

Position Opening

The Junior Professorship of Quantitative International and Environmental Economics at Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg (JMU), Germany, is inviting applications for a

Doctoral Position (payscale TV-L E13, 75%).

The position is financed via the DFG project "International Environmental Cooperation: Determinants, Interlinkages, and Impacts", which is undertaken in cooperation with Prof. Mario Larch (Chair of Empirical Economics at the University of Bayreuth). The contract will start at the candidate's earliest availability and will be fixed term for a period of 2 years. Further employment opportunities will be sought for.

The 2024 Times Higher Education (THE) World University Ranking currently ranks the University of Würzburg 175th globally and 17th nationally and the Shanghai Ranking (2023) ranks the JMU among the 300 most research-intensive universities in the world. The Professorship of Quantitative International and Environmental Economics within the Department of Business Management and Economics offers an interesting opportunity for research in quantitative international trade and the environment. We offer a competitive salary, freedom of research, and funds for conference travel and research assistants.

The following qualifications are required:

- Excellent master's degree in economics or other relevant discipline,
- Strong interest in international and environmental economics,
- Strong background in econometrics and quantitative methods,
- Strong software skills in at least one of the following programs: Stata, R, Matlab, Gams, Python,
- Willingness to contribute as a team member to the activities of the professorship and department.
- Excellent communication skills in English.

The duration of the appointment is limited under the Act of Academic Fixed-Term Contracts (in German: Wissenschaftszeitvertragsgesetz) to facilitate scientific qualification and is subject to legal and personal requirements. Doctoral researchers will have the opportunity to obtain a doctoral degree (Ph.D.) and participate in the Bavarian Graduate Program in Economics (BGPE).

The University of Würzburg is an equal opportunity employer. As such, we explicitly encourage applications from qualified women.

Severely handicapped applicants will be given preferential consideration in the case of broadly equal suitability, ability and professional achievements.

Applications including cover letter, CV, research statement, and names of references should be sent as one PDF at the earliest opportunity to Joschka Wanner (joschka.wanner@uni-wuerzburg.de).

Deadline for applications is February 29, 2024.



Please do not send any original documents to us; only send photocopies. As we need to save costs, we will not be able to return your documents to you. They will be shredded shortly after a hiring decision has been made. If you enclose a postage-paid return envelope, we will return your application documents to you three months after a hiring decision has been made.