

The Chair of Development Research (Prof. Löwenstein) and the Chair of International Economics (Prof. Busse) at the Faculty of Management and Economics have a vacancy for a

**Postdoc Position (m/f/d) in  
Development and/or International Economics  
(39,84 hrs./100%, grade TV-L 13)**

starting November 1, 2021, or the earliest date thereafter. The position is initially limited to two years, with the option of extension. The position will be based at one of the two chairs and will involve research and teaching in the areas of (empirical/applied) development and/or international economics. An overview of ongoing research activities of the two chairs can be found here:

<http://www.wiwi.ruhr-uni-bochum.de/iwb/forschung.html.en>

<http://www.wiwi.ruhr-uni-bochum.de/lef/research/index.html.en>

You may finish your current research and are expected to start new projects within our research areas and preferably with members of our teams.

We offer:

- An attractive work environment within an interdisciplinary and international team at an excellent research university in Europe
- Support for building your own independent scientific career (networking, mentoring, projects, presentations at workshops and conferences, etc.)

We expect:

- a PhD degree in economics (or close to graduation)
- research in the subject areas of one of the two chairs
- independent preparation and teaching of courses in English (teaching load 4 hours per week)
- high motivation, initiative and ability to work in a team
- very good knowledge of English (knowledge of German is helpful, but not required)
- excellent knowledge of econometrics and STATA (or other software packages)
- first experiences in empirical economic research

The Ruhr University Bochum is an equal opportunity employer.

For further inquiries, please contact Jan Wüstenfeld ([jan.wuestenfeld@rub.de](mailto:jan.wuestenfeld@rub.de)). Interested applicants should send their application with the usual documents (cover letter, CV, certificates of bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees as well as one of your papers) by August 29, 2021 at the latest exclusively by e-mail to [iwb@rub.de](mailto:iwb@rub.de). Please send only one pdf file. Unfortunately, application/travel costs cannot be covered. We are looking forward to your application!