

The Institute for Market Economics

is proud to announce a free position

for

“America for Bulgaria” Endowed Chair in Agricultural Economics

Education:

- M.Sc. degree in Economics or other related discipline

Experience:

In research	In presentation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At least one year of relevant experience in economic analysis • Certain knowledge of CAP, the Bulgarian agricultural sector development, problems, challenges and opportunities • Certain knowledge of the Bulgarian agricultural state sector policy • Capacity to take initiative, demonstrate good judgment and work under minimal supervision 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data management skills and experience • Experience in MS Office • Excellent knowledge of English • Ability to write clearly and concisely • Good interpersonal skills, team building capability • Multi-tasking skills, with ability to coordinate, prioritize and organize workload, meet deadlines and work under pressure

Responsibilities:

- Dig, gather and manage data
- Monitor developments and trends in agricultural production, prices, and policies
- Establish and maintain key contacts with other researchers, academia, decision-makers, business representatives, relevant associations
- Regularly monitor, evaluate and prepare short statements on current legislative proposals in Bulgaria and EU
- Prepare reports and articles
- Work cooperatively with IME economists
- Attend relevant events in Bulgaria and Europe – public discussions, seminars, conferences, etc.

We offer:

1. Initial appointment for a one year, fixed term, renewable appointment based on performance
2. Competitive salary
3. Short-term training on-site in an EU research institution in the beginning of the employment
4. Subscription for databases, books and reports.

If you are interested in the position, we will be happy to receive your application package that has to include:

- **CV in English**
- **Motivation letter in English**

Please send the documents to Ms Svetla Kostadinova to svetlak@ime.bg no latter than **November 25, 2011**.

Please send any questions you might have by email.

No phone calls please.