

As the largest university of applied sciences in Swabia, the focus of the Augsburg University of Applied Sciences' work lies on quality, personality, openness and partnership. Our mandate is to develop personalities that are sought after in business and society.

The following position (salary grade W2) is available at the Augsburg University of Applied Sciences' Faculty of Design from winter semester 2017 / 18 or later:

Professorship for »Type« (m/f)

The Faculty of Design has a long tradition in the subject of type and type design, and wishes to continue this tradition into the media future. The candidate should therefore be capable of representing the broad range of topics within the subject of type.

We are looking for an outstanding designer personality, active nationally and internationally, with teaching experience.

We expect professional experience in type design with proven type publications, ability to use relevant type design tools, and broad knowledge in the field of the technological development of type.

Intensive analysis of type-related issues today, both in design (type design) and application (typography), is a prerequisite.

The same applies to the indepth examination of and reflection on type history, historical developments and applications of type also in craft-related contexts.

The candidate should strengthen the interdisciplinary media and design profile of the Faculty of Design and demonstrate willingness to perform applied research.

The ability to hold lessons in both German and English is required.

Tasks will also include active cooperation in the further development of the faculty and in the self-administration of the University. Furthermore, we expect involvement in projects of applied research and in the field of technology and knowledge transfer at the Augsburg University of Applied Sciences.

Requirements for employment:

A completed course of study at a university of applied sciences and teaching aptitude are requirements for this position. In addition, the candidate must possess the particular ability to perform academic work, which can generally be demonstrated by the quality of a PhD. The particular ability to perform artistic and /or applied academic work can also be demonstrated by certificates of PhD-comparable achievements.

Furthermore, particular accomplishments in applying or developing academic knowledge and methods in the context of at least five years' professional experience, which must have been obtained after completion of the course of study and at least three years of which must have been gained outside of higher education institutions, are required. In exceptional cases, if a significant portion of professional duties were a cooperation between a higher education institution and external professional practice over a period of at least five years, this can be taken as evidence of professional practice gained outside of higher education institutions.

Appointment to the civil service can take place for anyone who is not yet over the age of 52. The Augsburg University of Applied Sciences promotes the equality of women in the workplace and strives to increase the proportion of women, particularly in the academic sector. Therefore, we expressly call on women to apply.

In the case of broadly equal suitability, ability and professional achievements, severely disabled candidates are given preference.

Please observe the detailed employment requirements under:
www.hs-augsburg.de/hochschule/stellenmarkt.

Please send your informative application with evidence of your professional career as well as your design-related and academic work by post to the

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The deadline for applications is the 28 November 2016 (receipt by the University)

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