



The Faculty of Language, Literature and Media Studies invites applications for a tenured appointment in the field of German Studies as

Professor of German with a focus on German language education and the teaching of literature (W 2 LBesG) (m/f/d)

starting in October 2021.

The holder of the position is expected to represent the field of German language education with a focus on the teaching of literature in both research and teaching. The successful applicant is expected to be able to do research on and teach the processes relevant to the development of literacy in the context of learning about and through literature. Future areas of responsibility include research and reconstruction of these teaching-learning processes and the development of methodological concepts based on these findings. We are seeking candidates with a high-calibre research profile that is of relevance to the contexts of German language education at school and in the classroom. A focus on diversity and/or interculturality is desirable.

Trier University wishes to create coherence in teacher education, especially between the scientific disciplines dealing with teaching and learning, education and subject-specific disciplines. The successful applicant is expected to contribute to the further development of teacher education at the University of Trier.

Experience in academic self-administration and in the acquisition of third-party funding is also expected. The applicant should have at least three years of experience teaching in schools at the primary and/or secondary level.

The official tasks result from the Higher Education Act of Rhineland-Palatinate (§ 48 HochSchG – Higher Education Act). Applicants must meet the general requirements according to public services law and the Higher Education Act of Rhineland-Palatinate (§§ 49 HochSchG – Higher Education Act). We expect the ability to teach in German.

The State of Rhineland-Palatinate and Trier University are committed to intensive personal mentoring for students and, therefore, expect strong presence of teaching staff at the University. Trier University aims to increase the quota of women in research and teaching, and encourages female academics to apply. Disabled candidates with appropriate qualifications will be given priority.

Applicants must submit the usual documents (curriculum vitae, copies of certificates, list of publications, list of courses, list of the five publications that the applicant considers to be his/her most important ones) to the Dean of the Faculty II of Trier University, Prof. Sebastian Hoffmann, 54286 Trier (dekanatfb2@uni-trier.de) in a single PDF document. The deadline for submission is **01.09.2021**.