

The **Center for Macroeconomic Research (CMR), Faculty of Management, Economics and Social Sciences, University of Cologne, Germany**, is pleased to announce the following vacancy for January 2012:

## Post-Doctoral Research Fellow (full time, TV-L 13 or A13 a.Z.)

The Post-Doctoral Research Fellow will be associated with the Center of Macroeconomic Research (CMR) and integrated into the research network of the Center and the Cologne Graduate School.

Successful candidates will hold a graduate scientific degree. Candidates preferably have a recently or nearly completed doctorate with exceptional success shown by first publications in peer-reviewed journals or papers suitable for publication.

Applications are invited in the areas of Macroeconomics and Public Economics. Theoretical, empirical and quantitative competence is valued.

The position is a full-time position. Salaries are based on the German TVL-13 scale if terms and conditions of collective bargaining law are fulfilled. If the doctorate is completed and conditions of German civil service law are fulfilled a possibility to change to the public servant salary scale (A13, Verbeamtung auf Zeit) exists. The position has an initial contract period of three years and based on an evaluation the option of an extension exists.

The successful candidate is expected to assume limited teaching responsibility (one class with integrated section) in the undergraduate, master or graduate education. The teaching language is either German or English. Knowledge of German is not required.

The University of Cologne is an equal opportunity employer in compliance with the German disability laws. Women and persons with disabilities with equal capability, suitability and professional experience are favoured and strongly encouraged to apply.

For information about the Center for Macroeconomic Research (CMR) see <http://cmr.uni-koeln.de>. For further information, please contact Professor Dr. Alexander Ludwig ([Ludwig@wiso.uni-koeln.de](mailto:Ludwig@wiso.uni-koeln.de)).

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter with a statement of their research agenda, scientific CV, academic transcripts, job market paper(s) and two references to [ina.dinstuehler@wiso.uni-koeln.de](mailto:ina.dinstuehler@wiso.uni-koeln.de) (email only) January 31, 2012.

Note: No interviews will be held at the ASSA Meeting. Shortlisted candidates will be contacted and invited for onsite visits.

