

Residency. Is permanent residency in Hamburg a requirement? The project aims to profit from collaborative research, be that in the context of a weekly research seminar or over a coffee break. For this reason, members of the project should typically be present in Hamburg around 3 days a week. There may be times when the project is less active, possibly a month during summer, where an additional absence from Hamburg might be negotiable.

Teaching. There are no teaching obligations, but it should be possible to teach if one wishes to do so. Courses can be taught in English.

Activities. The project organizes smaller workshops and larger conferences. There will be a weekly research seminar, in which the members can discuss their own work or invite other researchers to present work related to the project. There might also be seminars which are open to (mostly graduate) students of the faculty where recent papers/books are discussed. Of course, one can participate in all events at Hamburg's department of philosophy.

Language. The language of the project is English. Nevertheless, it might still be a good idea to learn some German, not only for private reasons, but also because it might help in dealing with the university's administration.

Starting date. There is some flexibility regarding the starting date, but not too much (possibly between 2-3 months).

Anonymous review. The applications are evaluated in a two-step process. In step one, the project proposal and the writing sample are subjected to blind review. We hope that this helps in reducing biases in evaluating job applications.

Background. The project is a project in philosophy, so an applicant should have a sufficiently strong background in philosophy and be committed to pursue research in philosophy. The project would greatly profit from additional backgrounds in neighbouring fields such as mathematics, economics or psychology. Ultimately, what matters most is how well an applicant's background and current research interests fit with the project's main topics. Various different type of backgrounds could make for a great fit. Unfortunately, there is no general way of classifying appropriate backgrounds. Decisions will be made by assessing each application individually.