

## Job opening

The Economics Research Unit at the Institute of Statistics and Mathematical Methods in Economics at TU Wien is offering a position as a

### **Doctoral student / Research assistant**

starting on June 1, 2021 (or by agreement) for the duration of three years. The employment contract stipulates a base salary of € 39,210 gross per year (30 hours/week).

#### **Project:**

- You work towards composing and defending a PhD thesis. A dissertation consists of multiple research papers which are suitable for publication in academic journals.
- You contribute to the research project “On the Optimal Design of Tax-Transfer Policies to Low-Income Households” (OeNB Anniversary Fund, Nr. 18646) in cooperation with the project team.
- You participate in international conferences and workshops with the aim of disseminating your research.

#### **Profile:**

- You have obtained a Master’s degree in Economics, Statistics, Mathematical Economics, Finance, or a related field.
- You have a pronounced interest in the field of quantitative macroeconomics.
- You have a good understanding of quantitative research methods (data analysis, numerical techniques) in economics. Programming skills are desirable.
- You have an affinity and/or prior experience with conducting academic research.
- You are fluent in English.

#### **We offer:**

- Possibility to write a Ph.D. thesis in a well-integrated academic environment.
- Excellent research infrastructure.
- No teaching obligations.
- Opportunities for international collaboration and research visits abroad.

To apply, please send us your CV, transcripts of grades, and a one-page letter of motivation via e-mail ([nawid.siassi@tuwien.ac.at](mailto:nawid.siassi@tuwien.ac.at)). The application deadline is **April 15, 2021**.

For further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us ([nawid.siassi@tuwien.ac.at](mailto:nawid.siassi@tuwien.ac.at)). More information about the Economics Research Group at TU Wien can be found here: <https://www.econ.tuwien.ac.at/>. We look forward to your application!