

# Postdoctoral Researcher in Entrepreneurship, Innovation Management, Technology Management

Company:

**WU Vienna**

Location:

**Austria / Vienna**

Discipline:

**Entrepreneurship, Technology, Innovation Management, Economics, Social Sciences, Management**

Employment Type:

**Full-time postdoctoral position (non-tenure track)**

Posted:

**18/09/2025**

Contact Person:

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The Institute for Entrepreneurship & Innovation is seeking to fill a full-time postdoctoral position (non-tenure track) starting as soon as possible for an initial term of six years.

## POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER (NTT)

### Your Role

- Lead a third-party funded research project, with responsibility for project management, stakeholder engagement, and cross-functional coordination
- Contribute to the strategic development of the institute by taking on a leadership role in advancing its research and teaching programs
- Collaborate closely with national and international industry partners, including Microsoft, Generali, OeNB, Porsche Holding, and REWE
- Publish high-quality scholarly articles, both from independent research projects and in collaboration with senior and junior faculty
- Co-supervise doctoral candidates and teach at the bachelor's, master's, and MBA levels, with the opportunity to independently design innovative, problem-based learning formats

### Your Profile

- Completed doctoral or PhD studies (postdoc) in economics, social sciences, or related fields

- Expertise in entrepreneurship and/or technology and/or innovation management
- Proven experience in independently leading and advancing research or collaborative projects
- Strong organizational and communication skills, with a collaborative mindset and ability to manage diverse stakeholders
- High level of initiative, strategic thinking, and execution capability
- Genuine interest in industry collaborating and applied research
- Proficiency in empirical social research and statistical methods
- Excellent written and spoken communication skills in both English and German

## **We offer**

- Opportunity to pursue postdoctoral qualification (habilitation) with active support for your academic career development
- Access to an international research network (including Harvard Business School, MIT, Copenhagen Business School, WHU, CERN) along with funding for conference participation and research stays abroad
- A dynamic, open, and highly motivated team that fosters lively academic exchange
- An attractive working environment at one of Europe's leading business universities, with state-of-the-art infrastructure
- Flexible working arrangements, including home office options, and family-friendly conditions
- Comprehensive employee benefits (e.g., meal subsidies, childcare facilities, sports and health programs)

## **Application**

Fixed-term contract and fair salary: Full-time position (40 hours/week); monthly gross salary: €4,932.90; fixed term of 6 years.

Further information about the advertised positions and instructions for submitting your application documents are available at [wu.ac.at/arbeitgeberin](http://wu.ac.at/arbeitgeberin) and at [www.wu.ac.at/jobs](http://www.wu.ac.at/jobs) (Reference number: 2564). For subject-related questions about the position, please contact Prof. Dr. Peter Keinz ([peter.keinz@wu.ac.at](mailto:peter.keinz@wu.ac.at))

We look forward to receiving your application by **October 8, 2025**.

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