TEMPLATE FOR ADVERTISING RESEARCH POSTS

based on indications given by par. 4.4.1 of the
"Report of the Working Group of the Steering Group of Human Resources Management under the European Research Area on Open, Transparent and Merit-based Recruitment of Researchers"

Recruiting Department/Research Unit: Department of Humanities

Title: Metalanguage of Medieval (early) syntax: on the trail of Port-Royal in the Italian and French rhetoricalgrammatical tradition

Offer description - *Funded by the European Union – Next Generation EU – PNRR mission 4, component 2, investment 1.1*

The main purpose is to bring out the continuity in the history of syntactic theories in Europe, following the traces of linguistic ideas which foreshadow the birth of Port-Royal Grammar. Starting with the realisation that the formation of modern syntactic concepts and related terminology dates back significantly before the systematisation traditionally identified from the Port-Royal School onwards, the inquiry has to be addressed to the Medieval period, which represents the specific moment when, through the new rhetorical genre of dictamen, early syntactic concepts from the Bolognese School pass in France via rhetorical-grammatical speculations of the treatises regarding this topic. Mostly in the Loire Valley, in the schools of Orléans, the imported Italian theories peculiarly evolved since the XII century, towards a tight bond with the ars grammatica. Generally, forms of syntactic awareness emerge in these texts through rhetorical-grammatical rules that show non-linearity of syntax, and in the status of concepts such as clausulae and distinctiones

Researcher career profile:

- *R2 Recognised Researcher (PhD holders or equivalent who are not yet fully independent)*

For further details https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/europe/career-development/training-researchers/research-profiles-descriptors

Location: Macerata, Italy

Type of contract:

- *temporary*

Job status

- *full time*

Expected start date and duration of the contract: 18 (eighteen) moths. The exact start date will be provided at the end of the selection process.

Annual gross salary: € 19.367,00

Selection criteria: Master's Degree in Linguistic field and PhD in Linguistic field

Preferential selection criteria:

1. Proven research expertise in the subject area of the call;

2. Scientific publications relevant to the research programme to be evaluated;

3. Good knowledge of one European foreign language, written knowledge of Latin and at least written proficiency in two European languages.

Application deadline: 05/11/2023, 1 p.m.

Full details are available at: https://www.unimc.it/it/ateneo/bandi-e-concorsi/finaziamenti-ricerca/bandi-assegni-ricerca

Enquiries can be made to Ufficio Ricerca Scientifica e Dottorato – ufficio.ricerca@unimc.it

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- The University of Macerata pursues an equal opportunities and diversity policy as well. Among facilities, a kindergarten is available for university's employees. Specific facilities and services are also dedicated to employees with disabilities (transportation services, specific technologies for studying).