The Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Science at TUD Dresden University of Technology comprises a broad range of subjects in the humanities and social sciences. It unites ten disciplines at nine institutes, which together are responsible for multi-perspective, methodologically diverse and socially relevant teaching and high-performance research. Together with the Faculty of Linguistics, Literature and Cultural Studies and the Faculty of Education, it forms the School of Humanities and Social Sciences - one of five Schools with which the University of Excellence TUD offers a diversity of subjects that is outstanding nationwide and promotes interdisciplinarity and knowledge transfer. For TUD diversity is an essential feature and a quality criterion of an excellent university. Accordingly, we welcome all applicants who would like to commit themselves, their achievements and productivity to the success of the whole institution.

The Hannah Arendt Institute for Totalitarianism Studies at TUD Dresden University of Technology (HAIT) is dedicated to interdisciplinary research on democracy, autocracy and extremism on an international level. Taking the two dictatorships in Germany's recent past as a starting point, researchers in the fields of history, political science, cultural studies and social science are investigating extremist movements and political, social and cultural developments in totalitarian regimes, their ideological and ideological-historical preconditions, stakeholders and organizational structures. Moreover, the institute explores the societal conditions prior to and after totalitarian rule or autocracy, as well as transformation processes and their repercussions.

The Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Science, in a joint appointment procedure, invites applications for the

**Chair (W3) of Totalitarianism Studies**
combined with the position of

**Director of the Hannah Arendt Institute for Totalitarianism Studies**
at TUD Dresden University of Technology

to be filled as of October 1, 2024. The chair is permanent. The Director is appointed by the Board of Trustees in consultation with the Scientific Advisory Board, in each case for a fixed-term period of five years. Reappointment is possible.

You (m/f/x) will manage the HAIT, represent it to the public, develop its research agenda along with the staff, conduct research on autocratic orders of modernity in global comparison and their societal consequences from the perspectives of contemporary history, empirics, and theory. In addition, the director of the institute teaches two to four hours per week in the degree programs of the Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Science. We assume your willingness to engage in the academic self-administration of the university.

We are looking for a professional with a proven track record in research and teaching in the field of history and / or political science within its national and international context. A focus on the study of National Socialism and Communism is mandatory. In addition, you should be qualified in one or more of the following fields: extremism; post-authoritarian transformation dynamics (including a focus on East Central Europe); historical and contemporary democracy research; media upheavals in and after autocracies and totalitarian systems. We expect you to have a broad range of experience in the management of scientific institutions as well as in international scientific cooperation and in the acquisition of third-party funds. Applicants must fulfill the employment qualification requirements of § 59 of the Act on the Autonomy of Institutions of Higher Education in the Free State of Saxony (SächsHSG).
If you have any further questions, please contact the Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Science, Prof. Dr. Dominik Schrage: dekan-phf@tu-dresden.de.

TU Dresden and the HAIT strive to employ more women in academia and research. We therefore expressly encourage women to apply. The University is a certified family-friendly university and offers a Dual Career Service. We welcome applications from candidates with disabilities. If multiple candidates prove to be equally qualified, those with disabilities or with equivalent status pursuant to the German Social Code IX (SGB IX) will receive priority for employment. If you have any questions about these topics, please contact the Equal Opportunities Officer for the Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Science (Ms. Caroline Friedrich, Tel.: +49 351 463-37307) or the Representative of Employees with Disabilities (Mr. Roberto Lemmrich, +49 351 463-33175).

Please submit your application including a curriculum vitae in tabular form, a description of your academic career, a list of research projects with details on third-party funding, a research plan, a teaching plan as well as a list of publications and a list of previous teaching activities – including the results of two teaching evaluations – as well as a copy of the certificate of the highest academic degree by October 5, 2023 (stamped arrival date of the university central mail service applies), preferably in electronic form via the TUD SecureMail Portal https://securemail.tu-dresden.de by sending it as a single pdf file to dekan-phf@tu-dresden.de or to: TU Dresden, Philosophische Fakultät, Dekan, Herrn Prof. Dr. Dominik Schrage, Helmholtzstr. 10, 01069 Dresden, Germany.

The application documents will be made available to the relevant committees of TU Dresden and HAIT. Representatives appointed by TUD and HAIT will participate in the interviews.

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