

For the position of Research Associate with a focus on Latin America, we are looking for

**an experienced**

**Economist or natural scientist**

**with a background in international vocational education and  
training**

### **What can you expect?**

We are looking for support for a project to qualify specialists for the production of green hydrogen in Chile. Specifically, this involves the identification of competence and qualification needs as well as the development of measures required for adaptation. As a research associate, you will advise and support our clients and their target groups in the implementation of practice-oriented development and implementation projects, if necessary temporarily abroad. You will represent FiBS to clients and the professional public and present the results of your work in written and oral form at events or in relevant media.

### **What should you bring?**

- Successful studies in economics or natural sciences or a related discipline
- professional experience as a scientist and/or consultant in the field of energy supply with a focus on green energies; international experience in Latin America is an advantage
- Profound knowledge of the value chain in the field of renewable energies and related technologies and processes
- Knowledge of the current legal framework for the generation and use of renewable energies
- Experience in strategy and program development for skills acquisition for professionals in the renewable energy sector
- Extensive knowledge of qualitative social science research methods, especially for conducting qualitative literature research, content analysis, surveys (interviews) and inductive data analysis
- Experience in conducting consultancy projects in international vocational education and training as a short-term and/or long-term expert is an advantage
- Experience in the preparation of reports and presentation of research and consultancy results as well as in dealing with decision-makers in politics, business, society and science.
- Excellent language skills in Spanish and English; knowledge of German is an advantage

## What do we offer?

You can expect a challenging, varied and autonomous job in (inter)national projects at the interface of research, education policy and current (advisory) practice. We offer you freedom for self-realization and shaping your role, an office in the center of Berlin near the Spree (Jannowitzbrücke), flexible working hours and the opportunity to work from home. The willingness for international mobility in the context of short- and possibly long-term on-site assignments is a prerequisite.

Agile working and the compatibility of family and career are important components of our working philosophy. The promotion of lifelong learning is firmly anchored in our corporate culture - learning plays a central role not only in our research, but also in the continuous development of our workplaces. For us, enjoyment, commitment and perspective are more important than formal qualifications.

The remuneration of the job is based on the TV-L West, whereby we exhaust the possible scope according to the requirements of our clients. We are interested in long-term employment. Part-time employment is possible.

Please send us your informative documents, stating your salary expectations, to [karriere@fibs.eu](mailto:karriere@fibs.eu). We can only consider applications that include a complete cover letter, CV and references etc. summarized in a PDF. For technical questions, please contact Dr. Gonzalo Conti ([g.conti@fibs.eu](mailto:g.conti@fibs.eu)).

We look forward to hearing from you!

## About FiBS

The Research Institute for Education and Social Economics has been researching and advising on all areas of lifelong learning for 30 years. We draw up surveys and expert reports, develop concepts, conduct evaluations and make forecasts against the backdrop of current megatrends in technology, innovation and society. Our team of international experts works in an interdisciplinary manner and is as diverse as our projects.