

Selma Stern Research Fellowship for Postdoctoral Researchers

The Selma Stern Center for Jewish Studies Berlin-Brandenburg promotes research collaborations between excellent international scholars and researchers of the Center.

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In brief

Postdoctoral Researchers of all nationalities and in all fields of Jewish Studies can carry out part of their research project in cooperation with an academic host (member or affiliated scholar of the Selma Stern Center for Jewish Studies Berlin-Brandenburg).

Who can apply?

Postdocs with

- an outstanding doctorate degree completed less than three years ago
- a research project in one of the following research areas of the Selma Stern Center:
 - o Das monotheistische Dreieck /The monotheistic triangle
 - o Zeugenschaft – Memorialkultur (nach) der Shoah/Bearing witness – Memorial Culture after the Shoah
 - o Sefardische Perspektiven/Sephardic Perspectives
 - o Diaspora – Migration – Transnationalität /Diaspora – Migration – Transnationalism
- good language proficiency in German and English

Further requirements

Applicants must present a research project in one of the above fields, a list of relevant publications, as well as a collaboration agreement with one of the (affiliated) researchers of the center/member of the Kollegium Jüdische Studien Berlin-Brandenburg, who is located in Berlin or Brandenburg. This should contain a common research question and a detailed working plan.

Type and extent of funding

Fellowship of 2,000 euros per month.

Other payments cannot be made.

Duration

1 to 3 months in winter term (October to February).

Application

Two selection rounds per year: Deadline June 30 for a stay in winter term or November 30 for a stay in summer term of the following year; applications can be submitted by email.

They include a CV, a list of publications, a brief description of the Postdoc-research project with a proposal for collaboration with one of the research areas of the center, a detailed working plan and the collaboration agreement (not more than 5 pages).

Selection

Members of the selection committee are

- Members of the directory board
- Senior Research Fellows of the Center
- Postdoc researchers of the Center

Sending your application

The application period for winter term 2019/20 ends on June 30, 2019.

Please submit an electronic version (in one file only) and send these to:

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