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CANDIDATES FOR CANADA JUNIOR RESEARCH CHAIR IN PENSION FINANCE AND SAVINGS

The Finance Department of HEC Montréal invites applications from researchers in pension finance and savings with the aim of nominating them for a Tier II Canada Research Chair.

Suitable candidates should

- Be assistant or associate professor, or possess the necessary qualifications to be appointed at these levels;
- Have obtained a Ph.D. in 2006 or later, in an appropriate discipline;
- Be excellent emerging world-class researchers who have demonstrated research creativity and originality, and marked interest for publications in their field of specialisation in finance; conferences and publications will attest to this ability;
- Have demonstrated the potential to achieve international recognition in their field in the next five to ten years;
- Be committed to produce top research in pension finance and savings;
- As a chairholder, have the potential to attract excellent trainees, graduate students and future researchers;
- Demonstrate excellent teaching skills;
- Overall, meet the Canada Research Chairs program requirements (www.chairs-chaires.gc.ca)

The Canada Research Chair in pension finance and savings involves

- The early production of a research program in pension finance and savings that meets the requirements of the Canada Research Chair;
- A yearly financing of $100 000 for 5 years to support research activities. The chair is renewable for an extra five years upon a satisfactory evaluation;
- A yearly teaching load of two courses.

The Canada Research Chair in pension finance and savings is an essential component of the broader strategic plan of HEC Montréal to develop an institute focusing on pension finance and saving issues. The institute benefits from a private donation of $4 Million and its primary goal is to attract top international researchers active in pension finance and savings.

Interested candidates must forward a full curriculum vitae, evidence of current research and teaching interest and ability, three letters of reference and a cover letter specifying citizenship to louise.desrochers-el-hlimi@hec.ca. HEC Montréal is committed to
employment equity and encourages applications from women, Aboriginal peoples, visible and ethnic minorities and persons with disabilities. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

French is the primary working environment at HEC Montréal and candidates should be willing to integrate themselves in this environment. As such, courses taught at HEC Montréal are primarily in French, although some English and Spanish classes are also available. Research publications are financially rewarded.