



The Institute of Philosophy of the Czech Academy of Sciences, P.R.I., is a public research institution focused on research in philosophy and related disciplines. Within the Czech Academy of Sciences, it is the largest institute dedicated to the humanities and social sciences: it employs almost 250 persons whose shared goal is to engage in excellent internationally competitive research, and to the public domain in the Czech Republic and abroad.

The Institute of Philosophy of the Czech Academy of Sciences in Prague is seeking to appoint:

1 post-doc position (1.0 FTE)

The post-doc will join the Interdisciplinary Research Lab for Bioethics (IRLaB), which is based at the Department of Applied Philosophy and Ethics of the Institute of Philosophy. The position is for 2 years and the successful candidate would ideally start **March 1, 2023** (or shortly after upon agreement). The post-doc is expected to relocate to Prague and to work with the principal investigator, Dr. Geoffrey Dierckxsens, and the IRLaB team. The successful candidate will work in the Department of Applied Philosophy and Ethics at the IP CAS, which has recently obtained an ERA-Chair grant which is funded by Horizon Europe (see link below for more information).

We will hire a scholar with a Ph.D. in philosophy and specialized in bioethics, focusing on health care ethics, in particular the topics in reproductive ethics, the ethical ramifications of biotechnologies, and the role of gender in health care. A background in these fields is a plus, but we also welcome applicants with a background in bioethics more generally. The successful candidate will be expected to publish in quality peer-reviewed journals of bioethics (e.g. *Bioethics*, *Cambridge Quarterly of Health Care Ethics*, *Narrative Inquiry in Bioethics* or *The Journal of Applied Philosophy*). Preferably the successful candidate will have several articles already published and/or accepted for publication in one of these or similar journals.

We are looking for **candidates who obtained Ph.D. after January 1, 2016** with a relevant research background, a strong motivation for research, and competence to carry out both independent as well as collaborative research. **Starting monthly salary is 40.000 CZK gross** (to be increased up to 45.000 CZK depending on research results).



The Institute of Philosophy offers its employees the following **employee benefits** – up to 5 weeks of vacation and up to 8 sick days, meal vouchers (100 CZK per working day), Multisport card, flexible working time, possibility of language and other training paid for by the employer etc.

For questions and further information, please contact Dr. Geoffrey Dierckxsens by e-mail: dierckxsens@flu.cas.cz.

Please submit your application by e-mail before **January 31, 2023** to dierckxsens@flu.cas.cz. Your application should include: a CV with a complete list of research publications; a cover letter (2 pages maximum) explaining your past research and how you envision your role at IRLaB, and the contact details of two referees who may be contacted for a reference letter. Evaluation will be in two rounds. If selected by the scientific committee candidates will be invited for an interview in Prague (alternatively via Zoom).

You can find more information about IRLaB on our website: www.irlab.cz.

More information about the Department of Applied Philosophy and Ethics can be found here: <https://dape.flu.cas.cz/en/>

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