Call for course proposals in the elective program Women’s and Gender Studies for the academic year 2014/15 at the Alpen-Adria-Universität Klagenfurt

Please send your application documents to the Centre for Women’s and Gender Studies at the Alpen-Adria-Universität Klagenfurt by Email only (gender.zentrum@uni-klu.ac.at). The deadline for applications is December, 9th 2013.

The commission is announcing 10 courses (two semester hours per week each) in the following topic areas:

- 1 course in the module Introduction
- 2 courses in the module Living Space/ Lebensraum
- 2 courses in the module Historicity – Memory – Experience
- 1 course in the module Communication – Representation
- 3 courses in the module Body – Psyche – Physicality
- 1 course in the module Technology

For more information on the modules please get in touch with Utta Isop at the Center for Women’s and Gender Studies (gender.zentrum@uni-klu.ac.at).

We kindly request lecturers to appropriately address wide diversity of our students in the elective program Women’s and Gender Studies: they study in different faculties (Business Administration and Economics, Technology, Cultural Science, Interdisciplinary) and mostly do not have previous knowledge of Women’s and Gender Studies.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

1. Description of Course consisting of the following
   1.1. Allocation of the course to a specific modules (multiple references are not possible)
   1.2. Title of the course (in German and English)
   1.3. Type of the course (lecture-seminar, proseminar or seminar)
   1.4. Contents of the course (2,500 characters max., including spaces)
   1.5. Educational objective
   1.6. Teaching method(s)
   1.7. Mode of examination
   1.8. Information on E-Learning
   1.9. Relevant literature
2. CV from which the suitability of the applicant is evident (research interests, teaching experience etc.)
3. Short biography (1,500 characters max., including spaces)
4. List of publications (only those relevant to the course)
SELECTION PROCEDURE AND ORGANISATION OF COURSES:

- **The selection of courses** is carried out by the 'expert committee' of the elective subject *Feminist Science/Gender Studies* (about 20 people) between December 2013 and February 2014. The results of the selection are expected to be announced to the lecturers in March 2014.

- **Information on the cycle of classes**: courses are either held on a weekly basis or as block seminars (*i.e.*, a minimum of two blocks). We prefer courses held on Thursdays, Fridays or Saturdays. Dates will be fixed in consultation with the Centre for Women’s and Gender Studies (ca. in March 2014 for the Winter Semester 2014/15 and ca. in October 2014 for the Summer Semester 2015).

- **The number of hours** for a class with two semester hours per week is 30 hours (at 45 min. plus breaks); one session should not exceed 6 hours per day, however. Breaks are to be included and planned for accordingly.

- **Travel and accommodation costs** can regrettably not be paid in addition to payment for the course. The Centre for Women’s and Gender Studies continue to bring the precarious working conditions for external lecturers to the attention of the vice-chancellor’s office of the Alpen-Adria-Universität Klagenfurt; unfortunately still without success.

- **Payment**: a total of around 2,084 € gross per course will be paid to the lecturer; see collective agreement: [http://www.uni-klu.ac.at/persabt/downloads/KV_2012.03.pdf](http://www.uni-klu.ac.at/persabt/downloads/KV_2012.03.pdf) (date: 9.10.2013)