



The Research Centre for East European Studies (Forschungsstelle Osteuropa – FSO) is an independent research institute attached to the University of Bremen. Founded during the Cold War in 1982, the FSO today combines two goals: the (re)examination of societies and cultures in the Eastern Bloc and the analysis of contemporary developments in the post-Soviet region.

The department “Politics and Economics” attaches great importance to the training of PhD students. Over the course of years, a big range of dissertation projects have been completed here. To support two research projects our team is seeking for a

student assistant

Tasks:

Your main task will be to assist early-stage researchers, to organise access to datasets and literature and to compile them. The position is **limited** to three months, **April to June 2017**, but contract extension is desired.

Working hours: **40 hours/month** (extension possible)

Finance: university’s standard fee rate of 8.84 € per hour

What we are looking for:

- students from social science or humanities
- good command of English (at least C1)
- knowledge of scientific working and quantitative analysis
- ability to work with datasets and data collections, rankings, citation software like citavi or zotero, researching and organising literature
- thorough, precise, well organized, und motivated working ethos
- knowledge of current political and economic situation of the post-Soviet region
- knowledge of Russian is a credit but not a precondition

English is the main working language. Work place is the FSO in Bremen.

What we offer:

Training of own basic scientific working skills as well as insight in

- duties of internationally active early-stage researchers
- conducting projects at research institutions

Submit all application documents listed below to Anastasia Stoll (astoll@uni-bremen.de) as one PDF-file. Please use the subject line: “application ITN research assistant“, while applying.

- short letter of motivation (1 page)
- cv

Deadline for applications: 06.04.2017

For further information please write an email to Anastasia Stoll (astoll@uni-bremen.de).

For the conclusion of the contract, the following documents have to be provided:

- confirmation of enrolment
- confirmation of health insurance
- a German tax ID (Lohnsteuerkarte)

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