## The Leibniz Institute of European History (IEG) awards

## **Research fellowships for international postdocs**

for a research stay in Mainz from January 2015 or later.

## Profile

Research projects should take for at least 6 months and up to 12 months. Funding is currently € 1800/month. Applications are invited from young scientists (esp. history and theology) of any national background working on any historical subject, who want to establish a new research project after having finished dissertation. Fellows can pursue their individual project in an inspiring atmosphere. The research fellowship programme of the IEG combines research, training, and international networking.

Applicants must have completed the doctoral procedure but it should

not date back for more than three years when taking up the fellowship. Fellows should have a solid command of German so as to participate in discussions at the Institute. The Institute's specialist library and the wider academic infrastructure of Mainz are available to them for their research. Fellows are obliged to register officially in Mainz and take part in events at the Institute. It is possible to live at the Institute in Mainz. Short trips to archives, libraries and conferences are possible. Fellows are not permitted to undertake paid work while receiving the IEG-scholarship.

## Requirements

The IEG promotes research on the historical foundations of Europe from the early modern period to contemporary history. The central theme of the IEG's research programme is: negotiating difference – enabling, establishing and confronting religious, political, and social differences in early modern and modern Europe (http://www.ieg-mainz.de/forschungsbereiche). Fellows should have strong interest to discuss and to collaborate with the academic staff of the IEG. Projects referring to one of the research areas of the IEG are therefore specifically welcome. This applies in particular to projects focusing on questions related to theology, church history and intellectual history.

Please send your application via e-mail (ieg3@ieg-mainz.de) to: Leibniz-Institut für Europäische Geschichte Die Direktoren | Prof. Dr. Irene Dingel und Prof. Dr. Johannes Paulmann Subject: Stipendienbewerbung

Please attach (as one file) the application form (download: http://www.ieg-mainz.de/stipendienprogramm) including

- curriculum vitae; list of publications (if available)
- brief description of the proposed project with a detailed working plan and schedule for the intended stay at the Institute (5–6 pages, up to 1500 words)

In addition, please direct prior to the application deadline via air mail:

- copies of university transcripts
- expertise on the proposed research project by the mentor of the postdoc project (in closed envelope or to be sent directly by the referee to the IEG) – general letters of recommendation will not be accepted –
- a copy of the completed dissertation on a data carrier

Please note that applications submitted late or incomplete cannot be taken into consideration.

Contact:

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For further information on the fellowship program and application see: www.ieg-mainz.de/stipendienprogramm



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The deadline for applications is August 1<sup>st</sup> 2014.