

We are one of the youngest universities in Germany and think in terms of unlimited possibilities instead of possible limitations. Located in the heart of the Ruhr metropolis, our 11 faculties develop ideas with a future. We are strong on research and teaching, embrace diversity, promote academic potential and commit ourselves to educational equality.

The Mercator School of Management (Faculty of Business Administration) at the University of Duisburg-Essen intends to fill the following professorial chair as soon as possible:

University Chair (salary class W 3 LBesO W) “Business Administration with a Focus on Data Analytics”

Applicants are expected to conduct research and teaching in *Data Analytics* based on *Operations Research* approaches in the faculty's *Business Administration* study programs (Bachelor's and Master's). We would strongly welcome initiatives to engage in the faculty's strategic development.

We plan to appoint a candidate with a scientific history of outstanding publications in relevant national and international journals in the field of *Production, Supply Chain Management* or *Logistics*. Based on research in the respective area, the professorship is intended to establish ties between the faculty's professors specialized in *Optimization* and those working in the fields of *Statistics* and *Econometrics*.

Applicants should have teaching experience in the respective field(s) and be able to hold lectures in the German and English language. When selecting the applicants, the faculty will particularly consider how attractively their teaching concepts could expand the existing major subjects in “Supply Chain Management and Logistics” and add aspects of *Data Analytics* on the Bachelor's and Master's level. This includes creating new methodical lectures in *Data Analytics* that can also be relevant for other major subjects. The University of Duisburg-Essen places great emphasis on excellence in teaching. Candidates will be required to present their teaching methodology, showing its relevance to the profile of the University of Duisburg-Essen.

The successful candidate will have experience with acquiring and managing third party-funded research projects (especially DFG projects).

The hiring requirements comply with § 36 of the Higher Education Act of North Rhine-Westphalia (Hochschulgesetz NRW).

The University of Duisburg-Essen aims to increase the diversity of its members and considers their competences in relation to, e.g., their age or origin (s. <http://www.uni-due.de/diversity>). It aims to increase the number of women on its academic staff and therefore emphatically encourages women with pertinent qualifications to apply. Women with equal qualifications will be preferred in accordance with state equality laws. Applications of qualified disabled persons in the legal sense of § 2 para. 3 SGB IX are also welcome.

Please send your applications, including the usual documents (CV, a list of scientific publications, documents about the scientific and professional development, copies of certificates, details about the personal research profile and the resulting perspectives at the University of Duisburg-Essen, teaching and learning concept, information about previous teaching occupations, experience in academic administration and third party-funded research) to:

Mercator School of Management, Fakultät für Betriebswirtschaftslehre der Universität Duisburg-Essen, Dekanat, Prof. Dr. Peter Anker, Forsthausweg 2, 47057 Duisburg.

Deadline: October 1st 2018

For further information about the chair, its role at the University of Duisburg-Essen and about the Mercator School of Management please visit <https://www.msm.uni-due.de/>.