

Construction Site Management at the Department of Architecture : BASEhabitat

With 1,400 students from 60 countries, the University of Art and Design Linz (Kunstuniversität Linz) is a university with an international character boasting cutting-edge infrastructure in the heart of the city. Positioned in a dynamic environment of free, artistic and applied, scientifically oriented design and research, its focus is on interactivity, digitalisation and sustainability as well as on interdisciplinary, practice-oriented work. The range of curricula includes 12 bachelor programmes, 14 master programmes, 1 diploma programme and 1 PhD programme, which are offered by the University's four Institutes comprising Fine Arts and Cultural Studies, Art and Education (Teacher Training Programmes), Media Design and Space and Design.

As part of the architecture programme at the Kunstuniversität Linz, the Studio BASEhabitat has for many years been active in the field of sustainable, socially responsible architecture in international contexts.

In the Department of Architecture : BASEhabitat we are hiring a construction site manager as a part-time position with 20 hours/week, partly blocked according to the requirements at ongoing construction sites. The candidate chosen for the position is expected to begin work no later than the end of August 2021. The employment contract is limited to 1 year for the time being but may be extended to 3 years.

In accordance with the collective agreement for university employees §49, the minimum gross salary/month is € 1485,75 - paid 14 times a year.

Field of activity

- Independent management of construction projects
- Organisation and supervision of BASEhabitat construction sites in Austria and abroad
- Guidance of students, volunteers and workers on BASEhabitat construction sites
- Teaching in the field of practical work at BASEhabitat (workshops, material science, ...)
- Overall management (commercial, technical, social) of BASEhabitat construction sites

- Development and supervision of BASEhabitat workshops in Upper Austria
- Active cooperation and commitment in the BASEhabitat team
- Place of work is the respective construction site or Linz/Upper Austria
- Flexible working hours due to blocked stays at the construction site and longer periods of free time

Required qualifications

- Excellent training, or knowledge and skills in the construction sector
- Experience in working with sustainable building materials (earth, wood, bamboo, straw, ...) and in socially responsible architecture
- Very high social and intercultural competence and the pedagogical ability to lead international groups responsibly
- Willingness to work on international construction sites for several months a year
- Strong communication skills and the ability to work in a team
- Organizational and improvisational skills, flexibility and decisiveness in cooperation with clients, sponsors and other partners
- Gender and diversity competence
- Excellent written and spoken English, very good written and spoken German

What we offer

- Co-operative atmosphere among colleagues
- Multifaceted and varied range of tasks
- Possibility of independent work and leeway for creativity
- New university campus including studios, workshops and in-house cafeteria
- Central location, easy to reach by public transport
- Linz is a vibrant and liveable city of art and culture with affordable prices
- Childcare (on an hourly basis) for children aged 15 months to 3 years

The Kunstuniversität Linz pursues an anti-discriminatory appointment policy and attaches great importance to equal opportunities and diversity. It aims to increase the percentage of women among the scientific, artistic and general personnel of the university, specifically in executive positions, and therefore expressly encourages qualified women to apply. In case of equivalent qualifications, women applicants are given preferential consideration. Applications by persons with migration experience and/or background as well as applications by persons with disabilities are explicitly welcomed.

Applicants are not entitled to any reimbursement for travel and accommodation expenses incurred in connection with the selection procedure.

Please send your written **application** in electronic format to ufg.bewerbung603@ufg.at, not later than **August 11, 2021**.

For all questions relating to this vacancy notice, please contact basehabitat@ufg.at.

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