

The School of Social Sciences at the University of Mannheim invites applications for a position of

Full Professor in Statistics and Social Research Methods (W3, Chair)

beginning at the earliest date possible.

We seek a scholar with an innovative research agenda and teaching experience in social research methods. The ideal candidate should have at least one substantial research area and internationally visible publications in the sociology of the family, education, or social mobility. The successful candidate should be committed to outstanding teaching in these fields and related courses offered in the B.A. and M.A./Ph.D. programs in sociology. Contributions to the research activities at the Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (MZES) are expected. We explicitly welcome participation in the social science doctoral program (taught in English) of the Graduate School of Economic and Social Sciences (GESS).

The successful candidate will demonstrate an excellent track record of publications in leading international journals, commitment to excellence in teaching, and the necessary academic qualifications, as documented by a Habilitation or work of comparable quality.

The University of Mannheim places great emphasis on the training and mentoring of students, and therefore expects full-time presence of its teaching staff on campus and the ability to teach in English. In order to additionally foster the integration of the University into the region, it is expected that professors move to Mannheim or the larger metropolitan area.

The University of Mannheim is an equal opportunity employer. Applicants with disabilities are treated with preference given comparable qualification. The University seeks to increase the number of women in research and teaching and thus strongly and explicitly encourages qualified female scholars to apply.

Please submit your application online at http://jobs.sowi.uni-mannheim.de/. Your application should consist of four PDF-files: a Cover Letter, Curriculum Vitae including a list of Publications, Certificates and Records and the two latest teaching evaluations (in a single file).

If you cannot submit your application online, please send the above-mentioned documents to the Dean of the School of Social Sciences at the University of Mannheim, Prof. Dr. Berthold Rittberger, A5, 6, 68131 Mannheim, Germany (dekanat@sowi.uni-mannheim.de).

All applications received before 31st July 2011 will be given full consideration.