

Research Training Group 3105 'Figurations of the Precarious in the Global South'

Call of applications for qualifying fellowships

The Research Training Group 3105 'Figurations of the Precarious in the Global South' is offering three qualification fellowships for Master's students for the period from 1 January 2027 to 30 September 2027. The aim of these qualifying fellowships is to introduce advanced Master's students with excellent academic records and an interest in an academic career in research in the humanities and social sciences within collaborative projects, and to support them in developing a competitive research proposal in the field of Global South Studies. Students with a topic relevant to the Research Training Group (RTG) from the RTG's participating disciplines are eligible to apply:

The following must be submitted:

1. A letter of motivation with a one-page description of an idea for a PhD project
2. Transcript of records
3. A confirmation of supervision for the tutoring programme from one of the participating researchers of RTG 3105
4. A detailed academic CV including extracurricular activities

We offer a DFG-funded qualification grant of 992.- euros, participation in the GRK 3105 qualification programme, and tutoring by participating researchers to help draft a competitive project proposal for a PhD within a collaborative project or at a research funding organisation.

We expect: participation in the RTG's academic training programme and the preparation of a 10-page project proposal on an innovative research project in the field of precariousness in the Global South during the fellowship and whilst completing the Master's degree.

Important notice: awarding the qualification fellowship does not imply a preference in next year's selection process for doctoral positions in the RTG 3105. The programme is meant to qualify Master's students for competing for grants or fellowships at a doctoral level in the German academic system in general.

Please send your application by email to sekretariat.ibero@romanistik.uni-tuebingen.de

If you need further information, please contact the RTG coordination: sekretariat.ibero@romanistik.uni-tuebingen.de or one of our participating researchers (<https://uni-tuebingen.de/de/284652>)

Application deadline: 30 November 2026

