

## **PhD Job Market and Placement Information**

In general, the job openings start autumn of the year before you plan to submit your PhD thesis. If you are thinking to enter the US/UK/European job markets, which are briefly explained below (for jobs starting October 2013), you need to have a completed job market paper (a chapter of PhD thesis) in the autumn 2012. For the traditional UK job market, the job postings run throughout the academic year.

To enter the job markets, you must have: (almost) completed job market paper; concise but effective CV; your referees; and some spare money to travel (usually you get a reimbursement after 1-2 months).

The Department provides a list of PhD students on the job market at <http://www.york.ac.uk/economics/jobmarket/>. If you are seeking full-time employment that starts autumn 2013 and wish to be listed there, first contact to Ms Jo Hall ([jo.hall@york.ac.uk](mailto:jo.hall@york.ac.uk)) and/or the Job Placement Officer (Adam Golinski, [adam.golinski@york.ac.uk](mailto:adam.golinski@york.ac.uk)).

### **US Job Market**

<http://www.aeaweb.org/joe/index.php>

Most Job Postings are made October, November, and December. The top universities in the UK and Europe also participate. After applying to the posts, you will be asked to attend the early January Annual Meeting in the US, if any institutions are interested in you. Later, you may be invited to the universities for giving seminars/presentations/being interviewed (fly-out).

### **Eight PhD Presentation Meeting of the Royal Economic Society**

The 8th PhD Presentation Meeting will be held on Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th January 2013 at the School of Economics and Finance, Queen Mary, University of London (*submission deadline: November 18, 2012*).

<http://www.res.org.uk/academics/phdjobmarket2012.asp>

The aim of the event is to provide a service both for UK and European university economics departments wishing to recruit lecturers, and for PhD students seeking academic jobs in the UK or elsewhere in Europe. This annual meeting has grown to be an extremely successful event, well supported by both students and potential employers. The event consists of two days of students presentations and poster sessions. Participating institutions attend these presentations and are also allocated a table at the conference site in order to arrange individual appointments with participating students during the course of the conference.

### **Traditional UK Job Market**

For traditional UK job market, the job postings run throughout the academic year. Most job postings are found at [jobs.ac.uk](http://jobs.ac.uk). They provide e-mail alert service as well.

<http://www.jobs.ac.uk/>

*I strongly recommend checking the above sites regularly.* Please contact your PhD supervisor and/or me to discuss how to prepare effective cover letters, CVs, presentation slides etc. Do not underestimate the effort and time you have to devote to the job-hunting. Good luck!

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