
Funded PostDoc position in Management and Organizations at the Institute of Management and Organization (IMO) Università della Svizzera italiana (USI), at Lugano (Switzerland)

USI invites applications for one PostDoc position. The successful candidate will work at the Institute of Management and Organization under the supervision of Professor Filippo Carlo Wezel.

The ideal candidate will have a PhD in Computational Social Science or Computational Linguistics, or in Management, Sociology or Political Science with methodological expertise in Natural Language Processing. S/he should exhibit an interest in the study of the social mechanisms underlying the behavior of organizations, in particular the competitive behavior of political parties, using machine learning on large corpora. A keen interest in, and experience of, Natural Language Processing is required, as well as general expertise in quantitative empirical research. Knowledge of programming languages (e.g., Stata, R, Python) will be considered meritorious.

With its emphasis on rigorous training and high-quality research, the Faculty of Economics at USI provides the successful candidate a valuable first step toward the development of a successful international academic career.

An application should contain a Curriculum Vitae, transcripts of university education, the names of two academic references, and other materials (e.g., PhD Thesis and writing samples) that s/he deems relevant. In addition, candidates shall include in the application a short letter discussing interest, motivation, and fit with the position. The candidate is also welcome to include significant certifications (e.g. TOEFL, GMAT, GRE...).

The position is up to four years with competitive salary.

Applications should be sent directly to wezelf@usi.ch.

Application received before February 15th 2021, will be given priority.