

Position available at Sciences Po Full Professorship in the History of Asia

JOB DESCRIPTION

Status: Candidates must have the status of a full professor, or be in an equivalent position at a foreign university at the time of recruitment.

Discipline: History of Asia

The Center of History at Sciences Po Paris invites applications for a position of full Professor in the history of Asia. This position aims at reinforcing the international development of the Center of history at Sciences Po.

All areas of research in the history of Asia are concerned, with a preference for the political history of the 20th century, understood in the broadest sense of the term, so as to fit as well as possible into the main fields of research of the Center of history. Preference is given to the history of South Asia, South-East Asia and East Asia.

Candidates should have a strong international profile based on their research, their professional activities, their teaching experience, their publications and their linguistic competence in one or several languages spoken in Asia. A solid field experience and a good knowledge of local archives are required.

A working knowledge of English is indispensable.

DUTIES

Research

The candidate is expected to demonstrate her/his ability to conduct innovative and internationally recognized research. Candidates must also be well-integrated into the most relevant international scientific networks. The ability to raise funds for research, including on behalf of her/his doctoral students, will be an asset. The newly-selected Professor will fully participate in the training of graduate students and the supervision of Ph.D. dissertations.

Teaching

Annual teaching duties are 128 master class-equivalent (CM) hours that can be divided into three 24-hour master classes and 56 CM hours of complementary pedagogical services (1 CM hour = 6.3 hours) at the three levels of teaching offered by Sciences Po: its college program (on the campus of Paris or one of the regional campuses — especially that of Le Havre, which offers a specialization in Asian studies.), its Master's program and its Doctoral School.

The ability of the candidate to teach in areas and objects that go beyond the strict limits of her/his research interests and her/his knowledge of international debates in history will be particularly appreciated.

Candidates must have a command of English since they will have to teach in this language.

RECRUITMENT PROCESS

Pre-qualification

Non-French candidates or professors teaching in non-French institutions who are not certified by the National Council of Universities (CNU) must obtain the approval of the Scientific Council of Sciences Po so as to be eligible for this position. These candidates should indicate their intent to apply by writing to Professor Marc Lazar (marc.lazar@sciences-po.fr) before May 9, 2017.

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Application

All potential candidates are invited to get in touch with Professor Marc Lazar, director of the Center for History (marc.lazar@sciencespo.fr) by sending a letter of intent, a CV and a selection of publications.

Applicants must complete their application on the "Galaxy" portal of the Ministry of Higher Education and Research in June 2017 :

https://www.galaxie.enseignementsup-recherche.gouv.fr/ensup/candidats.html

This application must include the following documents:

- A cover letter presenting research projects that the applicant intends to pursue;
- A CV and a complete list of publications;
- 3 prominent publications;
- A synopsis of courses taught and, if possible, course evaluations.

Applications must also be electronically submitted to Marc Lazar, the president of the selection committee, to the following email address: marc.lazar@sciencespo.fr, as well as to Sciences Po's academic centre: drh.poleacademique@sciencespo.fr.

The selection committee will examine applications and proceed to a short list of candidates who will be interviewed at Sciences Po.

The application review will be conducted in July 2017.

Auditions will be held in the Fall of 2017.

The appointment can start as early as January 1, 2018.

UNIT OF AFFILIATION

Centre d'Histoire de Sciences Po

http://chsp.sciences-po.fr/

The Center for History of Sciences Po (CHSP) is the Research Center of Contemporary History of the Fondation Nationale des Sciences Politiques

CONTACTS

President of the selection committee

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Sciences Po is an institution of higher education and research in the humanities and social sciences. Its permanent research community – 210 professors and researchers – is built around 12 established and internationally recognized entities (including 5 units jointly run with the National Center for Scientific Research - CNRS), and is divided into 5 academic departments (Sociology, Political Science, History, Economics, and Law).

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