

Gdańsk, 22 September 2025

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Dean of the Faculty of History, acting on behalf of the Rector of the University of Gdańsk, hereby announces a competition for the position of **Assistant Professor** in the group of **research and teaching staff**, at the **Institute of Anthropology, Department of Polish Ethnology and Historical Anthropology**.

The competition is open to candidates who meet the requirements specified in Article 113 of the Act of 20 July 2018 – Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2018, item 1668, as amended) and in the Statute of the University of Gdańsk of 13 June 2019.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 22 October 2025

Failure to submit a complete set of documents by the deadline will result in rejection of the application without a request for supplementation.

EMPLOYMENT CONDITIONS: full-time (100% FTE), employment contract

DATE OF COMPETITION RESOLUTION: no later than 3 months from the date of the announcement

Keywords: Polish Ethnology, Anthropology of Pomerania, Ethnographic Research, Museum Studies

REQUIREMENTS:

The candidate for the position should:

1. hold a doctoral degree (PhD) in the humanities in the field of ethnology / ethnology and cultural anthropology, or cultural and religious studies;
2. have scholarly achievements confirming competences in the field of Polish ethnology, competences in the anthropology of Pomerania and/or contemporary folk religiosity will be welcome;
3. have experience in conducting ethnographic field research and museum activities;
4. be fluent in Polish;
5. have experience in managing research and museum projects or participating in research and museum projects;
6. have experience in teaching at a higher education institution, including topics such as: Polish Ethnology, Rural Anthropology, Folk Art, Ethnology of Religion, Museology;
7. An additional asset will be
 - knowledge of the issues of the anthropology of Pomerania (in accordance with the research directions of the Department of Polish Ethnology and Historical Anthropology of the University of Gdańsk)
 - willingness to take on the role of museum manager for the scientific and educational collections of the Institute of Anthropology

Applicants are requested to submit the following documents to the Office of the Dean of the Faculty of History of the University of Gdańsk (address: ul. Wita Stwosza 55, 80-308 Gdańsk; with a note: *Aneta Plaskiewicz, room 2.29*):

1. Application for employment addressed to His Magnificence Rector of the University of Gdansk;
2. Curriculum vitae and personal questionnaire – the form is available at:
http://ug.edu.pl/pracownicy/strony_jednostek/dzial_zaradzania_kadrami;
3. A certified copy of the diploma confirming the award of the doctoral degree (PhD) in ethnology / ethnology and cultural anthropology or in cultural and religious studies;
4. A summary of academic achievements, as well as educational and organisational activities within higher education and museum institutions;
5. Information on completed training, academic internships, and international studies;
6. Information on membership in academic societies and organisations;
7. A statement confirming fluent knowledge of the Polish language, as well as a foreign language relevant to the area of conducted field research;
8. A research activity plan for the coming years (including planned publications, grants, and research projects, particularly related to fieldwork in Poland, including in the Pomerania region; maximum length: 4,000 characters including spaces);
9. The following declarations:
 - a) A declaration of compliance with the requirements specified in Article 113 of the Act of 20 July 2018 – Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2018, item 1668);
 - b) A consent for the processing of personal data by the University of Gdańsk included in the application documents, for the purposes necessary to conduct the recruitment procedure for the above-mentioned position, in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) of 27 April 2016;
 - c) A declaration that, in the case of employment at the University of Gdańsk following the recruitment procedure, the University of Gdańsk will constitute the candidate's primary place of employment;
 - d) A declaration confirming readiness to prepare and conduct classes in English as part of the teaching load.

Templates for the above declarations are available at:

<https://historia.ug.edu.pl/pracownicy/oferty-pracy>

Selected individuals will be contacted.

The settlement of the competition is final and cannot be appealed.

The University of Gdansk Faculty of History reserves the right to close the competition without selecting a candidate. Candidates whose offers are not accepted by the Competition Committee will not be informed of the results of the proceedings. Offers sent by mail will not be returned by the University.

The competition is the first stage of the procedure specified in the Statute of the University of Gdansk for employment in the position of an academic teacher, and its positive resolution is the basis for further proceedings.

The decision on employment will be made in accordance with the procedure set forth in Article 117 of the Law of July 20, 2018, Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2018, item 1668, as amended).

DEAN OF THE FACULTY OF HISTORY

dr hab. Arkadiusz Janicki, prof. of the university

Information Clause:

In accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (General Data Protection Regulation), hereinafter referred to as GDPR, we inform you that:

1. The administrator of your personal data is the University of Gdańsk, based in (80-309) Gdańsk at Jana Bażyńskiego 8 Street.
2. The personal data controller has appointed an information security administrator (in future a data protection officer), who can be contacted at telephone number +48 58 523 24 59 or e-mail address: poin@ug.edu.pl
3. Your personal data will be processed in order to carry out the recruitment process for the indicated position.
4. The legal basis for the processing of your personal data for the purposes of the recruitment process is Article 6(1)(c) of the GDPR - the processing is necessary for the fulfillment of a legal obligation imposed on the controller, resulting in particular from Article 118a of the Act on Higher Education and Article 221 of the Act - Labor Code. The premise legalizing the processing of personal data provided voluntarily by the candidate, going beyond the scope of data indicated in Article 221 of the Act - Labor Code will be Article 6(1)(a) GDPR - the consent of the data subject.
5. Providing your personal data, after making the decision on joining the recruitment process, is obligatory within the scope determined by Article 22 of the Labor Code and the Act on Higher Education and is a condition for applying for a job and possible further employment. In the case of the provision of personal data beyond the above-mentioned legal provisions - the provision of personal data by you is voluntary.
6. Your personal data shall be processed on behalf of the controller by authorized employees solely for the purposes referred to in paragraph 3.
7. Your personal data will be stored for the time necessary to achieve the objectives set out in paragraph 3. In the case of a negative outcome of the recruitment process, your data will be deleted immediately after the recruitment concludes, unless a specific scope of archiving is required by law - then for the time specified in these provisions.
8. Your personal data will not be disclosed to external entities except in cases provided for by law. In the case of electronic submission of application documents, the recipient of your data may be an entity acting on behalf of the administrator, i.e. an entity which is a postal service provider.
9. Under the terms of the GDPR regulations, you are entitled to:
 - a. the right of access to the content of your data,
 - b. the right to have it corrected if it is factually incorrect,
 - c. The right to erasure, restriction of processing as well as data portability - in cases provided for by law,
 - d. the right to object to the processing of the data.
 - e. the right to lodge a complaint to the supervisory authority - the President of the Office for Personal Data Protection, if you consider that the processing of your personal data violates the provisions on personal data protection,

- f. the right to withdraw consent at any time without affecting the lawfulness of the processing carried out on the basis of consent before its withdrawal.