

Executive Director of Cambridge Centre for Corporate Governance
£49,342 - £52,347 per annum

Judge Business School, University of Cambridge seeks an Executive Director to work closely with the newly appointed Robert Monks Professor of Corporate Governance to build a Centre which will become a platform for research and engagement with the business community and academia in the UK and abroad, including emerging markets.

The new Executive Director will create and manage the Centre, and develop and implement a sustainable business model. The Executive Director will initiate and develop relationships with stakeholders, design and implement an effective marketing and communications strategy, and raise money for the Centre from business sources, international agencies and research councils.

The role holder will be responsible for knowledge transfer, i.e. the dissemination of academic research to practitioners with the goal of achieving practical impact as well as the articulation of practical needs that will feedback into academic research activity.

You will be able to demonstrate you have the following key attributes:

- Educated to postgraduate level
- Demonstrable knowledge of business, and experience in fields relevant to governance research, especially in the UK, Europe and Emerging Markets
- A proven track record in relationship management, with the persona and credibility to initiate, develop and maintain an effective network of contacts in Cambridge, the UK, and world-wide, in academia as well as the public and private sector
- The ability to build effective working relations with people from multi-cultural and multi-disciplinary backgrounds, in a fast moving, intellectually charged environment.
- Experience of managing large projects and budgets, and familiarity with working at the research / policy interface
- A track record of successful fundraising
- Excellent communication skills, both written and verbal, with the ability to understand academic ideas and translate them for a larger audience

Further information is available from the web site: www.jbs.cam.ac.uk/jobs.

Closing date for applications is Wednesday 9 February 2011.