The Faculty of Economic and Social Sciences at the University of Rostock invites applications for a

W3-Professorship in Service Management

at the Institute of Business Administration, at the earliest possible date (within budget considerations).

Founded in 1419, the University of Rostock is the oldest university in the Baltic Sea region and the third oldest university in Germany. Today, the University of Rostock stands for excellent study conditions and an attractive research profile. Currently, more than 12,000 students are already taking advantage of the above-average broad range of subjects with more than 90 courses of study.

Service management is a building block of both the research profile and the curricula taught at the Institute of Business Administration. The vacant professorship therefore has a key function for defining the profile of the institute. We expect candidates to further sharpen and extend this profile. Furthermore, in both research and teaching the Institute of Business Administration is committed to the transition of the economy towards sustainability and to the enforcement of ESG (Environmental, Social, Governance) criteria. Moreover, candidates are expected to be able to collaborate within one of the departments of the university’s Interdisciplinary Faculty (especially “Maritime Systems” and/or “Ageing of Individuals and Society”).

We are looking for a scholar with a succinct profile as an empirical researcher, as demonstrated primarily by a record of publications in top-tier journals of the field. Demonstrated ability to generate public funding and intense collaborative relations to the international scientific community are also expected.

The professorship further is responsible for teaching courses covering the entire range of service management at both the bachelor’s and master’s level, and for participation in teaching courses in general business administration at the bachelor’s, as well as, courses in (primarily quantitative) methodology at the master’s level. Candidates are required to teach in the German language.

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Qualifications are as per § 58 of the Higher Education Act of the State of Mecklenburg-Vorpommern (LHG M-V): completed university studies, doctoral degree, post-doctoral thesis (“Habilitation”), teaching experience or equivalent, substantial qualifications.

A special focus is placed on academic achievement and teaching qualifications as well academic organization and administration. For this reason candidates should describe previous teaching results, ideas regarding future teaching (including didactic lesson planning) and their prior experience in academic and research management.
In addition, candidates are expected to have experience and interest in developing programs that can attract and maintain external funding.

The professorship is to be filled according to § 61 LHG M-V as a position with civil servant status for life, it is also possible to fill the position as a regular state employee.

The University of Rostock is committed to their university management guidelines. Equal opportunities are part of our personnel policy. The announcement is therefore aimed at all persons regardless of their gender (* gender-neutral). Disabled applicants will be given preference if all other qualifications are essentially equal.

The University of Rostock is especially interested in promoting women within the context of § 7 (3) of the Gender Equality Act, and therefore specifically encourages applications from qualified women. Women will be given priority if their qualifications are essentially equivalent, unless reasons attributable to the person of the competitor predominate.

Applications with the usual documents (full CV, a complete list of academic and professional background, publications, teaching experience, certificates, any additional qualifications, a summary of grants and sponsored research activities and a description of future research plans) should be sent no later than Sept-02-2022 to the Universität Rostock, Dekan der Wirtschafts- und Sozialwissenschaftlichen Fakultät, Ulmestraße 69, 18057 Rostock or by e-mail to dekan.wsf@uni-rostock.de. We would like to point out that your e-mail will be sent to us unencrypted.

The protection of your personal information is very important to us. Therefore, the data collected during the application process will be collected, processed and used in accordance with the relevant data protection rules.

Application costs cannot be reimbursed by the State of Mecklenburg-Vorpommern. We ask you to submit applications only in copy, as they will not be returned after the procedure has been completed.