



The Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin is one of the largest university hospitals in Europe representing a single medical faculty that serves both Humboldt Universität zu Berlin and Freie Universität Berlin. Clinical care, research and teaching is delivered by physicians and researchers of the highest international standard. The Charité extends over four campuses, and has close to 100 different Departments and Institutes, which form a total of 17 different CharitéCenters.

The Institute for the History of Medicine and Ethics in Medicine at the CharitéCenter CC 01 Health and Human Sciences invites applications for the following position:

W2 Professorship for History of Medicine
(W2 fixed term 5 years; with tenure track to W3)
Salary group: W2 BBesG-ÜfBE
(Reference number 550/2020)

The Institute for the History of Medicine and Ethics in Medicine at the Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin is one of the leading research institutes for the history of medicine in the German-speaking area. In the tradition of excellence for research and teaching, Charité is looking for a personality with outstanding scientific credentials who, together with the perspective as next scientific director, will ensure and advance a future oriented profile for the institute. So far a main focus of research has been on research into medicine during National Socialism as well as research on the history of psychiatry. Also regarding the history of hospitals and historical research into medical records important contributions were made. New individual focal points and thematic extensions for research are possible and desirable.

The professorship is to represent the entire breadth of the field of history of medicine in research and teaching, as well as contribute to its further development. Main tasks of the future jobholder encompass i.a.:

- Collaboration in the further development of the undergraduate and main study programs at the Charité
- Cooperation with Humboldt Universität and Freie Universität in Berlin
- Participation in relevant research networks at the Charité (www.charite.de), the BIH (www.bihealth.org) as well as interfaculty research collaborations
- Commitment to research on the history of the Charité and its historical reappraisal is desirable

We expect from applicants:

- to have an outstanding track record in the field of history of medicine or science
- to have international visibility demonstrated by relevant publications and scientific cooperations
- to have a strong record for the acquisition of third party funding
- to have got excellent didactical skills and a high commitment to teaching

Formal requirements for this position as per § 100 Berlin Higher Education Act (BerlHG) are a junior professorship or postdoctoral thesis (Habilitation), or equivalent scientific achievements; successfully completed university studies and doctorate, preferably in the field of history of medicine or science

The W2 professorship is fixed term (5 years) with tenure track to a tenured W3 position based on a successful evaluation. The possible tenure of the professorship will be connected with the taking over the position as next scientific director of the institute. The necessary leadership skills are to be acquired during the tenure-track phase. Performance criteria, processes and evaluation procedures are regulated in the Tenure Track Statutes of the Charité. www.charite.de/tenuretrack.

Charité is committed to increasing the proportion of women among the scientific staff. We therefore strongly encourage women to apply. Women will be given preference over equally qualified men (within the framework of the legal possibilities). We value diversity and therefore welcome all applications - regardless of gender, nationality, social background, religion or age. Equally qualified applicants with disabilities will be given preference. MDC and Charité are certified by the audits "family-friendly university" or respectively "work and family" and are members of the "Dual Career Network Berlin" (www.dualcareer-berlin.de).

Written applications according to the format specified on <https://career.charite.de/am/calls/Bewerbungshinweise.pdf> should be submitted by **18.06.2020** under <https://career.charite.de>.

Further questions regarding the professorship, should be directed to the Dean of the Faculty Prof. Dr. Axel R. Pries. Questions regarding the application process please contact berufungen@charite.de.