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Work offer for the post-doc researcher, full time adjunct position in Institute of Anthropology and Ethnology at University of Warsaw in the research grant (SONATA) of NCN (National Science Centre)

Transformation Initiatives in the Andean rural communities. Narratives and strategies of social change from an anthropological perspective.

(grant holder Agata Hummel Ph.D.)

Eligible applicants have to meet the conditions mentioned in the Law on Higher Education and Science of 20 July 2018 r. (t.j. Dz. U. z 2021 item 478 as amended) and The Statute of the University of Warsaw

University of Warsaw is seeking to appoint a post-doc researcher to join the 3-year transdisciplinary project, “**Transformation Initiatives in the Andean rural communities. Narratives and strategies of social change from an anthropological perspective**”.

Job Description: The Post-doc Researcher will play a key role in contributing to the project, especially in its Bolivian dimension, they will: prepare and conduct fieldwork in Bolivia and Peru, conduct on-line interviews, codify and analyze the data, manage data gathered by the whole project team, present the results of the project at conferences, what should result in scientific publications.

Successful candidate will be engaged full time for the duration of the project starting from November 1, 2021. Salary in accordance with the NCN tariff.

Qualification Requirements:

- Ph.D. in social sciences (preferably political sociology, political sciences or Latin American Studies)
- very good knowledge of the ethnography and history of Bolivia
- fieldwork experience in the Bolivian Andes (at least 2 years in the field), preferably in such research subjects as:
 - self-determination, political autonomy of indigenous people, in the context of development and control of resources
 - multinational state
 - relations between state and indigenous groups
 - issues related with indigenous people and extractivism
 - intercultural democracy (*democracia intercultural*)

- experience in cooperation with Bolivian indigenous organizations and institutions supporting indigenous rights.
- experience in cooperation with Bolivian universities
- experience in conducting qualitative research: preparation of the fieldwork, interviews (preparing and conducting), participant observation, data management and analysis
- orientation in current debates related to alternatives to development and decolonial approach to development.
- proficient command of written and spoken Spanish
- proficient command of written and spoken English
- capacity to work in transdisciplinary research team
- high quality, documented academic achievements (publications and conference presentations), especially related to Bolivia and above mentioned subjects.

Required documents:

- scan of the Ph.D. certificate
- job application to the Rector of the University of Warsaw
- cover letter highlighting previous research experience and explaining the suitability of the candidate for the advertised position,
- curriculum vitae including a list of publications
- personal questionnaire for the job applicants (to be downloaded form: <http://bsp.adm.uw.edu.pl/bsp/druki-i-formularze/>)
- statement that University of Warsaw will be the candidate's primary employer (to be downloaded form: <http://bsp.adm.uw.edu.pl/bsp/druki-i-formularze/>)
- signed consent for the processing of personal data by the University of Warsaw in the recruitment process to be downloaded form: <http://bsp.adm.uw.edu.pl/bsp/druki-i-formularze/>)
- statement confirming that the candidate has read and accepted the rules for conducting recruitment for the position of an academic teacher (attached)

Please submit all the documents (including your contact data: mailing address, telephone number and e-mail address) no later than **August 31, 2021** at etnologia@uw.edu.pl with the subject "Postdoc application" (one pdf file). Applications submitted after the deadline will not be considered. The successful candidate will be informed by e-mail not later than September 13, 2021.

Please be informed that the competition is the first stage of the recruitment procedure for the position of an academic teacher specified in the Statute of the University of Warsaw, and its positive outcome is the basis for further proceedings.

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DECLARATION

I declare that I have read and accepted the rules for job applications for a position of an academic teacher at the University of Warsaw as specified by degree No. 106 of the Rector of the University of Warsaw of 27 September 2019.

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