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## Praedoc (f/m/x) in Art History

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The Institute for Medieval Research (IMAFO) of the Austrian Academy of Sciences (OeAW), Austria's leading non-university research and science institution, is offering a Position as

**Praedoc (Diss) (f/m/x) in Art History**

(30 hours per week)

We are seeking a committed PhD student for a research project on Italian Renaissance manuscripts, starting on June 1, 2026, for a fixed term until March 31, 2029.

## Your Tasks

- Art-historical description and classification of illuminated Italian Renaissance manuscripts from the 15th century, entry into the manuscripta.at database
- Collaboration and exchange of expertise with conservators, scholars of materials science

## Your Profile

- Completed master's degree in art history, ongoing PhD study, specialization in Italian book illumination desirable
- Basic knowledge of medieval manuscripts and fundamental interest in materials science aspects
- Excellent German and English skills
- Very good IT skills (especially MS Office)
- Accurate, structured, and team-oriented approach to work
- Sense of responsibility, especially when handling historical collection objects

## Our Offer

- A position in an innovative and internationally active environment crucial to success
- Numerous voluntary social benefits
- Flex time arrangement
- Opportunity to work independently and develop personally

The minimum annual gross salary for this position is EUR 53.140,92 (full-time based), in accordance with the collective agreement of the Austrian Academy of Sciences (ÖAW). For part-time employment, the salary will be adjusted on a pro rata basis in line with the agreed working hours.

Please apply online, including (1) a cover letter, (2) curriculum vitae and (3) copies of relevant certificates. Applications are open until **April 15, 2026**.

If you have any questions on the position, please get in touch with Mag. Dr. Maria Theisen.

**APPLY NOW**

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