

The Institute of Geography at the **University of Greifswald's Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences** invites applications for a

W1 Junior Professorship for Regional Development

for appointment by 1 April 2020.

Candidates should have expertise in the field of economic geography or a closely related discipline, which is proven by a doctorate and further publications. We are particularly interested in candidates who work in one or more of the following key areas: tourism research, knowledge-based regional development, sustainable regional development, and/or globalisation research. Specific knowledge in the application and advancement of quantitative empirical methods is desirable.

The successful candidate is expected to collaborate with colleagues at the university and with external partners, to play an active role in the raising of external research funds, to supervise doctoral students, and to teach in the following degree courses: M.Sc. in Regional Development and Tourism, B.Sc. in Geography and teacher training courses. Applicants should be willing to participate in academic committees. International experience and the willingness to teach in a foreign language are desirable.

The conditions of appointment are defined in § 62(1) of the *Landeshochschulgesetz* – LHG M-V (State Higher Education Law): a university degree, teaching experience and a high level of scientific research, which is generally documented by an outstanding doctoral degree. In accordance with § 62(2) LHG M-V, the 'junior professor' will be appointed for an initial three year period with the limited status of a civil servant (*Beamtenverhältnis*). After successful evaluation of this period, the position can be extended for a further three years in order to complete the 'junior professorship'.

This vacancy is open to all applicants, irrespective of gender. The University would like to increase the proportion of women in areas in which they are underrepresented and thus applications from women are particularly welcome and will be treated with priority if they have the same qualifications and as long as there are no clear reasons which make a fellow applicant more suitable. Severely disabled applicants with the same professional and personal qualifications will also be given preference.

Unfortunately, application costs will not be reimbursed by the State of Mecklenburg-Vorpommern.

For more information, please contact Prof. Dr. Daniel Schiller, Chair of Economic and Social Geography, via telephone (+49 3834 420 4524) or email daniel.schiller@uni-greifswald.de.

Applications with all usual documents (Curriculum Vitae (CV) detailing the academic career, list of scholarly publications and courses taught, academic certificates, proof of teaching experience, details of externally raised funds) must be sent via email (one pdf file) by the 24 May 2019, addressed to:

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