

Position Announcement:

Full Professor of Labor Economics (Ref.no 2683-05) WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business)



WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business) is currently inviting applications for the position of a Full Professor¹ of Labor Economics at the Department of Economics.

WU 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 universities in the German-speaking world to have been awarded the full five-year EQUIS accreditation and is striving to achieve a top position among the leading European business universities. For details, please see www.wu.ac.at.

The new professor will join the faculty of the Department of Economics and is expected to cultivate an environment of excellence and collaboration to augment the Department's research, teaching, and service activities. The successful candidate's research should focus on the fields of labor economics and policy from an applied microeconomic perspective.

Applicants should have a) a solid academic qualification (PhD, habilitation degree) in the relevant fields; b) an outstanding publication record in the relevant fields; c) notable experience in empirical research using cutting-edge methods; d) a notable record in attracting and conducting third-party funded research, and e) a demonstrated commitment to excellence in teaching.

The successful candidate will be teaching in programs and supervising theses at all levels (bachelor, MSc, PhD, executive education) and is expected to take an active role in the University's self-governance.

Non-German-speaking candidates are expected to acquire proficiency in German over a certain period of time.

For details of the position, please contact Professor DDr. Ingrid Kubin, Chairperson, Department of Economics, by phone: ++43-1-31336-4456, or email: ingrid.kubin@wu.ac.at.

Candidates should send their applications (including all relevant documents, curriculum vitae, list of publications, list of classes held, etc.) to the Rector of WU Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien, Professor Christoph Badelt, Welthandelsplatz 1, 1020 Vienna. Electronic applications can be sent to prof.application@wu.ac.at. Please quote the reference no. given above when submitting your application. Applications must be submitted by 17th December, 2014.

WU 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. WU has established an Equal Opportunities Working Group, which is involved in all selection proceedings pursuant to § 42 of the 2002 Universities Act.

¹ employed under salary group A 1 pursuant to the Collective Bargaining Agreement for University Employees [Kollektivvertrag für die Arbeitnehmer/innen der Universitäten], minimum gross yearly salary: € 65,769.20; the actual annual gross salary is subject to negotiation.