

The German Institute for Adult Education – Leibniz Centre for Lifelong Learning (DIE) is the central institution for research and practice in the field of continuing education in Germany. It links and supports science and practice by providing data and information and conducts its own research and developmental work. It is a member of the Leibniz Association.

From July 1, 2013, we are seeking for two

Educational Researchers (post-doc position; classification TV-L 13)

for our Research and Development Centre.

Your task

You collaborate in basic research and development projects relevant for application in practical settings. You are able to publish your results nationally and internationally in peer-reviewed journals as well as in practically oriented publications. You present your findings in talks or workshops to politics and practice. Your main research focus lies on learning and instruction, particularly the quality of its processes, on organisations and/or on policies and systems viewed from an international comparative perspective. The positions are initially limited to 3 years with a possibility to prolong the contract.

Your profile

You have a doctoral degree or are in the final stages of finishing your dissertation in educational science or a related field. You have excellent methodical knowledge (qualitative and/or quantitative) demonstrated in at least one research project, good knowledge of the practical adult education field or relevant parts of it, and you are experienced in international working contexts. You like to work effectively and collaboratively in a team-oriented environment with stakeholders from various sectors. For additional information, please contact Professor Dr. Josef Schrader (schrader@die-bonn.de).

In addition, we are recruiting for the position of a

Educational Researcher (doctoral position; part-time, classification TV-L 13).

Your task

You collaborate in the DFG-funded research project "Adult educators' recruting practices and their competencies in personnel assessment when hiring teaching staff". Initially, the position includes the planning, data collection and analysis of a qualitative interview study (including traveling). Subsequently, the task also comprises the development, realisation and data analysis of quantitative surveys. The position is an integral part of the Junior Research Group at the DIE, headed by Dr. Annika Goeze.

Your profile

You have an above-average degree in educational science or in a related social science and profound knowledge of qualitative and quantitative research methods (including the corresponding data analysis software) as well as a good command of written and spoken English. With the given possibility to prolong the contract, the willingness to pursue a doctoral degree is expected. For additional information, please contact Dr. Annika Goeze (goeze@diebonn.de).

We look forward to receiving your application. Please send your resume to

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