Vacancy Student Assistant (9-14 hours/week)

The team of the research project „Analysis and Implementation of Measures to Reduce Price Volatility in National and International Markets for Improved Food Security in Developing Countries“ at the Center for Development Research (ZEF) invites applications for the position of

Student Assistant (studentische Hilfskraft)

to provide administrative and content-related support. The project addresses reasons of fluctuation and increases of food prices as well as their impact on food security, especially in developing countries. The position refers to a time frame of 9-14 hours per week and is laid out for a duration of 5-6 months with the possibility of extension. We are looking for an engaged coworker with the ability to work self-dependently and reliably.

We expect:

- Enrollment in the field of economics, agricultural economics, social sciences, agricultural sciences or another project-relevant subject
- Very good English language skills
- Knowledgeable in MS Word, Excel, Power Point
- Reliability and organizing abilities
- An interest in questions regarding development and agricultural economy

Skills in data processing and programming are an asset.

We offer:

- Joining a young and international team of researchers
- Diversified tasks: administrative tasks such as project management, public relations, budget management regarding business trips and field research; content-related tasks such as research of media, literature and data as well as data processing; drawing up of presentations, organization of and assistance during workshops

Applications should contain a short letter of motivation, a CV, certificates, and letters of recommendation (if applicable) and should be sent via Email (Subject: “SHK Volatility Projekt”) to:

lkornher@uni-bonn.de

Applications may be submitted as long as this vacancy is announced on the ZEF website.

The Center for Development Research (www.zef.de) is an international and interdisciplinary research institute of Bonn University. ZEF promotes the equality of women and men. Women are therefore especially encouraged to apply. Please note that only shortlisted applicants will be contacted.