

**INTERNATIONAL GRADUATE COLLEGE
“CONFLICT AND COOPERATION BETWEEN SOCIAL GROUPS “**

The University of Jena, Germany, is pleased to announce that the International Graduate College is awarding one

Henri-Tajfel Fellowship

for the duration of up to six months, starting July 1st, 2008, or later.

The International Graduate College was been established in 2001 as a collaboration of research from three European centers in the area of intergroup relations (University of Jena, Germany, University of Kent at Canterbury, United Kingdom, and the Université catholique de Louvain, Belgium). About 25 international PhD students and postdocs are currently enrolled. The program language is English.

The scope of the program is concerned with the antecedents, underlying processes, and effects of constructive and destructive relations between groups. This incorporates fundamental issues of intergroup emotions and behaviour, such as: Social discrimination and outgroup derogation, and intergroup tolerance and positive outgroup evaluation - especially in the realm of multicultural diversity. Particular emphasis is made on processes underlying various intergroup phenomena, such as processes and outcomes of stability and change in the development of group relations over time. This relates to the four main themes of research: Cognitive aspects of intergroup relations, intergroup attitudes and prejudice, determinants of intergroup behavior, and outcomes of intergroup processes.

For a list of the currently pursued research projects and further information including faculty, organization, and benefits, please visit the following website:

<http://www.uni-jena.de/svw/igc/>

The visiting professor is expected to support the fellows in their academic endeavor by offering individual consultations and small workshops. Research collaborations with fellows and faculty are more than welcome. The visiting professor is expected to stay in Jena. The scholarship amounts up to 30.000 Euro depending on the duration. The maximum duration is six months. An office space and equipment as well as lab space and some support for participant reimbursement are provided.

The International Graduate College offers state-of-the-art facilities in a beautiful villa in Jena, minutes from the city center. Jena itself is a lively university town with a long tradition of world class academia. One fifth of the inhabitants are students at the two local universities. The city is located at the heart of Germany, not far from Weimar, Erfurt, and Leipzig.

Applications should be addressed to Nicole Harth, University of Jena, International Graduate College, Wildstrasse 1, 07743 Jena, Germany. Electronic applications are also welcome and should be sent to n.harth@uni-jena.de. Applications should include a Curriculum Vita, a letter of motivation including a proposed sabbatical plan at the International Graduate College, and a statement as of when the sabbatical could be taken.

Faculty members of the International Graduate College:

Dominic Abrams (Kent), Andreas Beelmann (Jena), Rupert Brown (Sussex), Olivier Corneille (UCL), Stéphánie Demoulin (UCL), John Drury (Sussex) Muriel Dumont (UCL), Roger Giner-Sorolla (Kent), Ana Guinote (Kent), Thomas Kessler (Jena), Colin Leach (Sussex), Jacques-Philippe Leyens (UCL), Amélie Mummendey (Jena), Peter Noack (Jena), Rainer Riemann (Jena), Klaus Rothermund (Jena), Adam Rutland (Kent), Kai Sassenberg (Jena), Melanie Steffens (Jena), Vivien Vignoles (Sussex), Garcia Tendayi Nyasha Viki (Kent), and Vincent Yzerbyt (UCL).