

**PhD position in Finance (70%)
University of Neuchâtel, Switzerland**

The Institute of Financial Analysis at the University of Neuchâtel invites applications for a PhD position in finance with a research focus on empirical and/or theoretical asset pricing, portfolio selection, or related field, starting from February 1st, 2024 or upon agreement.

Duties

- Conduct research in one of the areas above with the aim to earn a PhD in finance.
- Participate at academic conferences and publish your research.
- Contribute to teaching and research activities and to the administration of the Institute.

Profile

- Master degree in Finance, Economics, Statistics or a related field.
- Strong empirical / quantitative skills.
- Programming skills in a statistical software package (such as R, Python or Matlab).
- Excellent command of the English language. French language skills are a plus, but not necessary.

Conditions

- Dynamic research environment with focus on empirical work.
- Funded position (70%) with personal workspace and excellent research infrastructure. Salary according to the University [regulations](#).
- Contract term of four years with annual renewal.

Working environment

The institute offers an excellent working environment. The University of Neuchâtel, by its human size (approx. 4500 students representing more than 100 nationalities), facilitates relations between the students and the teaching staff.

Application procedure and deadline

The application file (*one single pdf*), containing a detailed curriculum vitae, a statement of interest, copies of diplomas together with grades transcripts and at least one letter of recommendation, should be sent to messagerie.iaf@unine.ch, by October 27, 2023 (*object: PhD position in Finance*). Submitting a research proposal for the PhD thesis (2 pages max.) or an excerpt from the master thesis will be strongly appreciated.

We reserve the right not to respond to applications that do not meet the profile.

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