

Job ID: IHB034PD223

The Institute for Habsburg and Balkan Studies ([IHB](#)), of the Austrian Academy of Sciences ([OeAW](#)), Austria's leading non-university research and science is offering a

POSTDOC POSITION (F/M/X)

(full-time / 40h per week)

within the FWF project P-33706-G „Sprachgeschichte der Ortsnamen Albaniens, located at the Balkan Research Unit, starting in May, 01st, 2023. The position is limited to 12 months.

Your tasks:

- Collaboration in the development of a digital lexicon of place names of Albania
- Analysis and evaluation of Ottoman sources of the 15th-18th centuries on Albania
- Collaboration on the printed handbook on the linguistic history of place names in Albania
- Active participation in workshops and conferences

Your profile:

- PhD in Turkology (focus on older Ottoman)
- Ideally, several years of relevant professional experience in the edition of older Ottoman source texts
- Experience in Ottoman source texts concerning the Balkan region
- General interest in the history and languages of the Balkans
- Excellent knowledge of German as well as English required
- Interest in place name research
- Soft skills (flexibility, strong communication skills, creativity, independence)

Our offer is addressed to people with good communication skills and a confident manner, who understand how to present complex issues in a clear and comprehensible manner and who enjoy working independently. We offer for this position an annual gross salary of € 60.926,60 according to the salary scheme of the Austrian Science Fund ([FWF](#)).

We would be happy to have aroused your interest in this position and ask you to send your detailed written application including all relevant documents and references electronically by **April 7th, 2023** at the latest to Joachim.Matzinger@oeaw.ac.at, quoting Job ID: IHB034PD223.

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