Research Associate (Postdoc) Political Economy
§ 28 Subsection 2 HmbHG

Institution: Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Sciences, Department of Economics
Salary level: E 13
Start date: 01.03.2024
End of employment period: The initial fixed term is three years. The contract provides for a maximum extension of up to three years depending on the associate’s achievements during the first stage. Providing that a position is available and that requirements have been fulfilled, the associate may apply for temporary civil servant status in accordance with Section 28 subsection 2 HmbHG.
Supervisor: no
Application deadline: 30.11.2023
Scope of work: full-time position suitable for part-time
Repeat call for application: no

Your responsibilities
Duties include teaching and research in the respective department or institute. Research associates may also pursue independent research and further academic qualifications as well as acquire teaching experience. These duties are intended to promote academic achievement. Therefore, at least one-third of set working hours will be made available for the associate’s own academic work. You will have the opportunity to conduct independent research in the area of political economy/applied microeconomics. The research environment allows for interdisciplinary collaborations focusing on the following areas: Voting, Information Aggregation, and Information Transmission; Economic Models of Narratives; Digital Economics and Artificial Intelligence; Gender

1 Hinweis: Ausschreibungen ab E14 werden dem WIPR mit der Möglichkeit zur Stellungnahme vorgelegt.
Economics; Organizational Economics. Ideally, your research interests include applied theory in at least one of the above focus areas. Furthermore, you will be involved in a planned DFG research group on Big Structural Change. Your teaching load is 5 LVs. You are expected to teach exercises/tutorials (Microeconomics I or II, Microeconomics for Business students) if there is a corresponding need in the department. Therefore, a good knowledge of German is required.

**Your profile**

A university degree in a relevant field, plus doctorate. PhD in economics. Very good training in microeconomic theory and experience with independent work on game-theoretic models are also desirable, as well as ideally experience in experimental economics research. Excellent English and good German language skills are required.

**We offer**

- Reliable remuneration based on wage agreements
- Continuing education opportunities
- University pensions
- Attractive location
- Flexible working hours
- Work-life balance opportunities
- Health management
- Educational leave
- 30 days of vacation per annum

If required, you can enter additional benefits here.

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The Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg promotes equal opportunity. As women/men are currently underrepresented in this job category at Universität Hamburg according to the evaluation conducted under the Hamburg act on gender equality (Hamburgisches Gleichstellungsgesetz, HambGleiG), we encourage women/men to apply for this position. Equally qualified and suitable female/male applicants will receive preference.

Severely disabled and disabled applicants with the same status will receive preference over equally qualified non-disabled applicants.

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Use only the online application form to submit your application with the following documents:

- cover letter
- CV
- copies of degree certificate(s)

If you experience technical problems, send an email to bewerbungen@uni-hamburg.de.

More information on data protection in selection procedure.