

Position to pursue a PhD-study on Family Life and the Labor Market

The ROCKWOOL Foundation is hiring a PhD student within the field of studies of Family Life and the Labor Market. The preferred candidate for the position has a strong background in quantitative methods (including methods for causal inference) and holds a Master's degree or equivalent in a social scientific discipline. The position is time limited (approximately 3 years for the PhD-study plus time for initial onboarding).

The Position

The PhD student will work at the Research Unit, and we expect him or her to work closely with the Research Unit's other researcher and PhD students. We expect the candidate to both carry out research projects on their own initiative and take part in joint projects under the supervision of other researchers in the Research Unit within the subject of Family Life and the Labor Market. The position requires the candidate to enroll in a well-regarded PhD program at a relevant university.

The Research Area

Research on Family Life and the Labor Market includes but is not necessarily limited to one or more of the following subjects: family living arrangements and wellbeing, family types and labor market participation, the intergenerational transmission of resources, and level-of-living. We also expect the candidate to participate in the Research Unit's work on time-use.

Educational background and qualifications

The preferred candidate has:

- A Master's degree or equivalent in economics, Sociology, Mathematics-Economics or similar.
- Extensive qualifications in quantitative methods (statistics and econometrics).
- The ability to both work independently with own projects, and to be able to contribute actively to joint research projects.

Salary and conditions of employment

The position is a fulltime position with standard conditions and salary according to the candidate's qualifications and experience.

For additional information: Contact Deputy Head and Research Leader Signe Hald Andersen (+45 33344808) or Senior Researcher Peter Fallesen (+45 33344812).

Application

Please submit an application (preferably with concrete research ideas), CV and other relevant information to Gabriele Grotjohann (ggr@rff.dk) no later than May 31st, 2018.