The Faculty of Economics and Management invites applications for a

**Tenure Track University Professorship (Salary Scale W2 NBesO with tenure track to W3 NBesO)**

for the **Economics of Innovation**, starting as soon as possible. The initial appointment will be for 5 years. After positive evaluation the candidate will receive a tenured professorship on the salary scale W3.

The professorship aims at a broad understanding of the economic significance of innovation as well as of the factors and economic and social mechanisms that are conducive to its emergence. Research methods are quantitative, and cover theoretical as well as empirical analyses. While on tenure track, the professor should establish the Economics of Innovation as an area of both research and education at the University of Hannover.

The successful candidate has a strong research record and an active research agenda in the economics of innovation and is experienced in acquiring competitive third-party funding. The successful candidate will teach innovation economics in the undergraduate programs of the department. She/he will contribute to the Center für Wirtschaftspolitische Studien (CWS; Center for Economic Policy Studies) at the Institute of Economic Policy. She/he will co-operate with researchers in the clusters „Innovation and Learning“ or „Mobilities in a Globalized Economy“ at the department level and in the interdisciplinary Leibniz Center of Science and Society (LCSS) at the university level; she/he will play an active part in the acquisition and the management of collaborative research projects in these areas.

Conditions of appointment are in accordance with the Higher Education Act of Lower Saxony (Niedersächsisches Hochschulgesetz - NHG). Details will be explained on request.

Part time employment can be arranged on request.

As an equal opportunities employer, Leibniz Universität Hannover has set itself the strategic aim of significantly increasing the proportion of women. Female scientists are therefore particularly encouraged to apply. Equally qualified candidates with disabilities will be given preference. Applications from abroad are especially welcome.

In its mission statement, Leibniz Universität Hannover attaches great importance to the international orientation of teaching and research. At the same time, it places major value on the intensive guidance and support of its students and on the university's close ties to the region and to Lower Saxony. Its professors are thus expected to take up residence in the Region of Hannover.

Successful candidates who have reached the age of fifty by the time of appointment and who do not already have civil servant status will be given an employment contract.

Further information is available from Prof. Dr. Andreas Wagener (wagener@wipol.uni-hannover.de).
Please submit your full application until 27th of May 2018 via the Appointment Portal of the Leibniz Universität Hannover at https://berufungen.uni-hannover.de.