



Hanover, 29 April 2021/ 17 Iyar 5781

### **Vacancy Note**

The Liberal Jewish Community of Hanover K.d.ö.R. is seeking to hire as soon as possible

#### **a full-time rabbi (m/f/n) in Hanover**

The Liberal Jewish Community of Hanover K.d.ö.R. is the largest reform community in Germany and is based on the values of the World Union for Progressive Judaism. In addition to a synagogue, the community also maintains a Jewish cemetery, a Jewish kindergarten, a youth centre as well as a social and migration support centre and a cultural centre.

The task profile includes, among others:

- Religious preparation, organization and implementation of services and Jewish holidays in cooperation with the cantor and the community board
- Rabbinical supervision and preparation of children for the Bat or Bar Mitzvah, e.g. by supporting the children in the comprehension and development of their respective Torah portion
- Advice and support for members and relatives in religious, pastoral and personal matters, including visits to the sick
- Support and implementation of special occasions, e.g. weddings, naming ceremonies, funerals
- Establishing and maintaining contact with community members, volunteers and community staff
- Establishing and strengthening the voluntary commitment of community members
- Preparation and implementation of educational programmes
- Initiation, coordination and implementation of projects
- Public relations and networking as a representative of the community and liberal Judaism in cooperation with the community board, including in interreligious and intercultural dialogue and in social media
- Provision of advice to and cooperation with the community board

We offer:

- A full-time permanent position as soon as possible
- Support in finding an apartment in Hanover
- If necessary, a place for your own children in the Jewish day-care centre 'Tamar'
- flexible working hours to reconcile family and work
- Regular team meetings to promote collaboration and the advancement of community life

We expect:

- a degree in rabbinical studies
- an attachment to progressive Judaism
- Very good knowledge in spoken and written German and Hebrew
- Language skills in Russian and English are an advantage
- Ability to work in a team, strong communication skills and a confident demeanour
- Initiative and motivation in the further development of Jewish life in Hanover and nationwide
- Confident use of social media
- Residence in Hanover or the surrounding area

Please send your complete application as one joint PDF document including your salary expectations by email to: [Gemeinde@ljgh.de](mailto:Gemeinde@ljgh.de)

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Dr Rebecca Seidler, chairwoman of the Liberal Jewish Community in Hanover at [RS@kommunikat-seidler.de](mailto:RS@kommunikat-seidler.de)