



Faculty/Departement /Humanities
Seminar/Institute Systematic Musicology

Universität Hamburg invites applications for two Research Associates for the project “**Slow Motion: Transformations of Musical Time in Perception and Performance**” in accordance with Section 28 subsection 3 of the Hamburg Higher Education Act (Hamburgisches Hochschulgesetz, HmbHG). The position commences on 1 February 2019.

It is remunerated at the salary level TV-L 13 and calls for 65 % of standard work hours per week*.

The fixed-term nature of this contract is based upon Section 2 of the Academic Fixed-Term Labor Contract Act (Wissenschaftszeitvertragsgesetz, WissZeitVG). The term is fixed for a period of 3 years (February 2019-March 2022).

The University aims to increase the number of women in research and teaching and explicitly encourages qualified women to apply. Equally qualified female applicants will receive preference in accordance with the Hamburg Equality Act (Hamburgisches Gleichstellungsgesetz, HmbGleiG).

Responsibilities:

Duties include academic services in the project named above. Research associates can also pursue independent research and further academic qualifications.

Specific Duties:

Two PhD positions are available. The successful candidates will work in the ERC project SloMo at the Institute of Systematic Musicology. In collaboration with an international network of experts, the SloMo team investigates the perception and production of slow movement in music and dance, using a variety of empirical methods including motion capture, eye tracking, and physiological responses. The PhD students will carry out a number of experimental studies in accordance with the goals of the SloMo project. They will run experimental sessions, analyse data, and contribute significantly to presentations and publications.

Requirements:

A university degree in a relevant field. A strong background in music or dance psychology, music science, psychology or a related field is required. Very good skills in quantitative research methods, specifically statistics, as well as proficient English language skills are also necessary. Programming experience (e.g. Matlab) and/or experiences in motion capture or neuroscience are beneficial. German language skills are not required.

* Full-time positions currently comprise 39 hours per week.



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Severely disabled applicants will receive preference over equally qualified non-disabled applicants.

For further information, please contact Prof. Dr. Clemens Wöllner or consult our website at <https://www.slomo.uni-hamburg.de>.

Applications should include a cover letter, curriculum vitae, and copies of degree certificate(s). The application deadline is 23 September 2018. Interviews will be held in October 2018. Please send applications to: SloMo.gwiss@uni-hamburg.de.