

THE INSTITUT DE RECHERCHES ECONOMIQUES ET SOCIALES (IRES)
of the UNIVERSITE CATHOLIQUE DE LOUVAIN
at LOUVAIN-LA-NEUVE, BELGIUM
invites applications for

A ONE-YEAR POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP IN ECONOMICS
starting in the fall of 2010

Privileged fields : The research interests of the candidate should be in one of the following fields:

- macroeconomics (business cycles, growth and development theories, sustainable growth, history of macroeconomics)
- labour economics, social policies and evaluation
- international economics (trade and factor mobility)
- economic demography and intergenerational issues (economics of fertility, migration, and aging).

In particular, the candidate should be able to interact with some IRES members.

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General conditions : Candidates must have successfully defended their PhD thesis before starting the fellowship. In addition, they may not have carried their normal activity in Belgium for at least two years at the starting date. Appointments, which are typically for one year, but with the possibility of renewal, are research positions; a light contribution to post-graduate teaching might be required. Net salary is of the order of 2050 euros per month. Members of the EU are covered by the Belgian social insurance scheme. Non-members are only insured for health care and can receive child benefit. IRES will provide the fellow with office space, computer facilities, assistance in finding suitable accommodation, etc.

Applicants should send an e-mail to the research director (frederic.docquier@uclouvain.be) and the president (bruno.vanderlinden@uclouvain.be) not later than **December 31, 2009**.

The core of this mail should contain the following information :

- your name
- your current affiliation (university, research center, etc.)
- your main fields of research in a number of keywords
- two names and addresses (including e-mail) of persons who can be contacted for reference on the candidate
- an URL-link at which a sample of research papers in pdf format can be downloaded

The two following pdf-files should be sent in attachment :

- a complete curriculum vitae
- a statement of research interests

Submissions that do not obey the mentioned instructions will not be considered.

For more information about this call, contact the IRES research director: frederic.docquier@uclouvain.be