz/en>). You will also be notified of the results in writing (by e-mail and by post) and you will receive your personal protocol. This protocol will include the description of the process of appeal with its time schedule.

Time schedule of the selection procedure:

Publication: till June 13th 2019

Submission of the required documents: till June 27th 2019

Evaluation: till July 12th 2019

Notification of results and publication of results on the University of Pardubice website: on the date of July 19th 2019

This position is sought for the project International Mobility of Research Workers at the University of Pardubice submitted as a part of the Operational Programme Science, Development and Education no. 02_16_027.