

What is a UAS professorship?

Professorship at a university of applied sciences

Practice-oriented teaching & interdisciplinary research

Focus on specific areas:

Engineering, IT, Economics, Law, Architecture, Design, Social Work, Health, Nursing



In comparsion

UAS & university professorships in Germany

UAS University

Practice-oriented departments All scientific disciplines

Applied research Basic research

Research mostly based on third-party funds Research based on third-party & budget funds

Doctorate & work experience required Doctorate & habilitation required

W2 salary W2 to W3 salary

Individual professorships Individual professorships or chair

Partly with scientific staff With scientific staff

18 semester hours per week 8 to 9 semester hours per week

Small study groups Large study groups

211 UAS 108 universities

42 percent of all professorships 52 percent of all professorships



Why is it important to find new UAS professors?

Increasing numbers of students: We want to guarantee the appropriate supervision ratio between teachers and students.

More positions: The Hessian state government has promised higher funding, with which we can advertise professorships.

Generation change: Many of our professors will retire in the next few years.

Knowledge transfer & innovation: UAS professors work on topics of the future & find solutions for social issues.

Practical relevance: Their practical experience and company contacts guarantee application-oriented teaching.

Requirements for a UAS professorship



Doctorate



5 years of work experience, at least 3 of which outside of the UAS (scope of work: at least 50 percent)



Teaching experience (teaching assignments, didactic further training)





Advantageous



Publication list



Success in acquiring third-party funds



Interest in networking: with business & research institutions & other universities



Openness to interdisciplinary cooperation



Enjoy working with students

Appointment procedure

1 Vacancy
5 If necessary, submission of a teaching & research concept
2 Application
6 Ranking & final selection
7 Call offer & appointment negotiation
4 Trial course & selection interview
8 Appointment



Average duration of an appointment procedure at the Frankfurt UAS: 13 to 14 months



Why is a UAS professorship worthwhile?

As a UAS professor you can:



organize teaching, research & self-administration independently, flexibly & with variety



reduce the teaching load



for research activities



help shape social development & knowledge transfer



accompany & shape the educational paths of other people



easily balance work, family & caring responsibilities

Salary & supplements

Monthly W2 salary (Hesse)

The next pay level is reached after five years.

Pay level 1: **6.320,46 €** Pay level 4: **7.034,51 €**

Pay level 2: **6.558,47 €** Pay level 5: **7.272,52 €**

Pay level 3: **6.796,50 €**

Supplements

Monthly family supplement: **140,91 €**

Annual special payment: 5 percent of respective salary

Variable supplements

Per performance level: 209,97 €

Appointment, retention, special & functional supplements





Further benefits

Appointment as a tenured civil servant

In principle, there is the possibility of becoming a civil servant. The civil service relationship can be established for life or for a limited period of time.

State Ticket Hesse Family-friendly university

Sports & exercise offers

- Opportunity for additional employment
- Daycare & holiday care

Gender & diversity sensitivity

- Diverse range of further education
- Dual Career Service

Fairtrade university



We want to further improve the conditions!

Easier start for newly appointed professors

Reduction of administrative work

Better supervision ratio between professors and students

More freedom for research and development

More balanced gender ratio of our professors

Paths to UAS professorships

PROFfm - Achieving UAS Professorships Together

A funding program of the Frankfurt University of Applied Sciences



Individual career advice

CV & qualification check, job information



Application for UAS professorship

www.frankfurtuniversity.de/karriere



Your contact at Frankfurt UAS



Ann-Kristina Gleim

PROFfm Advisor on Collaborative Programs

ann-kristina.gleim@qep.fra-uas.de

proffm@fra-uas.de

Tel.: +49 69 1533-3356



Franziska Hedrich

PROFfm Communication & Network

franziska.hedrich@qep.fra-uas.de

proffm@fra-uas.de

Tel.: +49 69 1533-3076

For more inforation see: www.frankfurt-university.de/proffm

