



## 2 Postdoc Positions

(full-time, salary scale E-13/14 TV-L in accordance with experience, research record and complexity of research)

*The Institute of East Asian Studies at the University of Duisburg-Essen has established the IN-EAST School of Advanced Studies on Innovation in East Asia in 2013 supported by a grant of the German Federal Ministry of Research and Education. For the second funding period (until March 2019) we seek 2 postdoctoral researchers.*

The School focuses on the processes of innovation in two research groups: New forms of mobility (e-mobility) and urbanization in East Asia. In this context border-crossing institutional transplants and knowledge transfers shall be one point of specific interest.

The School aims to strengthen the application of well-developed theoretical and methodological approaches to research in area studies. It promotes inter-disciplinary discourses. The research groups are supported by a group of experienced professors acting as mentors and international guest researchers.

Applicants with a background in the field of economics, innovation management, international business, sociology, political science, humanities, urban planning/urban development and engineering (preferably with an application to e-mobility) are invited.

The School offers successful applicants a well-established and highly dynamic research environment as well as a research budget. Further information about these positions can be found on the website of the IN-EAST ([www.in-east.de](http://www.in-east.de)). Interested scientists are invited to contact the director of the School for further information ([markus.taube@uni-due.de](mailto:markus.taube@uni-due.de)).

Applicants are expected to hold a doctoral degree and to have a strong publication record. We are looking for researchers with a track record in research and a proven interest in East Asia; knowledge of an East Asian language and German is an advantage. In particular, researchers with a Japan- or Korea- Studies background are encouraged to apply. Good command of English is a prerequisite.

*Applications (incl. CV, list of publications and a research proposal of up to 5 pages, incl. literature) are to be submitted in one PDF file to the director of the School Prof. Taube ([markus.taube@uni-due.de](mailto:markus.taube@uni-due.de)). In addition, a letter of recommendation from a scholar able to assess your research must be sent directly to Prof. Markus Taube, IN-EAST, University of Duisburg-Essen, Campus Duisburg, Forsthausweg, 47057 Duisburg.*