With more than 6000 students from 93 countries, the German Sport University Cologne (GSU) is currently an outstanding university location both nationally and internationally. The GSU stands for proven research with a high volume of third-party funding and state-of-the-art as well as international teaching in all social and life science sub-disciplines of sport science.

The following position is to be filled at the Institute of Professional Sport Education and Sport Qualifications of GSU by the next possible date:

**W2-Professorship for didactics and methodology in sports (female/male/diverse)**

The Institute covers the didactics and methodology of selected sports across the entire spectrum from school sports to top-performance sports. The future professorship is expected to contribute to the development of research-led practical teaching of the sports. GSU seeks an internationally recognised personality with special teaching and research skills in the three areas of:

a) sport-specific motor learning and teaching  
b) sport-specific motor control  
c) sport-specific movement technique

Applicants must document:
- relevant international publications in the context of sport mediation research  
- recognisable transfer achievements of the scientific findings into sports practice, especially in the context of teaching at schools  
- successful acquisition of competitive and non-competitive third-party funding  
- positively evaluated teaching in the context of the professorship

Applicants are expected to have:
- a high level of expertise in sport-specific school sport research  
- willingness and ability to initiate, supervise and organise the Institute's performance sports research in relation to these areas  
- a high level of mediation competence in at least one sport discipline  
- connections to institutions of German sport, e.g. professional associations

Desirable attributes:
- willingness to cooperate with subject-related institutes of the German Sport University Cologne and to work in interdisciplinary and research-led teaching  
- leadership experience in dealing with staff, organisational experience in university teaching as well as experience in university self-administration and committee work  
- teaching experience in English language

Willingness to work in all Bachelor's, Master's and Teacher's degree programmes at the GSU is expected.

Prerequisites of employment according to § 36 of the Higher Education Act NRW are:
- a university degree  
- a Ph.D. or equivalent  
- appropriate pedagogical/educational skills  
- a post doctoral qualification (habilitation) or equivalent scientific achievements
The position includes a teaching load of 9 teaching units (45 mins) per week (F1).

For international applicants, initial adequate German language skills and the ability to offer classes taught in German language within six semesters are expected.

The German Sport University Cologne strives to increase the proportion of female staff and expressly encourages qualified female applications. Women will be considered preferentially in accordance with the State Equality Act.

Applications from persons with severe disabilities or equivalent status are welcome. They will be given preferential treatment within the framework of the statutory provisions.

It is the policy of the German Sport University Cologne to support its employees in reconciling family life and work.

Please send your application with the usual documents, in particular a description of your professional career, a list of publications and a selection of important publications by 08.07.2021 in the form of a pdf file exclusively to the e-mail address bewerbung@dshs-koeln.de, quoting the reference number 2124-Prof-Vermittlungskompetenz.

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