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Job Description:
- Participation in research, teaching and administration in the field of Austrian Politics and EU
- Writing a dissertation
- We expect the successful candidate to sign a doctoral thesis agreement within 12 months
- Contribution to research projects and to the acquisition of externally funded projects
- Contribution to publications / academic articles / presentations
- Contribution to organisation of conferences, meetings, symposiums
- Holding classes due to extent regulations of wage agreement
- Examination activities
- Support of students
- Participation in evaluation activities and in quality assurance
- Involvement in the department administration as well as in teaching and research administration

Profile:
- University Degree (Diploma, MA) in the study field of Political Science or a related study
- Very good knowledge in the field of empirical migration and integration policies, refugee studies or political participation/protests in the context of migration
- Good knowledge of methods of empirical social research
- High command of written and oral language
- Excellent knowledge of German and English
- Computer literacy
- Joy at scientific work
- Ability to work in teams
- Experience in teaching
- Knowledge of university processes and structures
- Experience in academic publishing

Duration of employment: 4 years
Extent of Employment: 30 hours/week
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