



As the largest university in Rhineland-Palatinate, Koblenz University of Applied Sciences offers a diverse academic education in an inspiring learning environment and promotes application-oriented research.

The European Centre for Refractories gGmbH (ECREF) is a European centre of excellence for the refractories industry in Höhr-Grenzhausen. The ECREF focuses on education, training and knowledge transfer between colleges, universities, research institutes and the refractories industry.

The following professorship is to be filled in the department building-art-materials at the location Höhr-Grenzhausen as soon as possible:

## Professor (f/m/d) for refractory engineering

(Employment relationship under private law, limited to three years)

The position is 50% at the Koblenz University of Applied Sciences (remuneration according to salary group W 1) and 50% at the cooperation partner European Centre for Refractories gGmbH.

## Your tasks

- Representation of teaching (in German and English) in the field of refractory engineering and process engineering with a focus on the conversion of production processes to climate neutrality in the degree programmes "Materials Engineering Glass and Ceramics" and "Ceramic Science and Engineering" and development of an English-language training programme for refractory engineering (CAS).
- Establishment of a research profile as well as national and international research activities incl. publications
- Networking with regional stakeholders (companies, associations, etc.)
- Participation in academic self-administration

## Your profile:

- Professional expertise in the teaching area Expertise in the above-mentioned teaching areas.
- Enthusiasm for working with young people and their development.
- Openness for the further development and implementation of innovative teaching concepts.
- Openness to taking on new teaching content within the framework of the long-term, strategic and, if necessary, interdisciplinary further development of the range of courses offered.
- High social competence in dealing with students, colleagues, and employees.
- Good German and English skills (minimum C1-level).

The hiring requirements for professorships result from § 56 para. 1 S. 1 and § 54 of the Higher Education Act of Rhineland-Palatinate (HochSchG).

## Our offer:

- Qualification for a professorship at a university of applied sciences.
- An attractive and varied working environment with the opportunity to shape and develop the field independently.
- Accompanying enthusiastic young people on their academic path into the professional world.
- Support in the conception of modern and innovative teaching.
- Connection to a research-strong collegium, especially to the institute WesterWaldCampus
- A broad network of foreign partner universities built up over many years

Koblenz University of Applied Sciences advocates diversity, equal opportunities and work-life balance. Koblenz University of Applied Sciences promotes women. Women are given preferential consideration in cases of equal aptitude, ability and professional performance, as there is an under-representation in the area of professorships at Koblenz University of Applied Sciences (§ 3 para. 8 State Equal Opportunities

Act RLP). Therefore, qualified female academics are expressly encouraged to apply. People with severe disabilities will be given preference in the case of equal suitability.

We look forward to receiving your application (with curriculum vitae, certificates, previous teaching experience, proof of disability if applicable) by the deadline **5**<sup>th</sup> **May 2024** in electronic form to the Dean of the Faculty, Prof. Dr. Olaf Krause.

Only complete applications submitted via our online application portal can be considered.



Koblenz University of Applied Sciences has a daycare center close to the university with optional places for the children of lecturers and staff. In addition, we offer vacation recreational activities for children of university employees.