

Doc./PhD-position in English Linguistics (research assistant) – starting 10/2022

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The DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH AND AMERICAN STUDIES (*Section English Linguistics*) seeks to fill the position of a ‘wissenschaftliche(r) Mitarbeiter*in’, i.e., a research assistant on a PhD/Doc.-basis. The position entails doing own, independent research as well as some teaching. It is based on a B1 salary with a monthly gross income of € 2,294, which is paid 14 instead of 12 times per year. Previous employment in academia may potentially increase this salary. Here are the main facts about the job:

(1) Start of Contract: 1 October 2022

(2) Contract Runs: for 4 years

(3) Hours per Week: 30 (flexible times)

(4) Obligations/Areas of Work

assistance in research and teaching with the English Linguistics section of the department; administrative duties; independent research resulting in a PhD project to be completed (and published) by the end of the contract; teaching 2 hours (i.e., one course) per term during the last two years of the contract; assistance in the research project ‘Multimodal Coherence in Print Advertising’

(5) Job Requirements

diploma or M.A.-degree in English and American Studies or Linguistics with a focus on English Linguistics; research interest in text-/discourse linguistics (especially media and multimodal linguistics) or pragmatics, semantics, lexicology/phraseology and sociolinguistics of writing; inscription in the PhD-course of studies at Salzburg University

(6) Additional Desirable Qualifications

experience and interest in educational linguistics (in the widest sense); study-abroad experience; advanced digital skills; experience in the qualitative and quantitative analysis of text-/discourse data; first experiences in teaching linguistics

(7) Personal Qualities

reliability; thoroughness; high motivation and clear commitment to the tasks; resilience; organizational skills

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Please, send your applications to bewerbung@plus.ac.at, stating the number of the ad (GZ A 0093/1-2022). The deadline for applications is **25 May 2022**.