ZADIK, Central Archives for German and International Art Market Research (http://zadik.uni-koeln.de), was incorporated into the University of Cologne’s Faculty of Arts and Humanities at the beginning of 2020. It has the status of a discrete institute. The archive collects, analyses and publishes sources and materials (archival records) on the history of the German and international art market and contributes to teaching in the area of art market studies at the Department of Art History. ZADIK is seeking a director with a strong network of interdisciplinary contacts. The ideal candidate's professional accomplishments will enable her/him to manage and represent ZADIK and advance its national and international standing in close collaboration with its board of trustees and partners from the spheres of academia, culture and business.

YOUR TASKS
» will include the full spectrum of archival management and practice. You will further be responsible for the acquisition of new archival records, initiation, implementation and active supervision of research and other projects in collaboration with national and international partners, teaching and convening of courses on the history of the art market (at least two teaching hours per week), editing and publication of the ‘sediment’ magazine, extensive public-relations work, and acquisition of external funding.

YOUR PROFILE
» A doctorate and Habilitation (or equivalent post-doctoral qualification) in Art History and a recognised qualification in archives and records management OR demonstrable experience in this field OR a similar qualification
» Professional experience in innovative, practical research and teaching with a focus on the history of the art market (particularly in modernism)
» Experience with specialised information management systems for archives and recent information technologies
» Demonstrable publishing experience (including production and editing activities)
» Experience in planning and organising archival exhibitions
» Experience in project management, familiarity with research funding structures and opportunities

» Proven willingness to collaborate with other regional, national and international institutions (both academic and non-academic)
» Strong leadership, teamwork, communication and organisation skills, high motivation and resilience
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