

## HCU – University of the Built Environment and Metropolitan Development

### Department: Urban Planning and Regional Development

The HafenCity University Hamburg, Department Urban Planning and Regional Development, awards a **postdoctoral fellowship** within the junior research group **MetroKlim: Urban Open Space and Settlement Structure for a Climate Adapted Development of the Metropolis of Hamburg**, beginning on **01.09.2010**. Part of the PostDocs assignments is independent research work, the cooperation at research projects and the guidance and coordination of the junior research group. Supporting national and international cooperations and collaborating with the doctoral candidates is also part of the job.

The scholarship is 1.600 € per month for a period of 3 years.

#### **Area of research: control of settlement and open space structures**

Innovative solutions for the climate adapted development of the metropolis of Hamburg shall be investigated within the project. The area of research of the PostDoc is the development of strategies to control the settlement and open space structures and the integration of climatic compensating areas under consideration of the preservation of biodiversity. This includes an innovative handling of the field of urban open space and settlement structures in context of climate change adaption through the combination of planning and natural science.

#### **Requirements:**

Ph.D. in Urban Planning and Regional Development or equal qualification

Good ability to communicate and to work in a team

Personal initiative and independent work

Experiences in scientific work and ability to publicize

The HCU aims to raise the proportion of women within the academic staff and therefore specifically invites qualified women to make an application. Women will receive priority consideration in case of equal qualification in terms of the Hamburg Equality Law. Handicapped persons take priority over other applicants with same qualification and competence.

Please send your **application** with the common documents (covering letter, CV, university degrees, copies of certifications) under specification of the identification code **Metoklim\_PostDoc** to: Prof. Dr. Jörg Knieling, Fachgebiet Stadtplanung und Regionalentwicklung, HafenCity Universität Hamburg, Winterhuder Weg 29-31, 22085 Hamburg; joerg.knieling@hcu-hamburg.de

For questions about the scholarship or the work environment please contact Prof. Dr. Jörg Knieling or visit <http://www.hcu-hamburg.de/research/arbeitsgebiete/joerg-knieling/>.



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