

VACANCY FOR A PHD STUDENT

Vacancy type

Research staff

Job title

PhD student

Department

EB05- Department of Accounting, Corporate Finance and Taxation

Occupancy rate

100%

Type of contract

Limited duration

Closing date

March 31, 2018 12:00

Degree

Master degree in Taxation, Business Economics, (Applied) Economics, Business Engineering. MSc students graduating before September 2018 are also welcome to apply.

Job description

The Department of Accounting, Corporate Finance and Taxation (EB05) is looking for highly motivated candidates that wish to write a PhD in corporate taxation. More specifically, we would like to propose a doctoral project on the more stringent documentation requirement for multinationals with the aim of enhancing tax transparency and fighting possible abuse. The project would include both quantitative and qualitative research methods. The precise research agenda will be decided upon jointly with your supervisor and co-supervisor.

Offer

- We offer a full-time position as a PhD scholarship recipient, consisting of an initial period of 12 months, which – upon positive evaluation – can be extended for three more years (max. 4 years in total).
- The Department of Accounting, Corporate Finance and Taxation offers a dynamic and pleasant working environment. The Department enjoys a strong international reputation and is part of a wide network consisting of other universities, companies and institutions. The student will be able to further develop skills through additional PhD courses, seminars and international conferences.
- The contract can start as of 1/09/2018.

Job profile

- The candidate should have a master degree in taxation, business economics, (applied) economics or business engineering.
- Successful candidates should have excellent qualifications at bachelor and master level.
- Excellent statistical skills are considered an asset.
- The candidate must be prepared to work in Ghent (Belgium).
- The candidate should have a high level of proficiency in English sufficient to communicate effectively with colleagues.

Interested?

Please submit applications at the latest by March 31, 2018 and send the following documents to Annelies.Roggeman@Ugent.be:

- Curriculum vitae;
- A cover letter outlining your academic interests, research experience and motivation to work on this project;
- A copy of your grades;
- A copy of your diploma (if already available)

For more information about this vacancy please contact Annelies.Roggeman@Ugent.be