



## **Call for Applications**

### **Dorothea Schlözer Postdoctoral Programme for female postdocs**

The Presidential Board of the Georg-August-University Göttingen - Public Law Foundation - offers support for young academics in the form of

**3 positions (TV-L 13, 100%, term of 2 years)**

one of which is offered at the University Medical Center (UMG), for female postdocs.

The positions are awarded on the basis of a project proposal and aim to provide the opportunity to further develop independent research and prepare future third party funding. The development of an individual research profile and relevant academic skills is considered part of this process. The successful candidates will be supported in professional orientation and career development through appropriate offers.

Those eligible to apply are female postdocs, who are planning to conduct or are already conducting a research project at the Georg-August-University (including the University Medical Center) in one of the following faculties:

- Faculty of Humanities
- Faculty of Social Sciences
- Faculty of Theology
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Economic Sciences
- University Medical Center (UMG)

At the time of application, the doctorate must have been completed successfully. Preference will be given to candidates in the first postdoctoral phase, whose doctorate has been completed no longer than three years ago. However, application is also possible if the doctorate has been completed more than three years ago. If this is the case, the applicant should state reasons why she is still to be assigned to the first postdoctoral phase. Periods of childcare and/ or care of relatives will be taken into account.

The Dorothea Schlözer Postdoc Programme is part of the Dorothea Schlözer Programme. The programme was set up by Göttingen University in April 2009 to promote equal opportunities and diversity amongst the staff at the Göttingen Campus. The positions will be awarded by the Presidential Board. There are options for part-time positions and contract extensions for scientists with caretaking responsibilities (for children or relatives).

The application deadline is **April 20<sup>th</sup> 2026**.

For a list of documents which are to be provided with your application please visit our [website](#).

Please submit your application with all documents summarized in one pdf document until April 20<sup>th</sup> 2026 **via email to [nina.guelcher@zvw.uni-goettingen.de](mailto:nina.guelcher@zvw.uni-goettingen.de)**.

Applicants will be informed about the board's decision by the end of July 2026. The positions are scheduled to start on **October 1<sup>st</sup> 2026**.

By accepting the position, the position holder commits to reporting on her research progress regularly, taking up offers of further training opportunities (especially the Dorothea Schlözer Career Coaching and Mentoring Programmes), and participating in evaluation procedures. The position also includes teaching responsibilities amounting to four semester periods per week (research-oriented teaching as well as teaching that complements the teaching portfolio).

If you have any **questions about the Postdoctoral Programme**, please contact the programme director at the Equal Opportunities and Diversity Unit: Dr. Nina Gülcher, [nina.guelcher@zvw.uni-goettingen.de](mailto:nina.guelcher@zvw.uni-goettingen.de).

Further information is also available on the [programme's website](#).

Please note:

With submission of your application, you accept the processing of your applicant data in terms of data-protection law. Further information on the legal basis and data usage is provided in the "[Hinweisblatt zur Datenschutzgrundverordnung \(DSGVO\)](#)"

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