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At the Institute of Architecture and Landscape, led by Univ.-Prof. Klaus K. Loenhart, within the Faculty of Architecture of the Graz University of Technology, Austria, we announce an

## open position for an Assistant Professor (50%)

to be appointed presumably by July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020. The post is designated as a replacement for maternity leave. The closing date for applications is May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020.

## Your future tasks

The focus of the research and teaching at the i a&l – Institute of Architecture and Landscape – lies on present and future challenges at the interplay of built and natural environment. It investigates the processes and consequences of planetary transformation in regard to changing climates, resource scarcity and societal change. For these challenges, new inclusive and systemic design strategies on both local and global scale are to be imagined. Focus and research areas include urban and rural planning based on climate design, plant agency, biomimicry, future energy and future food – all within its social practice. The institute is part of a close network of national and international researchers in the fields of design and innovation. In this context the Assistant Professorship will be in charge of initiating and managing research projects, as well as engaging with the institute's teaching agenda (bachelor and master programmes in architecture). The proposal of a Ph.D. project within the research areas of the institute will be supported. The institute offers a vibrant and particularly cross-disciplinary atmosphere as well as ideal conditions for continuing education as part of a young and dynamic team.

## Your profile

The applicant should hold a master's degree (or equivalent) with degrees in architecture and/or landscape architecture or closely related fields. We are looking for applicants with outstanding capabilities and experiences in the conception and design of projects in the interface of architecture, landscape and urban design. Teaching experience in areas relevant to the institute is appreciated. The applicant should be a team-player, show interest in cross-disciplinary collaboration, and have joy and dedication in teaching. As the working language is mostly English, the applicant should have an excellent command of English (C1 or above, written and spoken), excellent knowledge of German or the motivation to learn German.

We would like to specifically encourage potential applicants with experience and interest in at least one of the following fields to submit their application:

- Landscape urbanism
- Systemic, ecological and performance-based design
- Botany and biodiversity (climatic and vegetative performance)
- Graphics and mapping techniques (analogue and digital)
- Extended and experimental conceptions of architecture
- Subject-specific software (CAD, Adobe Creative Suite, GIS, 3D modelling and simulation software, AI)

Graz University of Technology aims to increase the number of female employees at the university. Accordingly, we strongly encourage female researchers to apply for this position.

## Contact

Please send your application including the usual documents (motivation letter, CV, portfolio, letters of recommendation, official overview of grades, copy of degrees) naming the position as well as the code 1530/20/008 to:

Graz University of Technology Dean of the Faculty of Architecture Univ.-Prof. Dipl.Arch. BDA Petra Petersson Rechbauerstraße 12 8010 Graz Austria

or by e-mail to: dekarch@tugraz.at

Closing date for applications: May 31st, 2020 Code: 1530/20/008 The application has to arrive on the closing date at the latest!

We are looking forward to receiving your application! www.ial.tugraz.at www.mibla.tugraz.at



