

Region: Oppland
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Lillehammer University College (LUC; Høgskolen i Lillehammer, HiL) offers a range of studies, from film and television studies, health and social work, tourism, economics and business administration, and social and cultural studies. LUC has approximately 4200 students (of which about 1000 are part-time and long-distance students) and about 300 members of staff. LUC is currently undergoing an exciting period of growth involving the follow-up of students, artistic development, cutting-edge research, and contributions to both regional development and contract work. The university colleges and the county-municipalities of Hedmark and Oppland are collaborating to establish a university.

RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP

RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP (FELLOWSHIP) IN THE FIELD OF VISUAL MEDIA AT LILLEHAMMER UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

Three years' position at the Faculty of Television Production and Film Studies

The faculty, with over 30 employees and 450 students, offers full time studies in television production, film and television studies, cultural project management and art history. It also offers two Master's programmes and is responsible for the development of a PhD programme in the field of Visual Media.

ABOUT THE POSITION

The fellowship will contribute towards insight into recent advances in the field of television studies. Both theoretically and empirically orientated projects are of interest. It can be projects that reflect on the theoretical and methodical challenges that television studies are faced with in a digital and convergent media world, or projects that employ an empirical approach towards this situation.

It is expected that the candidate is present in and contributes to the development of the PhD programme, Visual Media, which is a cooperative programme involving Lillehammer University College and the media technology community of the neighbouring Gjøvik University College.

The candidate's project must be intended to culminate in a PhD and the candidate must apply for entrance to a PhD programme at a University. The University College will assist in the establishment of such an arrangement. It is also possible for the candidate to participate in the PhD programme at the University of Karlstad while retaining their main supervisor at Lillehammer University College.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Relevant academic background at a Master's level. It is essential that the Master's degree that is submitted for consideration is a research masters that qualifies for entrance to the PhD programme. (**Master in the Norwegian system - section 1-3 Stipendiat**)

Personal qualifications:

- The ability to work independently
- The ability to see projects through to the end

An expert committee consisting of two members will consider the applications. Based on their judgements, the best qualified applicants will be invited to interviews and further dialogue. In their considerations, great importance will be attached to the applicant's project description. [Read more about criteria for the project description.](#)

The college uses an electronic application system. Applicants are requested to register their application and CV in this system.

Criteria for delivery of documentation:

Three copies of a comprehensive CV, project description and any work to be offered for consideration must be sent by post to Lillehammer University College, Faculty of Television Production and Film Studies, po box 952, 2604 Lillehammer. [Read more about requirements for applications and project descriptions.](#)

Please mark the delivery: "Research sholarship - advances in television studies - TVF".

THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CAN OFFER

- An exciting and challenging job at a rapidly developing college
- Committed colleagues and a lively working environment
- Arrangements for professional development
- Membership in the Norwegian Public Service Pension Fund which offers amongst other things good pension- and insurance schemes
- The position is placed in and remunerated according to position code 1017 stipendiat, starting at pay-level 45 (at the time of writing NOK 355 600,- per annum)

It is desirable that the employment pattern of the Norwegian state should reflect the diversity of the general population to the greatest possible degree. It is therefore the college's aim to employ a balanced mix as far as age and gender is concerned as well as recruiting people with an immigrant background. If needs be, working conditions may be adapted for people with physical impairments.

Lillehammer University College aims to increase the percentage of women employed in teaching and research. Where applicants otherwise are equally qualified, priority will be given to female applicants.

Lillehammer University College welcomes all applicants!