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The **Research Unit Applied Statistics (ASTAT)** of the Institute of Statistics and Mathematical Methods in Economics, TU Wien, invites applications for a

## **Postdoctoral Assistant** and a **Predocctoral Research Assistant**

position to start in **February 2018**.

**Responsibilities:** The successful candidates are expected to conduct research for the research project "*Sufficient Dimension Reduction Methodology in Econometric Modeling and Forecasting*," funded by the Austrian Science Fund (FWF). The research is expected to lead to publications and a PhD dissertation for the student.

**Research Assistant / PhD Student:** The contract is for a 30h/week employment as a PhD candidate for a period of 3 years. The monthly minimum salary is currently (in accordance with FWF) EUR 2.071,00 gross (14x per year). The successful candidate will have a completed master degree or equivalent (e.g., Dipl.-Ing., Dipl.-Inf.), preferably with distinction, in the following fields: Statistics, Mathematics, Applied Mathematics or Computer Science, or equivalent university studies at home or abroad.

**Post-doctoral Assistant:** The contract is for a 40h/week employment for a period of 2 years. The successful candidate will hold a PhD and have an excellent research profile in Statistics, or a closely related field. The monthly minimum salary is currently (in accordance with FWF) EUR 3.626,60 gross (14x per year). Prior experience may result in higher salary.

**Other skills:** Knowledge of English is necessary.

**Application Information:** The application should include the following documents:

- Statement of Research Interests,
- Curriculum Vitae,
- Dissertation, thesis or Master thesis,
- Copies of academic credentials (with translation if not in English or German),
- Contact information of two referees or two reference letters.

Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the positions are filled.

Please send your application documents as a single PDF file via e-mail to [sonja.rees@tuwien.ac.at](mailto:sonja.rees@tuwien.ac.at), including a brief cover letter in the main body of the email and subject: Application for *FWF postdoc* or *FWF predoc* position.

Vienna is a major metropolitan center rich in culture, excellent infrastructure and quality of living and the largest university city in the German-speaking world.

For further information, please contact the project leader, Prof. Dr. Efstathia Bura ([efstathia.bura@tuwien.ac.at](mailto:efstathia.bura@tuwien.ac.at)).