



The University of Oslo is Norway's largest institution of research and education with 28 000 students and 7000 employees. Its broad range of academic disciplines and internationally esteemed research communities make UiO an important contributor to society.

The faculty is composed of three departments and a research centre with a total of nearly 250 employees and 2 500 students. We offer three different bachelor degrees and ten masters programmes, as well as Norway's most prestigious teacher-training program and several joint interdisciplinary programmes.

The combination of a long history of practice orientation with pockets of research excellence in theoretical disciplines has contributed to the development of a unique research foundation for our academic programs. Our research portfolio includes education, special needs education, and curriculum studies, as well as related topics, such as school leadership, virtual learning technologies and new media.



Print



Send application

Centre for Educational Measurement Post-Doctoral Research Fellowship

The Centre for Educational Measurement at University of Oslo ([CEMO](#)) is a newly established unit at the Faculty of Educational Sciences, University of Oslo. It will pioneer basic and applied research on educational measurement in Norway, and will conduct research relevant to educational measurement at all levels of the educational system: early childhood education, primary and secondary education, and higher education. CEMO is to have a strong emphasis on quality of research, as manifested among other things through publications in international peer-reviewed journals.

The Centre will also participate in education of master- and doctoral level candidates at the Faculty of Educational Sciences within the field of educational measurement. CEMO shall, furthermore, develop and disseminate knowledge to different stakeholders in the sector of education.

The post-doc position is a three-year position. Own research in the field of educational measurement is the main responsibility. The position also encompasses other responsibilities, amounting to 10 % of full time. These responsibilities can include development and teaching of courses at master and doctoral levels; advising master and doctoral students; participation in applied research projects in the field of educational measurement, and participation in consulting, dissemination and service activities.

Qualifications

- Applicants must have earned a doctorate in an area of relevance to research in educational measurement (e.g., education or other social and behavioral sciences; statistics, psychometrics, or other quantitative research methodology). Applicants who have not yet defended their dissertation must have submitted the dissertation for assessment by the application deadline
- Candidates should have knowledge of methodological and theoretical issues in the field of educational measurement, and be specialized in one more methodological approaches of relevance for educational measurement.
- A record of publication in areas relevant to educational measurement is required.
- The successful candidates must be able to publish in English

Duties and responsibilities:

- The completion of a research project in accordance with the project proposal
- National and international academic publication of research results
- Dissemination of research results to relevant professional communities and the general public
- Teaching and supervision within the required duties share of the position

Please also refer to the regulations pertaining to the conditions of employment for [post-doctoral](#) fellowship positions.

Application procedure

Applications **must** be submitted electronically by the electronic recruiting system EasyCruit, and must contain a cover letter and curriculum vitae.

Applicants must also submit an 8-page (maximum) project proposal which describes the planned post-doc project. The proposal should include a statement of the problem and the aims of the research, a review of previous research, and a description of how the research project is to be conducted.

In addition to the project proposal, the application must contain a CV (complete information on the applicant's education, previous positions, teaching experience and competencies, administrative experience, and any other qualifying activities). The application must also contain transcripts and references, a complete list of publications, up to 5 academic works that the applicant wishes to be considered by the evaluation committee, and the doctoral dissertation.

The rank-ordering of applicants will be based on the quality of published research and the

quality and relevance of the project proposal.

Interviews with potential candidates will be part of the selection process.

We offer

- Pay Grade 57-64 (NOK 456 100,- - 519 000,-)
- We offer broad training possibilities within a stimulating academic environment
- [Good welfare conditions](#)
- Favourable Retirement arrangement

The University of Oslo has an agreement for all employees, aiming to secure rights to research results a.o.

The University of Oslo also has a goal of recruiting ethnic minorities to Norway in academic positions. Ethnic minorities are encouraged to apply.

Pursuant to section 25, subsection 2, of the Freedom of Information Act, information concerning the applicant may be disclosed to the public, even if the applicant has requested not to appear on the list of applicants.

Job type:
Contract

Working hours:
Full-time

Working days:
Day

Application deadline:
24 March, 2013

Reference number:
2012/14713

Home page:
<http://www.uv.uio.no/>

Contacts:

[Adviser Anne Cathrine W G Lehre](#)

Telephone: +47 22854151

[Professor Jan-Eric Gustafsson](#)

[Adviser Anita M. Hansen](#)

Telephone: +47 22858098



[Send application](#)

Besøksadresse

Problemveien 7
0313 OSLO

Postadresse

Postboks 1072
Blindern
0316 OSLO

Telefon

22 85 50 50

Faks

22 85 62 50