



PhD position in Development Microeconomics

at the University of Fribourg, Department of Economics, Chair of Development Economics.

Start date: 1 September 2024.

Deadline for applications: April, 15th.

The Chair of Development Economics is seeking applications for a **5-year (100%) PhD position**. We are looking for a candidate with a strong research interest in microeconomics applied to developing countries. The focus of the position is on research, with a small workload on assistance for teaching and administration of the Chair. Participation to the department's scientific activities is expected.

The Chair's expertise lies in the empirical analysis of broad microeconomic and policy-relevant topics. The Chair's empirical work employs a wide range of different methodologies, and applies it to questions related to health, fertility, poverty, household structure, labor market frictions...

Candidates should have a Master's degree in economics, statistics or a related field, preferably with a good command of econometric tools. Excellent English language skills are required; good French language skills are recommended.

The University of Fribourg offers internationally competitive working conditions. The duration is initially 18 months with the prospect of a further extension up to a total of five years.

To apply, send an email with a single pdf file including: CV, diplomas, and a short presentation of interests to Mrs Nicole Papaux (nicole.papaux@unifr.ch). For a summary of the Chair's areas of interest, see the website <https://www3.unifr.ch/edhe/en>.

For further administrative information, please contact Mrs Papaux. For further academic information, please contact Pr Dumas (christelle.dumas@unifr.ch).