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JOB OPPORTUNITY AT ABRI

ABRI Programme Assistant

FTE 0.6
Unit Faculty of Economics and Business Administration
Vacancy number 14030
This vacancy is only open for employees of VU University Amsterdam

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Tasks
Organization & implementation of Doctoral education (including Research Master) and related events:
• Coordinate organization of ABRI’s doctoral education programmes (e.g., booking classrooms and meeting rooms);
• Support instructors in course preparation;
• Be the contact person for ABRI activities, including visiting professors and PhD candidates;
• Coordinate organization of scientific events: ABRI PhD Seminars, ABRI Open Seminars, conferences, research meetings, visiting professors (including workshops and accommodation) etc.

Communication:
• Distribute information about upcoming events;
• Edit the weekly newsletter ABRI-WE;
• Update the ABRI website with news and developments.

General and financial administration:
• Handle ABRI financial declarations and costs;
• Report all FTE course calculations for all instructors involved in ABRI courses;
• Document all ABRI meetings;
• Record student administration.

Requirements
• Fluent in English (written and spoken) and in Dutch (optional) languages;
• Good communication skills;
• Able to facilitate meetings and maintain contacts;
• Experience with organizing events;
• Experience in professional use of social media;
• Proactive, hands-on, and highly independent.

Further particulars
The appointment will be initially for one year. After satisfactory evaluation of the initial appointment, it can be extended. You can find information about our excellent fringe benefits of employment at www.workingatvu.nl like:
• remuneration of 8,3% end-of-year bonus and 8% holiday allowance;
• a minimum of 29 holidays in case of full-time employment;
• generous contribution (70%) commuting allowance based on public transport.

Salary
The salary will be in accordance with university regulations for academic personnel, and depending on experience, range from a minimum of € 2026,00 gross per month up to a maximum of € 2736,00 gross per month (salary scale 7) based on a full-time employment.

Information and application
For additional information please contact:
Prof. dr. S. Khapova, Scientific Director of ABRI
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website: www.abri.vu.nl

Applicants are invited to send a cover letter, with motivation and curriculum vitae, mentioning the vacancy number in the email header, before March 15, 2014 to:
VU University Amsterdam
The Faculty of Economics and Business Administration
to the attention of: Drs. M.Maletic, managing director of the faculty
e-mail: vacature.feweb@vu.nl

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ACE: Research Seminar: March 24, 2014: Prof. dr. Erik Stam
The Amsterdam Center for Entrepreneurship invites you to the Research Seminar by prof. dr. Erik Stam, titled “Intrapreneurship we Trust”. This seminar will take place at the VU University (Main Building), 11A-36, on March 24, 2014 from 15.30-16.30. Please register via ace-feb@uva.nl.

FADO: Seminar: March 27, 2014: Pieter Gautier and Albert Menkveld
Pieter Gautier (Economics) and Albert Menkveld (Finance) will give two presentations on the topic: “Markets with frictions”. This session will be chaired by Willem Verschoor. The seminar will take place in room 7A-06 from 12.00-13.00. Lunch will be provided.

ABRI: PhD Research Day: March 28, 2014
What is new and exciting in business research?! Find out by joining us for our annual ABRI PhD Research Day where ABRI PhD candidates will tell you about their research. Now with only 1.5 years ahead in their PhD trajectory, these researchers will showcase their work for you, FEWEB colleagues. On this PhD Research Day, Stella Pachidi, Emiel Eijdenberg, Evgenia Lysova, Montserrat Prats Lopez, Hella Abidi and Lin Jia are invited to present their work. More information about their research will be made available for all registered attendants soon. During the day we will have a lunch to discuss their research and innovative ideas further. The event takes place on March 28th in room BV 0H-21 from 10:00 – 15:00. Save this date! You are invited to join for the whole, or part of the day. To register for this event, please send an email to Niki Konijn (n.m.konijn@vu.nl) before March 25th, so that we can order the correct number of lunches. Should you have any questions, please contact Maura Soekijad (m.soekijad@vu.nl), director doctoral education ABRI and coordinator of the evaluation day.

FADO: Seminar: April 10, 2014: Eric Bartelsman and Peren Ozturan
Eric Bartelsman (Economics) and Peren Ozturan (Marketing) will give two presentations on the topic “Economic Crisis”. The seminar will take place in room 7A-09 at 12:00-13:00. Lunch will be provided.

FADO: Seminar: May 8, 2014: Suzanne van der Ster and Gabor Maroti
Suzanne van der Ster (Econometrics) and Gabor Maroti (ILI) will deliver two presentations on the topic “Scheduling”. The seminar will take place in room 7A-09 at 12:00-13:00. Lunch will be provided.
FADO: Seminar: May 22, 2014: Lia van Wesenbeeck and Menno Pradhan
Lia van Wesenbeeck (SOW-VU) and Menno Pradhan (Development Economics) will deliver two presentations on the topic “Public Policy”. This event will take place in room 7A-06 at 12:00-13:00. Lunch will be provided.