

Call for Position: ECON-PSR-TEMP-2024-21

Fons de finançament/ Financing fund: - FUNDACIÓN RAMÓN ARECES 2022-Björn Richter, R.Areces 2022-PRFUN01422 financiado por Fundación Ramón Areces; título del proyecto: "La financiación exterior de la deuda de los hogares y las administraciones públicas"

Denominació de la oferta/ Offer: Research Support Staff in Finance and Accounting, Department of Economics and Business, Pompeu Fabra University.

Tipus de contractació/ Type of contract:

Durada determinada segons previst Real Decreto-ley 32/2021, de 28 de diciembre, de medidas urgentes para la reforma laboral, la garantía de la estabilidad en el empleo y la transformación del mercado de trabajo.

Tasks to be performed:

The successful candidates will carry out the following tasks to develop the datasets on sectoral financial balance sheets, capital flows and market prices.

- Collecting, cleaning and organising data on financial balance sheets at the sectoral and international level.
 - Analysis of the collected data using the appropriate software (e.g., Stata, R, Python).
 - Academic literature review for articles on Financial Economics (search for relevant literature; evaluate sources; identify themes, debates, gaps; review writing).
- Reporting line: this position reports to the principal investigator of the project.

Requirements

QUALIFICATIONS

Required: Completed secondary school studies.

Desirable: Bachelor's or Master's degree in Economics or related fields, completed or in the final year.

SKILLS / KNOWLEDGE

Required:

Advanced or proficiency level of Excel.

Scientific software: Advanced or proficiency command of Stata.

Languages: Advanced level in English, both spoken and written (CEFR: C1 or C2; IELTS: minimum 7.0; TOEFL minimum 101).

Knowledge of the field: Financial Economics and Econometrics (through education or professional experience).

Desirable:

Optical character recognition (OCR) techniques. Working knowledge of R and Python.

Familiarity with academic literature in Financial Economics and Econometrics.

Coneixements i/o experiència a valorar

Required: experience with working with data for scientific research.
Desired: previous jobs as a research assistant in academia or similar research environments.

Retribució prevista/ Planned remuneration: Import brut anual segons conveni (grups 1, 2 i 3)

Grup i nivell/ Group and level: PSR3 u

Dedicació i jornada/ Dedication and working hours: Part-time, 17,5 hours per week

Selection Criteria

Overview of the process:

18 June 2024 Job advertisement is posted in EURAXESS and in the Department of Economics and Business (Universitat Pompeu Fabra):
<https://www.upf.edu/web/econ/research-project-positions>

Job opportunities > Research Project Positions > Research Support Positions
Position reference: ECON-PSR-INDF-2024-20.

All the announcements of the selection process for this position will be posted on this website.

3 July 2024 Application period ends.

4 July 2024 Publication of the list of admitted and excluded candidates.

Shortlisted candidates will be contacted via email to arrange the online interview; each shortlisted candidate will be given the detailed rating which will be used by the selection committee to assess their fit to the required and desired experience, qualifications and skills/knowledge.

Before or after the interview, if the committee deems it necessary, one or two referees will be contacted, with prior permission of the applicant.

12 July 2024 Publication of the selection process results. Allegations can be submitted in the following 5 working days.

19 July 2024 Selection process ends.

The candidate with the highest score in the selection process will be awarded the job. The minimum score needed to pass the selection process is 60 points.

General rating system

Experience: 60%

Qualifications: 20%

Skills/knowledge: 20%

The detailed rating which will be used by the selection committee to assess the applicant's fit to the required and desirable experience, qualifications and skills/knowledge will be sent to shortlisted candidates.

Comissió de selecció/ Selection Committee:

President: Björn Richter

Vocal 1: Javier Gil-Bazo

Vocal 2: Daniel Serra

Candidates must submit the following documentation to the email

laura.agusti@upf.edu

1. Curriculum vitae

2. Motivation letter in English explaining the applicant's interest in and fit for the position

Data de publicació/ Date of publication: 18/06/2024

Termini per presentar sol·licituds/ Deadline for submission of applications:

03/07/2024

Tractament de dades personals:

Responsable del tractament: Universitat Pompeu Fabra

Carrer de la Mercè, 12

08002 - Barcelona

Finalitat: Gestió de processos selectius del personal docent investigador (PDI) i del personal tècnic, de gestió, d'administració i de serveis de la Universitat (PTGAS)

Drets: Accedir a les dades, rectificar-les, suprimir-les, sol·licitar-ne la portabilitat; oposar-vos a un tractament o sol·licitar-ne la limitació.