



**SFI - The Danish National Centre for Social Research  
in collaboration with  
Department of Sociology, University of Copenhagen**

SOCIOLOGISK INSTITUT  
KØBENHAVNS UNIVERSITET

**Professorship in Quantitative Sociology**

SFI - The Danish National Centre for Social Research invites applications for one or two professorships in Quantitative Sociology in collaboration with Department of Sociology at the University of Copenhagen. The position(s) is(are) available from August 1<sup>st</sup> 2012 or as soon as possible thereafter.

**Qualifications**

Following general qualifications are required to be qualified for the position:

- A high degree of original academic production at international level within the field of Quantitative Sociology which documents that the applicant has contributed to developing the academic field
- Strong teaching qualifications
- Management experience in relation to research and teaching

A successful candidate will have a strong research record in Quantitative Sociology and be capable of, and willing to make substantial contributions to the academic environment and work at the National Centre for Social Research as well as at the Department of Sociology and to provide first-class teaching. Applicants are expected to contribute to the development of teaching in quantitative methods at the department of Sociology.

**Job description**

General duties attached to the position as Full Professor are:

- Research within the field of Quantitative Sociology
- Teaching, supervision and examination of undergraduate, post-graduate and PhD students
- Administrative tasks related to the position as Full Professor
- Knowledge sharing with the rest of the society
- Research and teaching management
- Fundraising

The Centre for Social Research and the Department are devoted to excellence in research and teaching and the new professor(s) should contribute to this. The professor will also be expected to conduct (some of her/his) research within the research areas of the National Centre for Social Research. The professorship(s) is/are co-financed by the Danish National Centre for Social Research and the Department of Sociology. The professor is supposed to be active in both research environments and contribute to both.

For additional information about professorships, see: "Job Structure for Academic Staff at Universities 2007", which is found at:

[http://www.ubst.dk/lovgivning/ny\\_stillingsstruktur\\_eng.pdf](http://www.ubst.dk/lovgivning/ny_stillingsstruktur_eng.pdf)

**Conditions of employment**

The Professorship is a tenured position. Terms of appointment and payment will be in accordance with the agreement between the Danish Ministry of Finance and the Danish Confederation of Professional Associations (AC). The annual salary is currently DKK 521,094 (EUR 69,955 app.) plus an annual supplement of DKK 51,377 (EUR 6,897 app.). In addition to

the salary paid directly to you, the University will also pay a monthly contribution to your pension fund corresponding to 17.1% of your salary. Negotiation for additional supplements will be possible. A special 26% tax scheme is offered for up to five years to researchers recruited abroad, see <http://ism.ku.dk/taxes/>

## **Applications**

Applications must be in English. The application, documentation and marked publications (please notice that only hard-copies of publications will be returned) **must be submitted in 5 copies**, and must include the following information and documentation:

- A full CV, including name, address, telephone number, e-mail, previous and present employment and academic background, including a record of research and international research cooperation.
- A complete and numbered list of publications. The publications enclosed in the application – maximum 10 - that the applicant would like the assessment committee to consider should be marked with an asterisk (\*).
- Documentation of experience with managing research and/or teaching.
- Teaching portfolio in accordance with the Faculty's rules: [http://socialsciences.ku.dk/faculty/publications/teaching\\_portfolio/](http://socialsciences.ku.dk/faculty/publications/teaching_portfolio/)
- Documentation of the ability to disseminate information to and share knowledge with society at large.

If publications marked by an asterisk (\*) are the result of a joint effort, the extent and the nature of the applicant's contribution to each individual work must be clarified in the application, and if possible, a declaration from the co-authors or the head of the institution or office at which the work was completed should be enclosed as well.

## **Assessment of applicants**

After the deadline of the application period, an assessment committee will be established. Applicants will be informed of the composition of the committee. The assessment of applicants will primarily consider their level of research. Teaching, managerial and outreach qualifications of applicants will also be considered. When the committee's evaluation is available, each applicant will receive the part of the assessment that relates to him-/herself. The terms of reference of the appointment process include that interviews may be held.

The Danish National Centre for Social Research and The University of Copenhagen welcomes applications from suitably qualified candidates regardless of age, gender, race, religion or ethnic background.

### **ABOUT THE DANISH NATIONAL CENTRE FOR SOCIAL RESEARCH**

The Danish National Centre for Social Research is an independent governmental research centre specializing in applied social research. The centre is multidisciplinary and aims at combining high quality research and research-based analyses and policy evaluations. Its mission is to inform policy making, legislation and administration of welfare state policies. The centre employs approximately 70 researchers.

### **ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN**

Situated in the centre of Copenhagen, the Department of Sociology at the University of Copenhagen is a highly research-oriented department within Denmark's premier university. The Department conduct education at BA, MA and Ph.d. level and has approximately 700 students. The research plan of the Department can be found at [www.soc.ku.dk](http://www.soc.ku.dk). The Department employs approximately 50 researchers.

Initial enquiries about the position can be made to Executive director of Research at the Danish National Centre for Social Research, Ole Gregersen, Herluf Trolles Gade 11, DK-1052 Copenhagen K + 45 33 48 08 70, email [og@sfi.dk](mailto:og@sfi.dk) or to the Head of Department, Carsten Strøby Jensen, Department of sociology, Øster Farimagsgade 5, building 16, DK-Copenhagen K, telephone: +45 35 32 39 44, email: [csj@soc.ku.dk](mailto:csj@soc.ku.dk). Information about the National Centre for Social Research can be found at <http://www.sfi.dk>. Information about the Department of Sociology can be found at [www.sociology.ku.dk](http://www.sociology.ku.dk).

The deadline for applications is **March 20, 2012**.  
The application **must be submitted in 5 copies**.  
Material received after the deadline will **not** be taken into account.

The material must be sent to:  
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**Herluf Trolles Gade 11**  
**1052 Copenhagen K**  
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