

The Collaborative Research Center (SFB 884) "Political Economy of Reforms", hosted at the University of Mannheim is looking for a:

**Research-Fellow
(Post-Doctoral Researcher, TV-L 15)**

The mission of the interdisciplinary Research Center (SFB 884) on the Political Economy of Reforms is to gain new interdisciplinary insights into the success and failure of political reforms in democracies. It draws together researchers in economics, political science, sociology, statistics and computer sciences at the University of Mannheim.

The English-speaking environment of the SFB 884, which is funded by the German Research Foundation (DFG), offers an excellent opportunity to work in a team with a strong focus on quantitative research and international collaboration (for more information about the SFB 884, see <http://reforms.uni-mannheim.de/>).

Salary is commensurate with experience and is **at least 53,000 Euros** with additional employer benefits (according to public pay scheme TV-L E15). Furthermore, the SFB 884 supports travelling at conferences, workshops etc.

The successful applicant should hold a doctoral degree in economics, political science or another relevant discipline with a strong analytical and quantitative background. We expect publications, especially in international top peer-reviewed scholarly journals.

The position will be awarded from February 2018 and funding for the position is available until December 31, 2021.

The tasks of the research fellow:

- Collaborating with the projects of the SFB 884
- Managing presentation of SFB 884 research, for example organizing the colloquium
- Reporting about the SFB 884, i.e. organizing the final report to the DFG
- Management tasks at the SFB, for example organization of research colloquia

Applications should be submitted in English and include a CV, copies of your diplomas (including your PhD certificate), publication list, and letter of motivation. The letter of motivation should outline the substantive research agenda of the candidate. In case you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact Prof. Dr. Thomas König (koenig@uni-mannheim.de /+49(0)621-181-2074).

Please send your application with the keyword "**Fellow application**" by **January 26th, 2018** to secretary@reforms.uni-mannheim.de or by mail to:

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As an equal opportunity employer, the University of Mannheim particularly encourages applications from women and persons with disabilities.