

We are a young and innovative university in the middle of the Ruhr Metropolis. Distinguished in research and teaching we think in terms of unlimited possibilities instead of possible limitations and we develop ideas with a future. We embrace diversity, promote academic potential and we engage in genuine educational equality.

At the **University of Duisburg-Essen**, in the **Institute for Computer Science and Business Information Systems (ICB)** of the **Faculty of Business Administration and Economics**, the following vacancy can be filled at the earliest possible point in time:

University Professorship for “Business Information Systems and Sustainable Supply Chain Management” (salary class W 3 LBesO W)

We seek to appoint a person whose research deals with digitalization, sustainability, and supply chain management. The professorship is to take over the management of the GUIDE Co-Creation Lab for digital and service-oriented innovations, and is to promote and support start-up activities within the University of Duisburg-Essen. GUIDE is the center for start-ups and Innopreneurship at the University of Duisburg-Essen. The professorship is an integral part of the information systems groups in Essen, which, with the new research focus's professorships, comprises nine professorships - one of the largest business informatics locations in Germany. Together with ten other professorships in computer science and 23 professorships in business administration and economics, the business informatics professorships form a high-performance faculty of business administration and economics at the University of Duisburg-Essen.

Applicants are expected to have the following skills:

- demonstrable research expertise in the areas of sustainable supply chain management and digitalization based on publications in high-impact, peer-reviewed publication venues
- experience in the areas of start-up and transfer, for example, in the form of own start-ups, start-up promotion, and/or industry collaborations
- appropriate experience in the acquisition and implementation of competitive third-party funded projects, preferably from the German Research Foundation (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft - DFG)
- delivery of courses in the areas of supply chain management and sustainability in the Bachelor's and Master's programs in which the Institute of Computer Science and Business Information Systems (ICB) is involved, as well as the delivery of basic lectures in the study programs

Further to the above-mentioned skills, the following are advantageous:

- international visibility through publications in internationally renowned journals, editorships of international journals, participation in scientific societies or associations, stays abroad, or similar
- ability and willingness to cooperate with regional companies and start-ups
- commitment to academic self-administration
- planning and implementation of further education and events around the Co-Creation Lab in coordination with GUIDE
- cooperation in the research focus digitalization in retail and services, as well as relevant experience in these industries

The University of Duisburg-Essen places great emphasis on excellence in teaching. Candidates must present their teaching concepts, showing their relevance to the research profile of the University of Duisburg-Essen.

The hiring requirements comply with § 36 of the Higher Education Act of North Rhine-Westphalia (HG).

The University of Duisburg-Essen promotes the diversity of its members (<https://www.uni-due.de/>)

diversity). It strives to increase the percentage of women in its academic staff and therefore emphatically invites qualified women to apply. In the case of equal qualifications, female candidates will be considered with preference (Equal Opportunities Act). As per § 2 Sect. 3 SGB IX, applications by candidates with a disability or equivalent status are especially welcome.

Applications with the usual documents (CV with a documentation of academic and professional development, a list of publications, copies of relevant documents and certificates, an exposé of the applicant's research profile with reference to its relevance for the University of Duisburg-Essen, a list of courses taught and a teaching philosophy, an enumeration of experience in academic self-administration and a list of successful external grant applications) are to be submitted **by 2021-11-02 at the latest within one pdf-file** using the **subject matter "Bewerbung SSCM"** to the Dean of the Faculty of Business Administration and Economics, Prof. Dr. Christoph Weber:

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Further information on the position, its integration into the University of Duisburg-Essen and into the Faculty of Business Administration and Economics can be found at:

<https://www.wiwi.uni-due.de/organisation/dekanat/informationen-zu-vakanten-professuren/>