INSTITUTION: University of Warsaw, Faculty of Philosophy and Sociology, Institute of

Philosophy, Chair of History of Modern Philosophy

CITY: Warsaw, Poland

POSITION: assistant; from 1 October 2018 to 31 September 2010

DISCIPLINE: Philosophy POSTED: 16 March 2018

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DESCRIPTION (field, expectations, comments):

The Chair of History of Modern Philosophy at the Institute of Philosophy (University of Warsaw) engages in educational, research and organizational activities.

Educational activities take the form of lectures, tutorials, seminars and translation courses. The Chair offers also courses on general university level. The courses offered cover central topics in the history of Modern Philosophy (lectures and tutorials in Polish and English), selected advanced issues in Modern Philosophy, Philosophy of Mind, Logic and Metaphysics (lectures and tutorials in Polish and English). The members of the Chair also offer advanced courses (seminars and monographic lectures) on a variety of topics in both modern and contemporary philosophy (phenomenology, epistemology, philosophy of language and mind, philosophy of history, social philosophy, philosophical problems in cognitive science).

The candidate for the assistant lecturer position in Modern Philosophy Chair is expected to be very well educated both in the history of Modern Philosophy and in central issues of systematic philosophy studied by contemporary philosophers. It is also required that the candidate possesses experience in teaching courses with a wide thematic spectrum.

The research activity of the Chair focuses on the following areas: (1) Main problems of Modern Philosophy from 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> Century, both in theoretical philosophy (metaphysics, epistemology, philosophy of mind) and in practical philosophy (ethics, social philosophy, philosophy of history, political philosophy); (2) Selected issues of contemporary philosophy: pragmatism and neopragmatism, phenomenology, structuralism and post-structuralism, problems in analytic philosophy related to classical modern metaphysics and epistemology (e.g. metaphysics of modality), intersections of philosophy and cognitive science. The members of the Chair offer advanced courses on these topics, engage in research projects and publish the results of their research in form of books and papers.

It is expected that the candidate for the assistant lecturer position be interested in pursuing lines of research corresponding to the above sketched profile of the Chair, as well as that she/he possesses experience in team work.

### The candidate is required to:

- 1. have a PhD degree in philosophy or to have submitted a doctoral dissertation in philosophy, approved by the supervisor of the thesis;
- 2. have interest and scientific achievements in the history of Modern Philosophy;
- 3. be fluent in English and at least one of the following two: French, German;
- 4. be able to speak Polish on the level that enables holding academic lectures;
- 5. have experience in running academic courses in philosophy;
- 6. have a record of high standard scientific publications.

The candidate must fulfil requirements specified in Art. 114 paragraph 6 of the Act on Academic Education of 27 July 2005, Official Journal No. 164 item 1365 with further changes.

## The application should include:

- 1) application letter addressed to the Vice-Rector of the University of Warsaw, prof. dr hab. Andrzej Tarlecki, with the following note: *I hereby give consent for my personal data to be processed for the purposes of recruitment, in accordance with the Personal Data Protection Act dated 29th August 1997 (Journal of Laws of the Republic of Poland 2016, item 922)*
- 2) personal data form with a photo and e-mail address
- 3) curriculum vitae
- 4) list of publications
- 5) two reference letters from post-doctoral academic scientists (at least one of them should be affiliated outside the University of Warsaw)
- 6) doctoral diploma or a document certifying that the candidate has submitted his doctoral dissertation and that it has been approved by the supervisor of the thesis.
- 7) record of employment

Important information! All the documents should be submitted in a printed and in a digital version and sent (in the form of pdf-files) at the address: <a href="mailto:dziekanat.wfis@uw.edu.pl">dziekanat.wfis@uw.edu.pl</a>

## The applications should be submitted to:

Office of the Dean, Faculty of Philosophy and Sociology, Warsaw University ul. Nowy Świat 69, 00-927 Warszawa (room 170, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor)

Important information! Only complete applications that meet formal requirements will be processed.

# The successful candidate will be singled-out by 24 May 2018

(Information about the results of the application process will be sent to candidates per e-mail).

This application process constitutes the first stage of the recruitment and employment procedure for the position of an academic teacher stipulated by the Charter of the University of Warsaw (Art. 88-91a, Art. 93-94). A positive outcome of the application process is the basis for further procedure.

## **Information clause**

- 1. Your personal data is administered by the University of Warsaw (the Controller), with the headquarters in Warsaw at Krakowskie Przedmieście 26/28;
- 2. Your personal data will be processed for the purpose of the selection;
- 3. The provision of personal data is voluntary yet necessary for the achievement of the purposes for which they have been collected;
- 4. The personal data provided will not be made available to external entities, except for the cases provided for by law;
- 5. You have the right to access your personal data as well as the right to correct and delete data and withdraw your consent for processing at any time.

Important information! The University does not provide for accommodation.

Dean of the Faculty of Philosophy and Sociology UW