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Kunngjøring av postdoktorstilling (SKO 1352) (ekstern finansiert)

Henvisning til lov- og regelverk

Forskrift om ansettelsesvilkår for stillinger som postdoktor, stipendiat, vitenskapelig assistent og spesialistkandidat. Personalreglementet ved UiO.

Bakgrunn for saken

Stillingene er finansiert av NFR prosjektet *Transnationalisation of anti-immigration movements in Europe* (Anti-Mig), hvor ISS ved Katrine Fangen er partner.

Stillingene lyses ut som 2,5 årig stilling uten pliktarbeid.

Forslag til vedtak:

Styret ved Institutt for sosiologi og samfunnsgeografi godkjenner kunngjøringsteksten og vedtar å kunngjøre en postdoktorstilling (SKO 1352) i for 2,5 år.

Kunngjøringen gjelder under forutsetning av ekstern finansiering.

Anniken Hagelund
instituttleder

Inger-Lise Schwab
kontorsjef

Vedlegg:

Kunngjøringstekst



Postdoctoral Fellow in Sociology or equivalent

There is a vacant position at the [Department of Sociology and Human Geography](#) for a Postdoctoral Fellow (SKO 1352) in Sociology or equivalent. The position is for a period of 2.5 years.

Job description

The position is part of the research project 'Transnationalisation of anti-immigration movements in Europe (Anti-Mig)' (<https://www.prio.org/News/Item/?x=2495>) funded by the Research Council of Norway (RCN). The Anti-Mig project aims to examine the transnational dimensions of anti-immigration movements, the interplay between informal mobilization and formal institutions, and the resulting societal change. Three overall concerns inform the project's research questions: a focus on interactions, framing, and outcomes. With a combination of survey data, internet based data, face-to-face-interviews and case studies, the project will highlight the transnational dimensions of the anti-migration movement in five European countries: Norway, Germany, Poland, Italy and the UK.

The Anti-Mig project will raise questions such as: What are the main forms of – and platforms for – transnational interaction among anti-immigration movements, and what impact does transnational interaction have on alliance-building? What is the dominant political-ideological framing of anti-immigration movements, and how are frames diffused transnationally while simultaneously adapted to specific national contexts? What are the main outcomes pursued by the anti-immigration movement, to what extent are those shared transnationally, and does movement success in one country enhance the likelihood of success elsewhere?

The successful candidate will primarily contribute to WP4 with responsibility for the case studies in Poland and Germany.

The Anti-Mig project is collaborative research project led by Kristian Berg Harpviken at PRIO, and with participating researchers from UiO (Katrine Fangen at the Department of Sociology and Human Geography and Pietro Castelli at C-REX) and the University of Sussex (Alexandra Lewicki).

Qualification requirements and personal skills

Applicants must hold a degree equivalent to a Norwegian doctoral degree in Sociology or related fields. The doctoral dissertation must be submitted for evaluation by the closing application date. Appointment is dependent on the public defense of the doctoral thesis being approved.

The following criteria will be used to evaluate candidates:

- Applicants must have the capacity for independent academic research at a high level, preferably documented through publications in international journals.
- Applicants must have thorough knowledge about the literature on social movement studies and/or anti-immigration movements in general.
- Applicants must have advanced knowledge of relevant qualitative and/or quantitative research (e.g., internet based data, face-to-face interviews and survey data).
- Applicants must have excellent written proficiency in English. German and/or Polish language skills are seen as a clear advantage. Proficiency in Norwegian is helpful for working in a Norwegian institution, but is not a requirement for this position.

The successful candidate will have the opportunity to apply to the RCN for additional funding in order to finance residence at a foreign institution (up to six months). Residence in Norway when not participating in data collection is otherwise expected.

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How to apply

The application must include

- Application letter (up to 3 pages). Please describe your motivation for applying for this position and explain how your background, research, and experience is relevant to the project
- CV summarizing education, positions, research experience, and other qualifying activities
- A complete list of publications
- Copies of educational certificates (academic transcripts only)
- Up to five academic works that the applicant wishes to have considered in the assessment process (a doctoral dissertation or a monograph will count as three publications)

The application with attachments must be delivered in our electronic recruiting system, please follow the link "apply for this job". Foreign applicants are advised to attach an explanation of their University's grading system. Please note that all documents should be in English (or a Scandinavian language).

In assessing applications, particular emphasis will be placed upon the academic and personal capacity of the candidate to contribute to the project within the given timeframe, to interact within national and international networks, and to be part of a dynamic research group. Interviews with the best qualified candidates will be arranged. It is expected that the successful candidate will be able to complete the project in the course of the period of employment.

Formal regulations

Please see the guidelines and regulations for appointments to Postdoctoral fellowships at the University of Oslo.

No one can be appointed for more than one specified period as post doc at the same institution. According to the Norwegian Freedom and Information Act (Offentleglova) information about the applicant may be included in the public applicant list, also in cases where the applicant has requested non-disclosure.

The University of Oslo has an agreement for all employees, aiming to secure rights to research results [link to webpage].

The University of Oslo aims to achieve a balanced gender composition in the workforce and to recruit people with ethnic minority backgrounds.

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