



PhD position (m/f/d, TV-L E13, 65%) in Sport Economics

The Institute of Sports Science at the University of Tübingen invites applications for a

PhD position (m/f/d, TV-L E13, 65%)

starting on 1st of January 2027 (limited to 3 years) with the objective of a scientific qualification (earning a PhD).

The position is assigned to the Department of Sport Economics, Sport Management & Media Research (Chair: [Tim Pawlowski](#)) and will be affiliated with the [Data Science and Sports Lab](#).

We seek scientists with a very good university degree (Master or equivalent) in economics / econometrics, mathematics, computer science, or sports science / sport informatics / sport economics / sport management, and an interest in analyzing sports data with quantitative research methods (econometrics / data science).

Tasks

- Research in sport economics
- Teaching (2.6 hours) in the Bachelor study program

Desirable competencies

- High proficiency in both spoken and written English
- Experiences / expertise in quantitative research methods (econometrics / data science)
- Experiences / expertise in statistical programming languages (e.g., R, Python)

The University of Tübingen is committed to equal opportunities and diversity and actively promotes gender equality. The University aims to increase the proportion of women in research and teaching and therefore particularly encourages qualified women scientists to apply. Disabled candidates will be given preference over other equally qualified applicants.

Applications with the usual documents (letter of application, curriculum vitae, copies of certificates, publication list) should be sent in electronic form (as a **single PDF**, at most 5 MB) to the team assistant (caroline.friedrich@uni-tuebingen.de) before **1st of November 2026**.

The appointment will be made by the Central Administration.