The Göttingen Academy of Sciences and Humanities (Akademie der Wissenschaften zu Göttingen) seeks to appoint from 1.1.2021 three research assistants (f/m/d) for the research unit of the project “Die Editio critica maior des griechischen Psalters” (“The editio critica maior of the Greek Psalter”) in Göttingen.

The posts are initially limited until 31.12.2023. Salary: E 13 TV-L, volume of work 100 %. The posts are in principle suitable for part-time work.

The aim of the Academy project, which has been running since January 1, 2020, is the systematic study of the tradition and textual history of the Septuagint Psalms, which will lead to the elaboration of a new critical edition of the Psalmi cum Odis (“Psalms and Odes”). This will be published as a printed book and also presented in digital form.

The future area of responsibility will essentially comprise two sub-areas, the setting up of a collation database and the development of a manuscript database. The collation database will be planned, developed and optimized in joint teamwork. A central task will be to enter existing collations in this database and also to create new collations. The manuscript database will also be created in joint teamwork; in this database, all the approximately 1,300 Greek Psalter manuscripts will be recorded and described.

An excellent knowledge of ancient Greek as well as of Greek palaeography and codicology is required. Experience in collating and revising manuscripts is desirable, in addition to practical experience in describing manuscripts. Existing insights into Septuagint research are advantageous.

It is expected that applicants have completed a University degree in Theology or Classical Philology and have a proven knowledge of the ancient languages (Greek, Latin, Hebrew, and Syriac if possible) and experience in dealing with Greek manuscripts.

For further information on the project see: www.septuaginta-unternehmen.de

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The Academy aims to increase the proportion of women in areas in which women are under-represented, and therefore expressly encourages qualified women to apply. The Academy is also family-friendly and promotes the compatibility of science/work and family. Severely disabled people are given special consideration if they are equally qualified.

Please send your detailed application in digital form by September 30, 2020 to the following e-mail address: adw.bewerb@gwdg.de

Travel and application costs cannot be reimbursed.

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