

The **Department of Spatial Planning and Planning Theory** seeks

### **4 half time Research Assistants**

Positions start at October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010, and are terminated to 3 years (extension possible). Salary will be according to the applicable German civil service remuneration level (TV-L 13 / TVÜ-L).

#### **Job description:**

- Candidates are expected to conduct research and to teach in the field of spatial planning. Teaching language is German or English.
- Research projects are related to the following research fields: 'Theories, methods and practices of spatial planning', 'Restructuring Strategies in cities and regions undergoing demographic change' and 'Metropolitan Governance'
- Acquisition of third-party funds
- Administrative support

#### **Requirement profile:**

- Applicants should have a university-level Masters degree in Spatial Planning, Urban Studies, Human Geography or any related discipline.
- Consolidated knowledge on contents and methods of spatial planning, regional development, demographic change, governance forms, or planning theory
- Excellent communication and teamwork skills.
- The candidate is expected to be fluent in English. Knowledge of German and other languages will be considered as a benefit.

We offer an excellent research infrastructure in an innovative environment with an interdisciplinary, highly motivated team.

Dortmund University of Technology is an equal opportunity employer and welcomes applications from male and female candidates alike. Dortmund University of Technology is committed to employing more handicapped individuals and especially encourages them to apply.

Candidates should send a motivation letter and an up-to-date curriculum vitae including all relevant certificates within 4 weeks of publication of this call referencing the identifier 101/10 to:

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