

Shadowing Research Assistants

Thank you for your interest in our program "Shadowing Research Assistants of the Faculty of Arts and Humanities"! The program aims to provide students interested in a doctoral degree with insights into the work of research assistants and researchers in qualification phases.

Schedule:

1. If you are interested in participating in the program, please contact Dr. Anda-Lisa Harmening (gradz@kw.uni-paderborn.de).



2. The program coordinators match you with a student once they get in touch with an interested candidate. You then need to consent to the match.



3. Dr. Harmening and Dr. Steinhausen invite the student to a preparatory meeting where they set their goals for the shadowing program and determine which aspects are especially interesting to them.



4. Together with the program coordinators, the student creates an observation sheet, which they can use to document your observations during the shadowing. If you would like, you can ask the coordinators to share the observation sheet with you in preparation of the shadowing.



5. You and the student set a date for the shadowing. You should take into account your tasks on the chosen date in order to make sure that the date allows the student to gain a multi-faceted insight into your work as a research assistant.



6. After the shadowing date, the student has the opportunity to meet up with the program coordinators in order to reflect on their shadowing experience and their observations.