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**University of
Bergen**
Department of
Economics

Jobbnorge ID: 177308

Deadline: 11/24/2019

Website: <https://www.uib.no/om/84775/ledige-stillinger-ved-uib>

Scope: Fulltime

Duration: Permanent

Professor/Associate Professor in Health Economics

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Professor/Associate Professor in Health Economics

At the [Faculty of Medicine](#), the [Department of Global Public Health and Primary Care](#) (IGS), and the [Faculty of Social Sciences, Department of Economics](#), there is a full-time permanent position as professor/associate professor in Health Economics. The applicants are primarily evaluated according to the list of qualifications and personal qualities. If two applicants are found equally qualified along these dimensions, an applicant qualified as full professor will precede an applicant without such qualification.

The position is hosted by the Section [Ethics and Health Economics](#) at IGS, and the Research Group [Welfare, Labour and Health](#) at the Department of Economics. The work place will be decided upon appointment.

Work tasks/research field:

The successful applicant will be particularly responsible for research projects that bridge the two university milieus. This could involve contributing to health economic research in clinical trials or using economic theory and methods to study relevant issues in the organisation and funding of health services. The University of Bergen aims to be playing a national leading role in the economic evaluation of health interventions, and the successful applicant will contribute to the university attaining this goal.

Qualifications and personal qualities:

- The applicant must have a Norwegian PhD degree or corresponding qualifications in economics and have expertise in health, or in health economics. In the case of any doubts about the equivalency of non-Norwegian qualifications, these will be evaluated by [NOKUT](#) (the Norwegian Agency for Quality Assurance in Education)
- The successful applicant will teach at both the Faculty of Medicine and at the Faculty of Social Sciences at the University of Bergen, and must have excellent pedagogical skills
- Basic teaching training is a requirement, both formally education and teaching experience. It is important to enclose documentation of courses etc. and teaching skills. The successful candidate will be offered appropriate training if this requirement has not been met before the appointment
- Weight will be given to the successful applicant's ability to create a research milieu based on their own network building, nationally and internationally, as well as their ability to attain external funding
- Special weight will be given to documented ability to publish peer-reviewed articles in highly rated international academic journals. Special weight will be given to academic research published during the last five years
- Weight will be given to the applicant's competency in methods suitable for evaluating health initiatives as well as his/her interest in interdisciplinary research questions

Experience in leading research projects, coordinating research activities, and strategic work will be emphasized, as will documented willingness and ability to collaborate.

The teaching language will normally be Norwegian. The successful applicant must be able to teach in Norwegian or one of the other Scandinavian languages within two years of his/her appointment. Norwegian courses will be offered.

We can offer:

- A good and challenging international working environment in two faculties with an academic environment that is in the forefront nationally and internationally
- Professional challenges with opportunities for personal development and skills development

- Professor salary will be paid in accordance with level 77-82 (code 1013) on the government salary scale, at present NOK 741 300 - 860 300 gross p.a. for a full-time position. For an associate professor the initial salary pay grade is 68-75 (code 1011/ pay framework 24) on the government salary scale; at present NOK 615 900 - 704 900 gross p.a. for a full-time position; following ordinary meriting regulations. In the case of highly qualified applicants a higher salary may be considered
- Enrolment in the Norwegian Public Service Pension Fund
- Good [welfare benefits](#).

Your application must include:

- CV
- Scanned copies of your certificates
- List of attachments providing evidence of teaching qualifications
- complete list of scholarly works, with information about where these have been published
- List of works on which the committee should place special emphasis in its evaluation with information on where they have been published
- **Scholarly works, or parts of such works on which the committee should place special emphasis in its evaluation (max 15) in PDF**
- Two referees (name and contact information)

It is very important that each of the scholarly works on which the committee should place special emphasis, is attached in its entirety (PDF).

General information:

Detailed information about the position can be obtained by contacting Head of Department of Global Public Health and Primary Care, Professor Guri Rørtveit, phone: +47 55 58 61 41, e-mail: Guri.Rortveit@uib.no or Head of Department of Economics, Professor Tommy Staahl Gabrielsen, phone: +47 55 58 92 21, e-mail: Tommy.Gabrielsen@uib.no

The state labour force shall reflect the diversity of Norwegian society to the greatest extent possible. People with immigrant backgrounds and people with disabilities are encouraged to apply for the position.

We encourage women to apply. If multiple applicants have approximately equivalent qualifications, the rules pertaining to moderate gender quotas shall apply.

The University of Bergen applies the principles of public openness when recruiting staff to academic positions. Information about the applicant may be made public even though the applicant has requested not to be named in the list of applicants. The applicant will be notified if their request is not respected.

For further information about the recruitment process, click [here](#).

About The University of Bergen

The University of Bergen is a renowned educational and research institution, organised into seven faculties and approximately 54 institutes and academic centres. Campus is located in the centre of Bergen with university areas at Nygårdshøyden, Haukeland, Marineholmen, Møllendalsveien and Årstad.

There are five departments and seven centres at Faculty of Medicine. [Read more about the faculty](#) and departments.

There are seven departments and three centres at Faculty of Social Sciences. [Read more about the faculty](#) and departments.

Additional information

Place of service:

Kalfarveien 31 og Fosswinckels gate 14 5020 Bergen (Bergen Municipality)