

The KNAW Humanities Cluster of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW) is a collaboration between three research institutes: the Huygens Institute for History of the Netherlands, the International Institute for Social History (IISH) and the Meertens Institute for Dutch Language and Culture. The institutes are committed to groundbreaking research in the humanities, in which innovative (digital) methods play an important role.

For the project Computational Literary Studies Infrastructure (CLS INFRA) the Huygens Institute is looking for a

Project Staff Member (0.8 fte)

Job description

Your tasks will be to organise the production of training materials, training schools, and to identify and map the specific requirements of researchers who wish to study literature using technology and AI in the European project, Computational Literary Studies Infrastructure (CLS INFRA). This is a four-year partnership to build a shared resource of high-quality data, tools and knowledge needed for literary studies using artificial intelligence and other computational methods. The project is being supported with funding from the European Commission.

Huygens Institute is looking for a dynamic, socially proficient, and empathic young scholar with an MA in literary studies and an proven affinity with computational literary studies who will help to build the European network of CLS scholars and assist to provide this community with the needed materials.

Job requirements

- A Master's degree in Literary studies
- Affinity with Computational Literary Studies
- Proficiency in English
- Willingness to travel for the organization of training schools
- Strong organisational skills
- Strong social skills

Appointment

The appointment will initially be for 1 year, with the possibility of an extension.

Terms of employment

The position will be at grade 10 (CAO Dutch University pay grades) depending on the level of relevant experience and will attract a salary ranging between € 2.790,00 and € 4.402,00 (minimum and maximum gross salary for fulltime 38hr). The salary is supplemented with an 8% holiday

allowance and an 8.3% end-of-year bonus. The Collective Labour Agreement for Dutch Universities is applicable.

The KNAW offers an attractive pension scheme, 6 weeks of holiday per year, the possibility to buy or sell holiday leave, as well as career development opportunities. Flexible hours and working from home are negotiable.

Additional information

Enquiries can be made to Prof. dr Karina van Dalen-Oskam, karina.van.dalen@huygens.knaw.nl.

How to apply

Please submit your application no later than 7 July 2021 by sending your motivation letter and CV to sollicitaties@bb.huc.knaw.nl using the subject heading "CLS Project staff member".

Interviews will take place on 22 or 23 July 2021.

The Humanities Cluster is an equal opportunities employer, aiming for diversity in e.g. age, gender and cultural background. We especially welcome applications by candidates who can increase the KNAW Humanities Cluster's diversity.

No recruitment agencies please.