

## 2 Postdoctoral Researchers (100 %, E13 TV-L, 18 months) in History of Mathematical Sciences in Qing China

Philosophische Fakultät und Fachbereich Theologie, Erlangen, TV-L E 13, Full time, Temporary employment: until 31.01.2028, Bewerbungsschluss: 08.03.2026

### Your Workplace

The [Chair for Sinology with a focus on the Intellectual and Cultural History of China](#) – Institute for Near Eastern and East Asian Languages and Civilizations – at FAU Erlangen-Nuremberg (Germany) invites applications for a position of a Postdoctoral Researcher (f/m/d) with an interest in the global history of the mathematical sciences in China during the Qing dynasty.

### Benefits: We Have a Lot To Offer

- Regelmäßiger Stufenanstieg und steigendes Gehalt nach Tarifvertrag für den öffentlichen Dienst der Länder (TV-L) beziehungsweise Besoldung nach BayBesG sowie zusätzliche Jahressonderzahlung
- Urlaubsanspruch von 30 Tagen pro Kalenderjahr bei fünf Arbeitstagen pro Woche, mit zusätzlichen freien Tagen am 24. und 31. Dezember
- Betriebliche Altersversorgung sowie vermögenswirksame Leistungen

### Your Tasks

The positions are associated with the interdisciplinary project "[The Language of Algorithmic Mathematics](#)" funded by the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation. Although this project has a digital humanities component, we also welcome research that focuses on small corpora of texts or a specific mathematical domain. Together with the other project members the applicant will conduct research on the history of algorithmic mathematics in China in a global/transregional perspective and contribute to the following activities:

- collaboration in preparing applications for third-party funding
- contribute critical editions to a multilingual database of mathematical texts

### Your Profile

The successful candidate is expected to have the following qualifications:

- a PhD in Chinese studies, mathematical sciences or computational linguistics,
- a thorough understanding of mathematical concepts,
- preferably research experience in China, Hong Kong and/or Taiwan,
- experience in interdisciplinary and international research contexts,

- excellent knowledge of working languages English and Chinese

## Interessiert?

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