

Prague University of Economics and Business Faculty of International Relations

The Department of International Business at the Prague University of Economics and Business (Faculty of International Relations)

is seeking an accomplished and motivated academic researcher for the position of Assistant Professor/ Senior researcher in the field of *International Business* with respect to innovation and sustainability.

Job Description

The objective of the position is to lead and carry out the research in the field of international business (for example, international marketing, management or logistics) tackling the current economic, technological, and societal changes. We look for a candidate who actively contributes to international business-related areas, such as international business strategies and environment, internationalization of SMEs, changing business models due to geopolitical changes, and Al and digitalisation, as well as sustainability.

We are looking for a candidate with a Ph.D. degree from a renowned university. The appointee will be required to conduct research in the field of international business and collaborate with other research teams in the department (and faculty), both nationally and internationally.

The researcher is expected to lead research team(s) in the department, including attracting funding from national and international sources and growing the research team. The suitable candidate would continuously work on the expansion of national and international networks involving both academics and practitioners.

The Department offers

- A dynamic and international work environment.
- Supportive courses and training.
- Services of the Science and Research Department for grant application preparation and subsequent project management in case of successful acceptance by the provider.
- Support from the communication and marketing team at the University.
- Support for research stays abroad.
- Financial support for excellent publication outputs.
- Flexible working hours and a strong emphasis on work-life balance (possibility of home office).
- Competitive salary (min. EUR 4.000,- per month), depending on the candidate's qualification and performance, and special bonuses based on performance.
- Other social benefits (financial support for lunch, 8 weeks of vacation, etc.).
- Working place in the centre of Prague city.



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Qualification requirements

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- PhD (or an equivalent) degree in a relevant field; candidates with a multidisciplinary background and experience in a range of business research methods both qualitative and quantitative are encouraged to apply.
- Postdoctoral or other international work experience in areas related to the described research.
- A strong publication record in high-quality journals that proves the ability for high-quality and relevant research in business, marketing, management, or related fields.
- Proven ability to obtain research funding from national as well as international sources.
- Experience in leading research groups and coordinating research activities.
- Active participation in relevant international scholarly networks.
- Strong interpersonal skills and ability to work independently.
- The ability to work in international teams.
- Fluent written and oral communication skills in English.

For more detailed information on the position, please contact:

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Application instructions

To apply for this job, please send the following documents in English to the email: Andrea Černá: andrea.cerna.kcr@vse.cz

Deadline: April 30th, 2025

Documents required:

- A motivation letter.
- A curriculum vitae and a list of publications.
- The candidate is able to prove the required academic degree upon request.
- An academic portfolio: a free format evaluation of the academic activity undertaken so far (including a description of teaching, supervising and research project experiences) and the competencies required for work detailing how the candidate meets the qualifications of the position.
- Three key publications.
- Any other documents deemed important by the applicant.

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