

IBB Institut für Bildungsmanagement und Bildungsökonomie

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At the Institute for the Management and Economics of Education (IBB)
of the University of Teacher Education of Central Switzerland (PHZ) Zug
an

International Research Fellowship

will be offered for a period up to six months this summer and fall.

Requirements:

- A degree in Education or Psychology or Sociology or in teacher training
- Experiences in research in the field of school effectiveness, school improvement or school management / education administration
- Interest in theory and empirical work
- Knowledge of and experiences in using different research methods (quantitative and/or qualitative research), i.e. methods of data gathering, data administration, data analysis (e.g. HLM, SEM)
- Experience in use of software such as, for example, SPSS, MPlus, MaxQDA, EndNote
- Skills in presenting research findings in written and oral form
- Good language skills in English

The following would be considered as an advantage:

- Having started a PhD or having finished a PhD recently
- Knowledge about different school systems
- Basic skills in German¹

Tasks:

- Support hosting the “International School Leadership Symposium” (reviewing the international proposals, chairing session, publishing the documentary)
- Support for the international research project “School Leadership Recruitment, Selection, and Retention”: data analysis and writing country reports
- Co-authoring a literature review of international research on school leadership practice

¹ However, Zug is an international place with a high percentage of expats and people speaking English.

Your working context:

The Institute for the Management and Economics of Education is a university institute, which contributes to research and knowledge transfer in the fields of the management and economics of education.

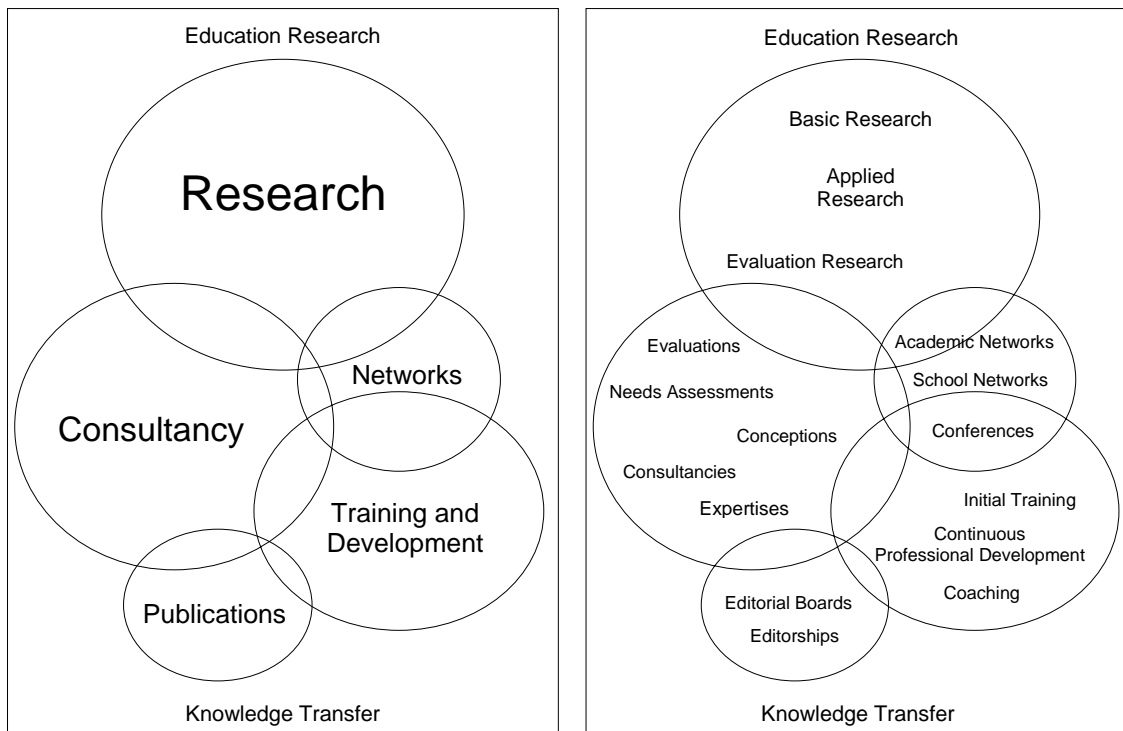
Besides engaging in research and development, the Institute's aim is to provide services to teachers, school leaders, representatives of communities, cantons, ministries, and authorities as well as individuals in charge of the quality and development of educational institutions.



Our funding partners and customers are (besides the classic research foundations) above all the federal government, the cantons, communities, associations, counselling agencies, private foundations, education institutions (among them also universities), in Switzerland and the other German speaking countries, but also in other European and non-European countries, and international organisations such as the OECD.

The Institute's work can be structured in the following fields:

- Research,
- Consultancy,
- Networks,
- Training and Development,
- Publications.



A general view of the IBB and the projects you will find at www.ibb.phz.ch or in detail at www.Bildungsmanagement.net.

Your application:

Please send your application by email including all information necessary to:

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Please indicate when you would like to start the fellowship at the IBB and the duration you prefer.

Deadline for application is the 30th of June 2009.