Munich University of Applied Sciences
Fellowship Programme 2016/17

Call for Applications
Department of Mechanical, Automotive and Aeronautical Engineering

Hochschule München - Munich University of Applied Sciences (MUAS) is one of the largest universities of applied sciences in Germany. Our well-structured study programmes, excellent contacts with industry and commerce and our international profile make us a highly renowned university within Germany and Europe.

Established in 2007, the Fellowship Programme seeks to strengthen the international dimension in teaching at MUAS and to foster collaboration with our partner institutions from all over the world. The programme supports visits of international scholars to Munich for a period of one semester (i.e. 4-5 months).

For the academic year 2016/17 MUAS plans to award up to four teaching Fellowships in different disciplines.

Our Department of Mechanical, Automotive and Aeronautical Engineering invites applications from outstanding candidates with expertise in one of the following subject areas:

- Material Sciences
- Automotive Engineering
- Aerospace Engineering

Candidates’ profile
We welcome applications from senior or highly qualified junior university lecturers who hold a full-time position at a recognized academic institution (university or research institute). Applicants from MUAS partner institutions will be given preference.

Eligible candidates must be fluent in English and have a proven teaching record in one of the above subject areas. Practical work experience will be considered an advantage.

Course proposals with a special emphasis on developing students’ international and/or entrepreneurial competences as well as a qualification in education for sustainable development would be advantageous.
Duties
Selected Fellows should offer at least two courses in the designated subject areas. The expected teaching load is a minimum of eight contact hours (of 45 minutes each) per week for the period of one semester. The courses are to be taught in English.

Besides the obligatory teaching assignment, Fellows may also have the opportunity to conduct research activities in collaboration with MUAS faculty. The Fellowship can be taken up during the winter semester (from October 01, 2016 to the end of January 2017) or the summer semester (from March 15, 2017 to mid-July 2017).

Benefits
The Fellowship is remunerated with a gross total amount of up to €17,000 which includes travel expenses for a round-trip from the place of residence to Munich, a monthly allowance for accommodation of €800 and a honorarium of up to €100 per teaching hour.

In addition we will provide a comprehensive welcome service, a cultural programme and professional support in all organizational matters including visa application and accommodation search. Selected scholars will be awarded the title of “Honorary Fellow of MUAS”.

Application procedure
Applicants will be short-listed by each department for a final selection round held by a central selection board. Candidates will be assessed on the basis of their academic qualification, practical experience and the quality of their course proposals. The selection results will be announced in early March, 2016.

To apply please submit the attached application form and enclose a Curriculum Vitae, a Letter of Motivation and course proposals for at least two to four courses (preferably .pdf format).

Deadline
Applications should be submitted no later than February 01, 2016 by e-mail to international-office@hm.edu or the postal address below.

Contact
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