

Call for Applications - Teaching and Research Associate

The **Institute for Austrian and International Tax Law** at WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business), is currently looking for:

a full-time **Teaching and Research Associate**.

The positions will start ideally from **September 1st, 2024**, unless otherwise agreed.

Our offer

The **Institute for Austrian and International Tax Law** is the largest institution of its kind worldwide. As well as being active in research and teaching activities at WU, the Institute is involved in many national and international research projects and therefore has an excellent worldwide reputation. Being the hub for the international tax community, the Institute offers a unique academic platform for significant, innovative, and inspiring tax-related research.

The Institute has approximately 90 staff members, most of them academic, as well as many visiting professors and guest researchers from around the world. The Institute's working language is English. We have the capacity to cover a broad range of research areas, including business taxation, VAT, transfer pricing, EU tax law, tax treaties, tax policy and tax administrative issues.

The teaching and research associates work on these research projects and have opportunities to discuss their ideas with experts in the field, working towards producing publications. The research and teaching associates are able to develop their professional skills through research projects, lectures and events on current topics and exchange of ideas with professors, the scientific community and their peers. There is also the possibility to participate in both the Institute's and international conferences as well as research stays abroad to network within the international scientific community and government officials.

The Institute's academic board consists of Prof. Georg Kofler, Prof. Michael Lang, Prof. Alexander Rust, Prof. Josef Schuch, Prof. Karoline Spies, Prof. Claus Staringer, Prof. Pasquale Pistone, Prof. Jeffrey Owens and Prof. Risse and the Institute focuses on the above-mentioned areas.

Your tasks

As a teaching and research associate you will be expected to be involved in research, teaching and self-administration at the Institute for Austrian and International Tax Law.

- Under the guidance of the Institute's professors, you will be expected to develop **your research skills**. You will be expected to work on several **research projects** and then choose your research topics in the area of international, European or corporate tax law. You will be expected to assist professors with their ongoing publications as well as writing joint and independent publications.
- Writing your own **dissertation** is an integral part of your scope of work as a research associate.

- From the start, you will be involved in **teaching** step by step activities. Furthermore, you will gain experience in giving presentations in the frame of international research projects and corporate partners' programs. Teaching will be both in English and German for Austrian and International students and practitioners.
- In **research project management** of the Institute, you will work as an interface between research and administration, assist with conferences and the lecturing program. You will be actively involved in funding research projects and in the management of scientific projects in your field of research.

Our Requirements

- A completed, **Austrian or international degree in law and/or business and economics**, which entitles you to a doctorate at WU, or equivalent qualifications.
- Good knowledge of **Austrian tax law or another tax jurisdiction**.
- Perfect command of the English language; other languages would be beneficial but not essential.
- Very good IT skills and ideally familiarity with new technologies.
- Willingness to learn and an interest in research in the field of Digital Technologies under the academic leadership of professors Owens, Kofler, Lang, Rust, Schuch, Spies, Staringer, Pistone and Risse.

Working with us includes:

- A pleasant working environment in a highly motivated team.
- An international environment, with renowned professors and international leading experts, as well as young colleagues from around the world.
- Flexible working hours.
- Employment with all benefits (medical, pension, insurance, etc).

Employees are subject to the terms of the Collective Bargaining Agreement for University Staff; gross monthly salary, paid 14 times per year: € 2.684,10. This position will be limited to a period of 4 years.

Further information

If you are interested in this job and would like to join our team, please send your application **only** online under www.wu.ac.at/jobs (Reference Number 2098) no later than **June 5, 2024**. For more information on the Institute please see our website www.wu.ac.at/en/taxlaw/, and for the position click [here](#). If you have any additional questions, please contact Ms. Sidonia Behringer (jobtaxlaw@wu.ac.at).