The Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science seeks to fill the following professorship from 1 April 2021:

**W3 Professorship in Basics of Knowledge Representation**

(Successor to Professor Gerhard Brewka)

The Faculty is looking for an internationally recognised scientist in the field of artificial intelligence. Applicants should have proven research experience in one of the formal methods of AI: knowledge representation and inference, problem solving and planning, or explainable AI. Broad teaching experience in computer science is expected. The successful candidate will have experience in publishing in international peer-reviewed journals as well as in raising third-party funds. The tasks of this professorship include teaching on all degree programmes at the Institute of Computer Science. Participation in existing and new research networks that aligns with the University’s Mathematical and Computational Sciences research profile area is expected.

The job holder’s rights and obligations are regulated by the Saxon Freedom of Higher Education Act (SächsHSFG) and the Saxon Service Regulations for Higher Education Institutions (DAVOHS). Applicants must meet the requirements of Section 58 SächsHSFG.

Leipzig University is committed to the equality of women and men. Severely disabled persons are encouraged to apply and will be given preference in the case of equal suitability.

**Please send your application with the usual documents (including a detailed CV, a list of scientific work and academic teaching including any records of teaching evaluations, and a certified copy of the certificate of the highest academic degree acquired to date), preferably also in digital format as a single PDF document, to:**

Leipzig University  
Dean of the Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science  
Professor Martin Middendorf  
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**by no later than 29 November 2019.**

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