Mannheim University Library offers a full-time position of a 

Software Developer in a Research Data Management Project (E 13 TV-L) 

starting from 01.07.2019. The position is limited to 36 months as part of a project to establish a research data centre for business and economics (BERD-Center BW). Opportunities for part-time employment are available.

The University Library is the central information infrastructure of the University of Mannheim and is responsible for the provision of information to the university.

The Business and Economic Research Data Center (BERD-Center BW) is one of the four Science Data Centers funded by the state of Baden-Württemberg. The aim of the project is to establish a centre of excellence for data availability and analysis in business and economics. A team of developers and researchers at the University of Mannheim and at the Leibniz Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW) Mannheim is working on this project.

Working language of the project is German or English.

Your responsibilities:

- Software development
- Building of an open ontology for enterprises
- Development of a metadata profile for research data in business and economics
- Building of a meta search of distributed data sources in business and economics
- Interlinking of existing data sets using automated data analysis and entity recognition methods
- Presentation of project results at conferences and in journals

Required:

- Master's degree in computer science (or comparable)
- Strong coding skills (proven in reference projects)
- Skills in text and data analysis and in search engine technology
- Problem solving ability, creativity, team player
- Eagerness to learn and apply new technologies

Preferred skills:

- Experience in the field of databases and search engines
- Skills in research data management, e.g. formats, interoperability, interfaces
Experience in building ontologies
Familiarity with Open Source Development
Working knowledge of Git and GitHub
UNIX shell and scripting languages
Know-how in markup and data formats (JSON, XML, YAML, CSV...)
Basic skills in modern deployment and Continuous Integration strategies (Docker, Travis CI...)

We offer:
A challenging and varied occupation in an innovative team of software developers and researchers
Various possibilities for training and further education
Subsidized public transport ticket
Flexible working hours
An annual salary according to E13 TV-L (http://oeffentlicher-dienst.info/tv-l/west/), depending on personal prerequisites, and the usual social benefits of the public sector

The University of Mannheim is an equal opportunity employer. Candidates with disabilities will be given preference in case of equal qualification. The University of Mannheim seeks to increase the percentage of its female employees. Thus, qualified women are especially encouraged to apply.

Applications should be sent via email or postal mail until 31.05.2019 to the

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Schloss Schneckenhof West
68161 Mannheim
(direktion@bib.uni-mannheim.de)

For any subject-related questions please contact Dr. Annette Klein (annette.klein@bib.uni-mannheim.de).

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