**Fulltime Professor in Economics, in particular Finance and Financial markets**

**University School of Economics (U.S.E.)**

**Job description**

The chair in Economics, in particular Finance and Financial Markets is one of the pivotal chairs at the Utrecht University School of Economics. A candidate will not only engage in original and innovative top research and excellent teaching, but will successfully show academic leadership within U.S.E. In that capacity, he/she will contribute to the further development and recognition of the U.S.E. profile internally and externally. This includes the further development of research and teaching in Finance and Financial Markets from a multidisciplinary perspective, successful acquisition of external funding and investing in strong relations with external parties to facilitate the transfer of knowledge to society. To strengthen synergy and performance, cooperation with other researchers at U.S.E. as well as Utrecht University at large is strongly encouraged.

**Qualification**

Candidates are expected to hold a doctorate in economics or business and to have a strong track record in research, demonstrated among others by publications in international peer-reviewed journals or books edited by internationally recognized publishers. Candidates are expected to have interest in and (proven) experience with a multidisciplinary approach to the field of international macroeconomics. Candidates should have a record of achievement in undergraduate and postgraduate teaching and administration, and demonstrable skills in the acquisition of external funding. Good communicating skills and excellent command of spoken and written English are required. While all teaching is in English, non-Dutch applicants are nevertheless expected to learn Dutch.

**Offer**

USE offers in principle a fulltime permanent position in an attractive international work environment . Salary depends on qualifications and experience and ranges from €5.003 to €8.795. (scale H2, H1 of the Collective Labour Agreement Dutch Universities) gross per month, excluding holiday allowance and end-of-year allowance. In addition, Utrecht University offers excellent secondary conditions, including an attractive retirement scheme.

**About the organisation**

As one of the leading research universities in the Netherlands, Utrecht University has great ambitions for its teaching quality and study success rates. Utrecht University School of Economics (U.S.E.) is part of the Law, Economics and Governance Faculty of Utrecht University. U.S.E. aims at world-standard economic teaching and research while encouraging multidisciplinary approaches. U.S.E. stands for the real world perspective. Therefor in its research and teaching, U.S.E. crosses disciplinary borders by collaborating actively with other departments and by participating in the university’s broad research themes, particularly ‘Institutions’, ‘Dynamics of Youth’ and ‘Sustainability’. USE maintains an excellent international network of academic relationships and is continuously working to extend this network. It teaches its curricula fully in English.

We refer to [www.uu.nl/rebo/use](http://www.uu.nl/rebo/use) for more information with respect to the Utrecht University School of Economics.

**Additional information**

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**Apply**

The search will continue until the position is filled, but you are encouraged to apply by January 30-th, 2015. The application should include:

* motivation letter;
* complete and up-to-date curriculum vitae;
* job market paper plus two publications or self-selected working papers
* names and contact details of three referees

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