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Open Position for a PhD Student (research assistant, wissenschaftliche/r Mitarbeiter/in) in Behavioral Economics

The Chair of Behavioral Economics (Professor Urs Fischbacher) at the Department of Economics of the University of Konstanz is inviting applications for the position of a PhD student. Applicants should have a background in economics or in a related field (e.g. mathematics, physics, computer science, psychology, sociology, or political sciences), strong analytical skills, and a strong interest in pursuing research related to the Chair’s research topics (behavioral and experimental economics). Fluency in English is required and fluency in German will be an advantage.

Gross salary will be 75% of a full-time position, in accordance with the regulations of the German public service salary scale TV-L E13. The initial contract will have a duration of three years. The successful candidate will carry out research towards producing scientific publications in economics and contribute to the Chair’s teaching and administrative activities, within the usual limits for the research assistant positions at the economics chairs of the University of Konstanz. The starting date is 1st October 2024.

The successful applicant will also be enrolled as a PhD candidate of the Graduate School of the Social and Behavioural Sciences (GSBS).

If you are interested in this position, please apply via the online application portal of the GSBS and name Urs Fischbacher as a potential supervisor on your application form.

Application Deadline: 15th April 2024.

For further information, please contact Urs Fischbacher.