

Singapore Management University's Finance Group in the Lee Kong Chian School of Business seeks applications for Practice-track faculty positions at the Associate and Full professor level. Applicants should have strong industry experience in business and finance, excellent teaching, strong research interests, and commitment to collegial service. Preference will be given to those with a Ph.D. in finance and economics. Practice-track professors are expected to teach finance and finance-related courses in undergraduate and postgraduate programmes. They are also expected to be involved in course development and outreach to the industries, and work closely with the Sim Kee Boon Institute for Financial Economics (SKBI).

The preferred start date is July 2017 or sooner. Working conditions and compensation are competitive with major universities.

## **About Lee Kong Chian School of Business and Finance Group at SMU:**

Founded in January 2000, SMU is the first private university established in Singapore with the Singapore government's funding. The Lee Kong Chian School of Business at SMU has grown rapidly and has become a leading business school in the Asia-Pacific region. Despite its young age, it has earned the AACSB and EQUIS accreditations.

Faculty members in the Finance group have Ph.D.s from Cornell, Emory, Harvard, Iowa, Ohio State, Princeton, Rochester, and Washington (St Louis), among others. SMU's Finance faculty is productive in research. From 2004 to 2015, they published 43 articles in *Journal of Finance*, *Journal of Financial Economics*, *Review of Financial Studies*, and *Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis*. This ranks SMU 43rd worldwide, 2nd in Asia, and 1st in Singapore according to the ASU Finance research rankings (see <a href="http://apps.wpcarey.asu.edu/finrankings/rankings/index.cfm">http://apps.wpcarey.asu.edu/finrankings/rankings/index.cfm</a>). SMU subscribes to all major financial databases and provides generous research funds to support conference travel and other research activities. The group hosts an annual summer research camp; a very active research seminar series; and visits by distinguished finance scholars from leading research universities. The Finance group also has a Ph.D. program with high quality students and good recent placements.

For more information about the Finance group at SMU Lee Kong Chian School of Business, visit <a href="http://business.smu.edu.sg/business/disciplines/finance/welcome">http://business.smu.edu.sg/business/disciplines/finance/welcome</a>.

**Application procedure and deadline:** Candidates should be prepared to submit a full application consisting of: (1) a personal statement covering their industry experience, teaching and research activities, (2) a CV, (3) three samples of research, (4) evidence of teaching ability, and (5) three letters of reference. All application materials should be sent to <a href="maintenancev@smu.edu.sg">financecv@smu.edu.sg</a> with the subject heading "**Practice Track Application**". Please direct any queries to <a href="maintenancev@smu.edu.sg">financecv@smu.edu.sg</a> to the attention of Professor Roger Loh and Professor Benedict Koh.

Applications are open until positions are filled.