



At HafenCity University Hamburg is subject to the provision of found by the donor is seeking to fill the following position in the field of architecture planning as of 01.03.2025

Research Associate (m/f/d) – in the project: „ARTILACS - Artistic Intelligence in Latent Creative Spaces“

Pay group 13 TV-L

to support research with 50% of the regular weekly working time. The position is a fixed-term appointment until December. 31, 2027.

About us

The HafenCity University Hamburg, University of Architecture and Metropolitan Development (HCU) is a university that focuses on the built environment. The HCU unites all aspects of building and design, engineering, and natural sciences as well as geoscientific and social sciences under one roof.

The Research Training Group ARTILACS - Artistic Intelligence in Latent Creative Spaces focuses on the concept of “Artistic Intelligence”. This addresses a critical-affirmative examination of developments in artificial intelligence (AI) in the context of artistic practice. ARTILACS aims to investigate the extent to which a hybrid combination of AI-supported, latent spaces and traditional knowledge spaces opens up opportunities for new forms of creativity and knowledge in artistic practice, which can be methodologically summarized in the concept of 'Artistic Intelligence'. Four Hamburg universities (HafenCity University, University of Applied Sciences, University of Fine Arts and University of Music and Theater) as well as the University of Lübeck and the University of Music Lübeck are cooperating to shed light on the topic in the context of different artistic practices. The PhD project, which is part of the research group at the HCU, will focus on AI-supported design processes in the creative practice of architects. Anchored in architectural ethnography, this sub-project is dedicated to the use of AI in the field of architecture in the sense of research on the arts.

The position is assigned to the Professorship of Prof. Dr. Ing- Sabine Hansmann.

Here you can find further information about the [HCU](#) and the [Arbeitgeberin Freie und Hansestadt Hamburg](#) as an employer.

Your tasks

- conducting an architectural research project with an ethnographic approach to AI and design practice
- participation in the joint project in the form of participation, organization and involvement in seminars, symposia and colloquia
- implementation of courses
- networking and collaboration between the partner universities and, in particular, the individual members of the Research Training Group
- implementation of and participation in artistic projects in connection with the Research Training Group

Your profile

mandatory requirements

- an academic university degree (master's degree or comparable) in architecture, anthropology or a comparable field of study

additional requirements

- skills and experience in scientific work processes in the field of architectural science
- knowledge in the field of architectural ethnography
- commitment and enjoyment of interdisciplinary exchange
- Strong organizational and communication skills, initiative and independent working style
- high interest in current developments in the field of AI is expected
- very good written and spoken German and English skills

Benefits

- workplace at an attractive location in HafenCity
- varied work in a university environment in cooperation with international scientific partners
- a family-friendly university that supports its employees in balancing work and family life
- support for professional and personal development through a wide range of training and continuing education opportunities
- other benefits such as discounts in the student union canteens.

How to apply

In addition to an informative cover letter in which you explain to what extent you meet the requirements profile, we need the following documents from you:

- curriculum vitae in tabular form,
- proof of vocational training,
- current appraisal or current certificate (see also notes on the application and selection process),
- relevant proof of further training,
- proof of a severe disability or equal status in the selection process,
- declaration of consent to inspect your personnel file, stating the office responsible for your personnel file (only for applicants from the public sector).

For questions and further information, do not hesitate to contact Prof. Dr.-Ing. Sabine Hansmann, +49 40 428275366.

The applicant's classification in regard to the level of experience within the advertised TV-L pay group is based on the candidate's individual work experience and reviewed by the HR department. Legally binding statements can only be made by the HR department of the HCU.

Please send your application (including CV, cover letter, and copies of relevant certificates), no later than 29.01.2025 (preferably by email as one PDF file) to:

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Personalverwaltung
Stellen-Nr.: 2025-03
Henning-Voscherau-Platz 1
20457 Hamburg
E-Mail: HCU-bewerbung@vw.hcu-hamburg.de

Please include the reference number „**2025-03**“ in your application.

Please be aware that in case of an invitation to an interview, HCU will not be able to cover any expenses for travel and lodging.

Due to the high number of applicants, the HCU will not be able to return application documents. Therefore, please do not submit originals of certificates. If you add a post-paid envelope, the HCU will return your application documents.