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

## POSTDOC POSITION (F/M/X)

(full-time, 40h per week)

for a duration of 10 months (November 01<sup>st</sup>, 2024 - August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025).

The Department of Byzantine Research is dedicated to the study of the medieval Greek culture of the Eastern Mediterranean as well as its 'Nachleben', in three strands: 'Communities and Landscapes', 'Language, Script and Text' and 'Byzantium and Beyond: Cultural Heritage and Intercultural Context'. Employing the methodology of historical-cultural studies, the work on written sources is combined with research on manuscripts and material culture (inscriptions, seals). As a result, there are strong interconnections between the three strands that are in constant dialogue. Digital humanities play an increasing role in the analysis and visualization of research data. Several long-term research projects are complemented by shorter projects, often supported by external funding.

### Your tasks:

- Research on Byzantine prayer books with special focus on aspects of education and literary culture, within the Vienna Euchologia Project

### Your profile:

- Ph.D. in Classical Philology or Byzantine Studies
- Several years of experience in research on the manuscript culture of Byzantium and the edition of ancient/medieval texts
- Knowledge in ancient and medieval Greek, Byzantine palaeography
- Excellent German and English skills
- Interest in working within a research team, and developing digital skills
- Soft skills (flexibility, communication skills, ability to communicate research results in publications and in oral presentations)

### Our offer:

- Interesting field of activity in a dynamic environment of cutting-edge and multi-disciplinary research
- Numerous voluntary social benefits
- Flex time arrangement
- Central downtown location
- Possibility to develop as a scholar

We offer a monthly gross salary to € 4.750,10, according to the collective agreement of the Austrian Academy of Sciences.

Please send your application (motivation letter, CV, names of two referees) via e-mail to [Ekaterini.Mitsiou@oeaw.ac.at](mailto:Ekaterini.Mitsiou@oeaw.ac.at) (mentioning Job ID: ) **no later than October 01<sup>st</sup>, 2024.**

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