

The Chair of Development Economics (Prof. Dr. Andreas Fuchs) at the Georg-August-Universität Göttingen is looking to hire a qualified candidate starting 1 September 2019 for a

## PhD Research Fellow

- pay grade 13 TV-L -

position with 50% of the standard work week (currently 19.9 hours/week). The position is limited to three years with the option of renewal. A future increase to 75% is projected depending on budget approval.

### Your tasks

- Independent research and participation in the Chair's research projects
- Presentation of research articles at international conferences and preparation for publication in leading academic journals
- Teaching (of tutorials) in development economics
- Support with the supervision of students and organizational tasks of the Chair

### Your profile

- A university degree (graduate or Master's degree), preferably in Economics, Political Science, International Relations, Statistics, or Business Administration, with the overall grade "good"
- Interest in development economics
- Good knowledge of empirical methods and relevant statistical software (e.g., Stata, R, Matlab)
- Willingness and interest to acquire GIS software skills to process geodata
- Very good computer skills
- Very good knowledge of English
- Willingness to cooperate and enjoying teamwork

The development and implementation of a **PhD project** in one of the research areas of the professorship is desired.

The Chair analyzes research questions of relevance for economic policy in development economics from a political-economy perspective and with quantitative methods. The Chair's main research areas relate to development, trade and investment policies with a special focus on emerging economies and China in particular. The Chair also investigates the political economy of natural disasters, humanitarian crises, and international organizations. Further information about the new professor can be found at the Internet address [www.andreas-fuchs.net](http://www.andreas-fuchs.net).

The University of Goettingen is an equal opportunities employer and places particular emphasis on fostering career opportunities for women. Qualified women are therefore strongly encouraged to apply in fields in which they are underrepresented. Disabled persons with equivalent aptitude will be favored. The university has committed itself to being a family-friendly institution and supports their employees in balancing work and family life.

Please address your application by **16 June 2019** to Prof. Dr. Andreas Fuchs and attach the usual documents (cover letter, CV, certificates of university-entrance diploma and university degrees, other relevant certificates) in electronic form (a **single** pdf file, no larger than 8 MB) to [mail@andreas-fuchs.net](mailto:mail@andreas-fuchs.net). For further questions, please contact Prof. Fuchs at the e-mail address provided.

Please note:

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