



The Department of Educational Sciences and Psychology at TU Dortmund University offers the following position (starting at the earliest opportunity):

## Professorship (W1) with W2 tenure track Empirical Educational Research with a focus on Motivation, Attitudes and Well-Being

### Our profile

TU Dortmund University comprises 17 departments in the natural and engineering sciences as well as the humanities and social sciences and is a dynamic university with a strong profile in research, teaching, promotion of young scientists and transfer.

The Center for Research on Education and School Development (IFS) is a leading center in school and educational research.

### Profile of the professorship

You represent the field of Empirical Educational Research with a focus on Motivation, Attitudes and Well-Being of learners, taking into account different groups of students among others in terms of gender, migration background, social situation and performance, as well as teachers in research and further develop this with (inter-)national visibility. In doing so, you participate in research networks and cooperations within and outside TU Dortmund University. You are committed to acquiring third-party funding, promoting early career researchers and participating appropriately in the department's teaching activities.

The appointment is initially for a period of three years as a temporary civil servant. In the course of the third year, this status will be reviewed and may be extended for a further three years depending on performance. At the end of this six-year assistant professorship at the latest, the tenure track will lead to continued employment as a tenured W2 professor, provided that the necessary aptitude, competence, and academic performance have been demonstrated and that the legal requirements pertaining to Section 38 of the North Rhine-Westphalia Higher Education Act (*Gesetz über die Hochschulen des Landes Nordrhein-Westfalen*, HG NRW) are met. The teaching load of the assistant professorship is four hours per week in each of the first three years. In the case of a positive review, it will increase to five hours per week in each of the last three years.

### Your qualifications

You have obtained a doctorate with above-average success and already demonstrate initial experience in the dissemination of your research in the field of the professorship Empirical Educational Research with a focus on Motivation, Attitudes and Well-Being of learners, taking into account different groups of students among others in terms of gender, migration background, social situation and performance, as well as teachers through international publications in recognized venues, including those with peer-review. Beyond this, you are experienced in various research designs and methods, such as experimental studies, implicit and explicit measurement of attitudes and longitudinal analyses. Experience in obtaining competitively awarded external funding and participation in research projects is desirable. Additionally, you have the potential for teaching excellence. Social and leadership skills and the willingness to participate in academic self-administration complete your profile. Moreover, the recruitment requirements in Section 36 and 37 HG NRW apply.

### Attractive environment

We offer an excellent academic environment and attractive cooperation opportunities with renowned international, national, and regional partners. The metropolitan Ruhr Area with the University Alliance Ruhr (UA Ruhr) guarantees short distances to a diversity of partners from science and industry. With our Dual Career Service, we accompany your partner in the professional orientation in the region if desired. We will be happy to provide information about housing and living in Dortmund and help you find childcare options. If you are coming to us from abroad, our Welcome Service will support you upon your arrival in Germany.

### Diversity welcome

A central goal of TU Dortmund University is to promote diversity and equal opportunities. We strive to significantly increase the percentage of women in research and teaching and therefore welcome applications from female academics. We give preference to severely disabled applicants if their qualifications meet the requirements. We support the compatibility of family and career and promote gender equality in academia and research.

### Your application

If you are interested in the position, please submit your application in English by **24.04.2024** via our application portal.

Details on the application process and the preparation of application documents can be found here: [berufung.tu-dortmund.de/en/application](https://berufung.tu-dortmund.de/en/application)

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Further information about the Department of Educational Sciences and Psychology can be found at [www.ep.tu-dortmund.de/en/](https://www.ep.tu-dortmund.de/en/)

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