## PhD or Postdoctoral Fellowship (max. 6 months) at the Aleksander Brückner Centre for Polish Studies, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

The Aleksander Brückner Centre for Polish Studies is awarding a research fellowship as part of the project "Entangled State Formations: Polish, Ukrainian and German Developments since 1918 and since 1989/91" for the year 2026. The fellowship is open to doctoral candidates or postdoctoral researchers from Poland or Ukraine for a stay of up to six months in Halle.

Since its founding in 2012, the Aleksander Brückner Centre for Polish Studies (Halle/Jena) has been dedicated to the interdisciplinary investigation of historical and contemporary formations of Polish statehood, society, language, and culture. Currently, researchers working at and associated with the Centre are examining various aspects of state formation in Poland and Ukraine from interdisciplinary, entangled-history, and cross-epochal perspectives. Through this fellowship, we aim to broaden our discussion base and foster further international cooperation.

Halle offers an outstanding academic environment with excellent libraries and collections. Additionally, other locations such as Leipzig, Berlin, and Munich are easily accessible.

The fellowship amounts to up to €1,700 per month, depending on qualifications. Residence in Halle is required, although library and archive research at other locations is much supported. During the stay, the fellow will participate in the Centre's activities and present their research project.

Please submit your application as a single PDF containing the following documents:

- Cover letter
- Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- List of publications
- Letter of recommendation from an academic mentor
- Project outline (3–5 pages) detailing the work plan for the stay and the expected results

Funding period: Up to six months between 1 January and 31 December 2026

Application deadline: 31 October 2025

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