



Vienna University of Economics and Business (WU Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien) is currently inviting applications for the position of

**Full Professor of Corporate Governance and Management Control
(Ref.no. 121405)**

Department of Strategic Management and Innovation

WU Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien is the largest business university in the European Union and is centrally located at the heart of Europe. The University maintains an excellent position as a center for research and teaching and attracts an international group of students and faculty. It offers a broad range of subjects in all areas of economics and business administration. WU is one of only four EQUIS accredited universities in the German-speaking world and is striving to achieve a top position among the leading European business universities. For details, please see www.wu-wien.ac.at.

The new professor will be a member of the full-time senior faculty of the Department of Strategic Management and Innovation. Applicants should have a strong background in empirical research and in economic, accounting or finance theory. The successful candidate will be expected to research and teach in the fields of corporate governance, strategic management and management control, with an emphasis on accounting and based on a sound knowledge of legal rules and standards. He or she is expected to have established an outstanding publication record in the field of empirical research on corporate governance (e.g. the relevance of national legislation and standards including GAAP, executive compensation, approaches to risk management, or strategic decision making and board structure) and management control systems. The successful candidate will be an accomplished professional who will cultivate an environment of excellence and cooperation to augment the Department's academic research and service activities, and will inspire and lead research initiatives with international impact.

With regard to teaching, the new faculty member will be expected to participate in programs at all levels (Bachelor, MSc, PhD and Executive Education; including the existing specializations in Management Control). Teaching experience in English is required. Non-German-speaking candidates are expected to acquire proficiency in German over a certain period of time. The candidate must have experience in conducting third-party funded research projects as well as in translating research into practice. Experience in committees related to corporate governance (e.g. standard setting committees) preferred.

For further details on the position, please contact Professor Gerhard Speckbacher, Chairman, Department of Strategic Management and Innovation, phone +43-1-31336 ext. 5780, E-Mail: Gerhard.Speckbacher@wu-wien.ac.at

Candidates should send their applications (curriculum vitae, list of publications, list of classes held) to the Rector of Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien, Professor Christoph Badelt, Augasse 2-6, A-1090 Vienna, Austria. Electronic applications can be sent to prof.application@wu-wien.ac.at. Please quote the reference no. given above when submitting your application. Applications must be submitted by January 28th, 2009.

The Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration is an Equal Opportunity Employer and seeks to increase the number of its female faculty members. Therefore qualified women are strongly encouraged to apply. In case of equal qualification, female candidates will be given preference.

