

Position Announcement
Open Position¹ in Portfolio Management and Asset Pricing
(Department of Financial Management and Control)

ESADE Business School seeks to appoint a faculty member at assistant or associate professor level with a strong background in Portfolio Management and Asset Pricing. The position of full-time professor in the Department of Financial Management and Control will be appointed in September 2012. The successful candidate will contribute both theoretical and applied aspects of the Portfolio Management research area and will have an active research agenda. The applicant is also expected to play an active role teaching in our graduate courses (MBA, MSc Finance and Executive Education).

The candidate should have a Ph.D. in the area, and possess outstanding research and teaching qualifications. Possible areas of research and teaching include topics in Asset Pricing, Capital Markets and Applied Econometrics.

The Department of Financial Management and Control is made up of a core of sixteen faculty members and around thirty highly qualified external professionals who actively participate in ESADE programmes. In addition, a further fifty professionals are involved in teaching activities and collaborate in transmitting knowledge related to Finance issues.

The areas of knowledge covered by the Department have a central core designed to provide sound and broad-based learning in the basics of Finances. This core is made up of: Corporate Finance; Accounting and Control Systems; and Markets. Advanced tuition, enabling more specific professional development, provides a thorough grounding in the three main subjects in Finances.

Research in the department is related to subjects such as Management Control and Innovation, Mergers and Acquisitions, Corporate Finance in Emerging Economies, Market Microstructures, Financial Market Integration, Share Issues, Credit Risk and Venture Capital.

ESADE is a member of the Universitat Ramon Llull and has facilities in Madrid and Barcelona. It runs a wide range of business courses at degree and postgraduate levels in Spanish and English in Europe and Latin America. ESADE has co-operation agreements with many top universities around the globe. **ESADE Business School**, is ranked TOP 20 world wide in the important global rankings: globally **ranked no. 21** business school, Financial Times, January 2011; **international ranked no. 2** School in corporate social responsibility; Aspen Institute, October 2011; **globally ranked no. 4** non-US school, Business Week, October 2010; **globally ranked no. 5** Customized programs in Executive Education, Financial Times, May 2011; **globally ranked no. 5** Open programs in Executive Education, Business Week, November 2011; **globally ranked no. 17** business school, The Economist, September 2011.

ESADE is involved in an effort to further internationalize its faculty as demonstrated by recent international hiring and recruitment plans for the years to come. In addition ESADE is making

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strong commitment to intensifying its research activity. This is reflected in its strong commitment to strengthening its Department of Financial Management and Control with internationally-recognized research-oriented faculty in the next few years.

The salary for this position will be competitive. On top of the gross salary, assistance will be given towards the cost of relocation. Speaking Spanish is not a requirement. For non Spanish-speaking candidates support in learning Spanish will be provided by ESADE Language School.

Informal enquiries, which will be treated in strict confidence, can be addressed to Carmen Ansotegui, Head of the Department carmen.ansotegui@esade.edu.

Formal applicants should send:

- Cover letter & Curriculum vitae
- Short description of research and teaching statement
- Two or three recent publications or working papers
- Materials documenting your university teaching (if applicable)
- Three letters of reference

This information should be sent to Silvia Espin (Manager for faculty development at ESADE Business School by e-mail (facultypositions@esade.edu)). **Please state on the subject of the email REF- Portfolio Management and Asset Pricing.**

The committee will begin reviewing applications until the position is filled. Materials submitted as part of an application cannot be returned.