International Posting: Professor for Financial Markets

The University of Mannheim Business School and the Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW) are jointly inviting applications for the position of a

Professor for Financial Markets

The position can be filled at the earliest possible date.

The successful candidate will serve a dual role as the head of the research department “International Finance and Financial Management” at the Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW) as well as a regular professor (civil servant status) at the University of Mannheim. The professor will be mainly based at ZEW, but closely interact and be part of the finance group at the University.

The aim of the research department "International Finance and Financial Management” at ZEW is to analyze financial markets and their effects on the real economy. The group plays an active role in economic policy consulting. It also regularly conducts and publishes the ZEW Financial Market Survey.

The professorship at the University of Mannheim Business School is located in the “Finance” Area. The holder of the professorship represents the field of “Financial Markets” in research and teaching. Moreover, it is expected that the applicant is capable and willing to conduct the offered course program in English and to eagerly participate in academic training for doctoral students within the Center for Doctoral Studies in Business (CDSB). The teaching load is two credit hours.

Applicants should have published in leading finance journals. Profound expertise in the areas of household finance and/or corporate finance is expected. Proven success in fundraising is required, experience in economic policy consulting and in leading interdisciplinary project teams are desirable. Proficiency in German language is required.

Professors are required to be present and approachable at the University and it is assumed that the future holder of the professorship is willing to make the Rhein-Neckar Region her/his place of residency. The requirements for employment conform to § 47 Landeshochschulgesetz (LHG, state university law of the state Baden-Wuerttemberg). Applicants should have acquired a university degree, pedagogical qualification, a doctoral degree, and additional academic achievements.
The University of Mannheim and the ZEW aim to increase the number of women in research and teaching and, therefore, encourages qualified female researchers to apply.

Severely handicapped applicants with similar qualifications are given preference.

Applications with the usual documents should be sent by mail or e-mail to the address below no later than 5 February 2018.

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