

*The UHasselt contributes to the knowledge economy in the Euregion. Active tutoring, made to measure for the students, topquality research in specific domains and an international orientation are our university's characteristics.  
Owing to its small size, the university and its employees are building up to an organisation together where it is a pleasure to work. Qualities are the only means by which people are measured. Gender, ethnicity, handicap, nationality and age are not taken into consideration.*

The Faculty of Business Economics, capacity group Quantitative Methods, research group Logistics of Hasselt University seeks a (m/f)

## **Tenured academic staff / Tenure track lecturer Operations Management and Logistics**

### **Education task**

The candidate will lecture in the bachelor years of the study Handelsingenieur (Business Engineering) and Handelswetenschappen (Business Administration), as well as in the master years of the study Handelsingenieur, afstudeerrichting Operationeel Management en Logistiek (Business Engineering, specialisation in Operations Management and Logistics). The educational task is situated in the fields of Operations Management, Production Planning, Supply Chain Management, Logistics, and Operations Research. A vision and commitment for the fields under study is assumed. The applicant needs to show a vision with respect to competence-based education in the fields of study. The department Quantitative Methods has, as a principle of duty, that the total educational package is supported by the complete educational team and expects from its team members the required good fellowship and flexibility.

### **Research mission**

Within the research group Logistics, the applicant is supposed to initiate, support and aim to obtain excellent scientific results of international level. The applicant will expand national and international cooperation networks in the field of research. The applicant needs to investigate research topics in line with the ones currently investigated by the research group Logistics, which focuses on the development of simulation and optimisation techniques for planning problems in logistics. The applications of the research are situated in problems regarding inventory, distribution and health care logistics of practical relevance.

### **Profile**

- \* The applicant should hold a Ph.D. (based on written dissertation), with preference in the fields of Business, Management or Engineering (the latter with a clear link towards Business Management) (or equivalent).
- \* Your research profile is in line with the research group Logistics.
- \* You are cooperative and can work well in teams.
- \* You have the potential to become a researcher of high international level, which should be proven from already acquired internationally recognised publications.
- \* You have good relational, communicative and reporting skills.
- \* You show excellent educational qualities and shows interest in new educational initiatives.
- \* You have experience with project acquisition and supervision of doctoral theses.
- \* Your affinity and relations with the business community comes as an extra merit.
- \* International cooperation serves as a good reference.
- \* You have at least two years of experience at postdoctoral level.
- \* Academic staff must meet the statutory language requirements for knowledge of the language of instruction (Dutch and English). If necessary, Hasselt University offers concrete, tailored support measures to help achieve the required language level.

### **Offer**

We will offer either an appointment as a lecturer in the tenure track system during 5 years. This will lead to an immediate permanent contract as a senior lecturer, if the Board of Directors favorably assesses the party involved, based on previously set public grading criteria. Otherwise, we will offer a fulltime appointment as a lecturer or higher, which will lead to tenure. In case of a first appointment as a member of the academic staff, the Board of Directors of the University can decide on a temporary appointment for a period up to 3 years. This will lead to a permanent contract if the Board of Directors favorably assesses the party involved.

### **Selection procedure**

Preselection based on CV. Interview with and test lesson/presentation by the selected candidates.

### **Application**

You can only [apply online](#) up to and including **6 August 2016**.

### **Further information**

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