



The German Jordanian University (GJU) is a Jordanian state university that is modelled on German universities of applied sciences and is currently particularly dedicated to research and the expansion of its research profile. It was opened in Amman in 2005. Approximately 4,500 students are currently enrolled at GJU. All Bachelor students at GJU spend one year of their studies in Germany, for which they receive linguistic and cultural preparation in the first three years of study. The "German Dimension" thus plays a central role in all degree programmes at GJU.

For the Federal Government and the Federal Ministry of Education and Research, GJU is one of their most important international higher education projects, funded by the German Academic Exchange Service within the framework of the programme "Transnational Education - Promotion of Binational Higher Education Institutions" (TNE). On the German side, Magdeburg-Stendal University of Applied Sciences is the project-leading university.

In the **calendar year 2023**, GJU and the intertwined TNE Project at Magdeburg-Stendal University of Applied Sciences are going to offer **for the first time TNE-funded teaching and/or research stays of one or more semesters for professors (including junior professors and junior researchers/postdocs) from the German partner university network.**

Professors from all disciplines offered at the GJU (URL: <https://www.gju.edu.jo/>) are welcome to apply for the TNE-funded stays at GJU.

What is required:

- completed university studies & PhD / doctorate
- teaching experience in higher education
- recent scientific publications following your PhD/doctorate (monographs, articles and/or other publications)
- willingness for interdisciplinary cooperation

Where we invite you to get involved (individual arrangements with GJU in each case):

A. Teaching and/or research stay at GJU (for full professors via special leave of absence by the German university)

- You will be involved in teaching in German and/or English.
- You will be involved in (applied) research projects and, if applicable, in the establishment of a German Jordanian research cluster and/or in knowledge and technology transfer.
- You will contribute to the further development of the subject/teaching area and to the internationalisation of the faculty/ School.

B. Research stay within the framework of a sabbatical:

- You will be involved in (applied) research projects and, if applicable, in the establishment of a German Jordanian research cluster and/or in knowledge and technology transfer.

Funding in 2023 (for professors via special leave of absence by the German university):

- **2 places** for professors, junior professors and/or young academics - A monthly allowance is paid via TNE project funds in addition to the usual local salary at GJU.
The stay at GJU can be for one semester or more semesters (individual arrangement).
- **4 places** for a stay at the GJU as part of a sabbatical - A relocation allowance (lump sum) is paid via TNE project funds; the stay at GJU is based on the duration of the approved sabbatical (usually a one-semester stay).

Prerequisite for your application is that you have either the German citizenship or that you are a citizen of a member state of the European Union.

Start:

The teaching and research stays at GJU can be started for the **Second Semester 2022/23 (19 February 2023)** as well as for the **First Semester 2023/24 (beginning of October 2023)**.

Application:

Please send your application documents with the permission to forward them to DAAD (applications without this permission can unfortunately not be considered) electronically as **one single pdf-file** until **12.01.2023** to:

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