Vacancy

European Centre of expertise in the field of labour law, employment and labour market policies

The Institute of Labour Law and Civil Law at the Goethe University of Frankfurt am Main in Germany chaired by Professor Dr Bernd Waas is looking for two exceptional Legal Researchers (E13 TV-G-U, full-time) to contribute to the research work of the legal strand of the European Centre of expertise in the field of labour law, employment and labour market policies, namely the European network of experts in the field of labour law at the earliest possible start date until 30.04.2017 (the possibility of three extensions is foreseen leading to a maximum duration of employment of four years).

The network provides regularly independent advice, analysis and information to the European Commission concerning the national labour law legislation, its application and administrative practice necessary to objectively monitor the legal situation in the Member States and identify problems encountered in ensuring conformity of the above with the requirements of European Union Law. It is composed of highly qualified experts in labour law coming from the Member States and the EEA countries.

The successful candidates will provide support to the Coordinator of the Network, Professor Dr Bernd Waas, and will be mainly responsible for managing, reviewing and editing the reports of the national experts.

This challenging work requires successful completion of the First German State Examination in law or an equivalent university degree in law and a strong interest in labour law. Expertise in comparative and European labour law is a plus. Excellent knowledge of English and good communication skills are required. Furthermore, applicants must be able to organise their activities independently and with great diligence while working as part of a team. The applicants must be proficient in Microsoft Office. Prior experience in editing and proofreading legal documents for publishing and work experience in an international environment are desirable.

If you are interested in this position, please send your application with all supporting documents by email to Hilke Flechsig (Flechsig@jur.uni-frankfurt.de) by 05.06.2016 at the latest.