ESADE Business School, Barcelona, Spain

Position Announcement
Tenure-Track Faculty Position in Operations
(Department of Operations Management and Innovation)

ESADE Business School seeks to appoint an Assistant professor level with strong background in Operations. The position of full-time professor in the Department of Operations Management and innovation will be appointed in September 2013. The successful candidate will contribute to both theoretical and applied aspects of the department’s research. The applicants are also expected to play an active role in teaching on undergraduate courses (Bachelor in Business Administration) and graduate courses (MBA FT).

The candidate should have a PhD in the area, and possess outstanding research and teaching records. Main fields of research should be: Process Improvement, Operations Strategy and Global Operations, Performance Measurement Systems and Operational Risk Management.

Focus on applied research and a minimum of two years experience in teaching core operations management courses, as well as two years of company experience prior to PhD, are key valued competences. Additionally, the potential to publish in top Operations Management refereed journals, the ability to conduct multidisciplinary and international research projects are desirable qualifications.

The Department of Operations Management and Innovation at ESADE (http://www.esade.edu) is a young and dynamic group with close collaborative research links with the services, the industry and European and US academic institutions. The successful candidate will play a key role in furthering development of the research-driven postgraduate programs in this field and in disseminating research results through publications, conferences and teaching.

ESADE is a member of Ramon Llull University 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 in the important global rankings: Europe ranked no. 12 business school, Financial Times, January 2012; 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 has been 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 has made a strong commitment to intensifying its research activity. This is reflected in its strong commitment to strengthening its Department of Operations Management and Innovation with internationally-recognized research-oriented faculty in the next few years.
The salary for this position will be competitive. Spanish is not a requirement, but it will be considered. Assistance will be given towards the cost of relocation, and for non-Spanish-speaking candidates, assistance in learning Spanish will be provided by ESADE’s Executive Language Center.

Informal enquiries will be treated in the strictest confidence and can be addressed to Prof. Miguel Heras, ESADE Department of Operations Management and Innovation. (miguelangel.heras@esade.edu).

Formal applicants should send:

- Curriculum vitae
- A letter describing their research and teaching
- Two or three recent publications
- Materials documenting their university teaching
- Three letters of reference

All this information should be sent to Silvia Espin, Manager for Faculty Development at ESADE Business School, either by e-mail (facultypositions@esade.edu) or by mail to:

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The deadline for applications is 22nd of June 2012. The committee will be reviewing applications since then and until the position is filled. Materials submitted as part of an application cannot be returned.