

Europa-Universität Flensburg (EUF) is a vibrant and dynamic university in which interdisciplinary teamwork plays a prominent role. We work, teach and research for more justice, sustainability and diversity in educational processes and systems, the economy and society, culture and the environment. EUF offers a cosmopolitan working environment that promotes intercultural understanding and international engagement.

The Department of Education in Cases of Learning Difficulties in the Institute for Special Education at Europa-Universität Flensburg seeks to fill the following position as soon as possible:

Professor of Education in Cases of Learning Difficulties (salary group W2)

In both teaching and research, this professorship will represent the entire breadth of the special pedagogical field of "Education in Cases of Learning Difficulties". We are looking for a person who has a relevant background in this field and who will design, implement and further course development in the Special Education degree component of the BA program in Educational Sciences and MA program in Special Education Teaching at EUF. Further duties include interdisciplinary cooperation in research and teaching, participation in one of the university research centers (ZeBUSS or ICES), and support in further developing the university's profile.

The department's research profile is determined by quantitative and qualitative research; hence, this professorship is expected to consider all disciplinarily extant academic theoretical approaches to knowledge acquisition, in both teaching and research. In so doing, systematic research on the nationwide discussion about changed curricula, materials and test procedures should be carried out and a research focus on support materials for inclusive subject instruction should be established. Where appropriate, ongoing research projects and partnerships should be continued on the basis of contractual ties.

Prerequisites are the willingness to take on responsibility for degree modules and degree program components, and the ability to represent all duties related to module teaching and examination tasks, as forth in the applicable regulations. For the BA programs in the educational sciences, professional training courses in the fields of prevention, diagnostics, pedagogy, didactics and andragogy in school and non-school contexts, with special reference to individual social space orientation, are to be held.

In addition, the selected candidate is expected to integrate and cooperate with regional and international tasks supporting the implementation of the UN Disability Rights Convention (UN-BRK 2006).

Prerequisites for this position are a relevant university degree (master's or comparable) in Special Education or a comparable subject, with a focus on intellectual development; an outstanding (*qualifizierte*) relevant doctorate and additional academic research achievements, as obtained through a positively evaluated junior professorship, a postdoctoral lecturing qualification (*Habilitation*), or equivalent academic achievements. In addition, university-level teaching skills, the willingness to teach courses given in English, and the willingness to participate in the university's self-governing bodies are desired. Articles 61-63 of the Higher Education Act of the German federal state of Schleswig-Holstein shall further apply.

Europa-Universität Flensburg has a balanced gender ratio (m/f) with respect to its employee status group for university lecturers, and would like to further promote employee diversity with respect to the trajectories and competencies of its staff. Applications from persons with a migration background are explicitly welcomed. Severely disabled applicants with adequate qualifications will be given preference.

For further information, please contact the Head of the Institute for Special Education, Prof. Dr. Kirsten Diehl (kirsten.diehl@uni-flensburg.de). Applications with the usual documents (certificates, references, and a description of the candidates research and teaching to date) must be received by EUF no later than **17.12.2020** and should be sent to: Europa-Universität Flensburg, Office of the President, Prof. Dr. Werner Reinhart, personal/confidential, **Kennziffer 032116**, Auf dem Campus 1, 24943 Flensburg. Applications sent via email must be submitted in PDF form (maximum two files per applicant) to bewerbung@uni-flensburg.de. Kindly note that paper applications or those submitted on an electronic storage device (CD-ROM or USB stick) cannot be returned to applicants after the hiring process. EUF expressly renounces the use of CV photographs and kindly asks applicants to refrain from providing one.