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## **Faculty Positions in Management Information Systems**

### **College of Industrial Management Department of Accounting & Management Information Systems**

The Department of Accounting & Management Information systems at King Fahd University of Petroleum & Minerals is seeking to fill a number of faculty positions in the following areas:

- *Professor/Associate Professor/Assistant Professor Positions in **Management Information Systems***

**JOB DESCRIPTION:** You will be expected to engage in high quality research/scholarly activities, to be an effective classroom teacher at the graduate and undergraduate levels, and to participate effectively in executive education programs and other professional activities.

**JOB QUALIFICATIONS:** Applicant must have a Ph.D. degree (or near completion) in the relevant field from an internationally recognized university with a strong academic background. The successful applicant should be able to demonstrate potential in designing and teaching courses at the undergraduate and postgraduate level, and have the ability to produce and publish high quality research. Selection will be based on potential for publications in reputable journals. For the associate and full professor ranks, a proven record of publications in reputable journals is further required.

**SALARY/BENEFITS:** We provide competitive tax-free salaries to our employees in addition to other perks and benefits based on a two-year renewable contract. Competitive salaries are based on qualifications and experience. Free furnished air-conditioned on-campus housing unit with free essential utilities and maintenance. The appointment includes the following benefits according to the University's policy: air ticket/s to Dammam on appointment; annual repatriation air ticket/s for up to four persons; assistance with local tuition fees for school-age dependent children; local transportation allowance; two months' paid summer leave; end-of-service gratuity. The KFUPM campus has a range of facilities including a medical and dental clinic, an extensive library, computing, research and teaching laboratory facilities and a recreation center.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURE:** Please visit <http://www3.kfupm.edu.sa/facultyrect/> (via KFUPM website: (<http://www.kfupm.edu.sa> Hyperlink: JOBS) fill-up forms, attached cover letter, updated/detailed C.V./Resume, completed KFUPM application form with copies of credentials (academic degree/s & transcript/s) and four (4) signed reference/recommendation letters from your referees.

**ABOUT US:** King Fahd University of petroleum and Minerals (KFUPM) is located in the town of Dhahran in the Eastern Province of Saudi Arabia. The university has over 10,000 students and over 600 professors from more than 60 nationalities. The college of Industrial Management is the first business college to receive the AACSB accreditation more than 10 years ago. The college offers five B.S. degrees in Finance, Accounting, Marketing, Management, and MIS, along with MBA and EMBA degrees. In addition to being among the top business schools in the Middle East, the college has a new ambition to enhance its academic rank globally by focusing on publishing top quality research and maintaining excellence in education. For more information, see <http://www.kfupm.edu.sa>.

We are going to interview applicants in a private placement booth at the following conference:

- Americas Conference on Information System, August 13-15, 2015 (El Conquistador Resort, Puerto Rico)

For interview, please contact Dr. Walid Bahamdan, Chairman, Dept. of Accounting & MIS, College of Industrial Management, KFUPM, Dhahran, Saudi Arabia; Email: [wbahamdan@kfupm.edu.sa](mailto:wbahamdan@kfupm.edu.sa).

(Please quote ad **Ref. no. CIM-MIS-161** in your initial application.)  
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**University of Minnesota  
Carlson School of Management  
Department of Information & Decision Sciences  
Faculty Position — Tenure Track Assistant/Associate Professor  
Number of Positions: One**

The University of Minnesota is well known as one of the founding schools for the MIS discipline and is home to the Management Information Systems Research Center, the *MIS Quarterly*, and SOBACO (Social Media and Business Analytics Collaborative). New faculty hires will benefit from both SOBACO's and the MISRC's research and outreach activities.

The Department has 13 tenured/tenure track faculty. The Department teaches courses and performs research in all areas of the information systems discipline including IT/IS in organizations, Economics of IS, Design and Management of Systems, Individual and Organizational Decision Support, Knowledge Management, Social Media, and Business Analytics. The department is also home to the MS-Business Analytics program, which offers both full- and part-time study. There is an active doctoral program in information systems with 11 students in residence. Carlson School faculty are among the world's most prolific; the latest Academic Rankings of World Universities puts the U of M's business and economics faculty 10<sup>th</sup> in the world in intellectual contributions. The IS MBA and undergraduate programs are ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> by *U.S. News and World Report*. For more information on the department, visit our web pages at [www.csom.umn.edu](http://www.csom.umn.edu), <http://www.misrc.umn.edu/>, and [www.sobaco.umn.edu](http://www.sobaco.umn.edu).

### **Required and Preferred Qualifications**

Entry-level applicants for an Assistant Professor position must have a strong research program, and an earned doctorate in information systems or a related field with IS competence or assurance of receiving the doctorate before August 31, 2016. If the doctorate is not received by this date, the appointment may be delayed until completion, or in extraordinary circumstances we will make the appointment at the rank of Instructor for an ABD and the ABD hire will have only one semester to complete the doctorate.

Applicants who are already holding an Assistant Professor position at other research universities must demonstrate an exceptional research trajectory and a substantial record of high-impact publications as well as excellence in the classroom.

Applicants for a tenured Associate Professor position must have earned a doctorate in information systems or a related field with IS competence. Candidates for a tenured position must possess a distinguished record of scholarship and teaching that meets the criteria for tenure at the University of Minnesota. For additional qualifications, download a pdf copy of the full position description (see below).

### **Duties and Responsibilities**

The Assistant/Associate Professor position is responsible for carrying out the teaching, research, and service mission of the department. The current teaching load for research-active faculty is 10 semester credits per academic year. The teaching assignments will be at both the undergraduate and graduate level with a mixture of managerial and technical courses. For additional information on the duties and responsibilities, refer to the full position description (see below). The chosen candidate will also be expected to take part in the full range of Department, School, and University service activities commensurate with rank.

For more information, download a pdf copy of the full position description and application instructions:

[http://misq.org/skin/frontend/default/misq/pdf/UMN\\_position.pdf](http://misq.org/skin/frontend/default/misq/pdf/UMN_position.pdf)

To ensure consideration applications must be received by December 1, 2015, but applications will continue to be accepted until the position is filled.

We intend to undertake our initial screening interviews in the first two weeks of December 2015, just prior to the International Conference on Information Systems, via the Carlson School's high-fidelity video conferencing facility. We also reserve the right to interview candidates at ICIS in Fort Worth, Texas, December 12–16.

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**SIMposium** is the premier annual conference for technology executives, practitioners and business leaders. The 2015 conference will feature keynote speaker Frank Abagnale!

Frank Abagnale is one of the world's most respected authorities on forgery, embezzlement, and secure documents. For over 36 years he has worked with, advised, and consulted with hundreds of financial institutions, corporations and government agencies around the world. Mr. Abagnale's rare blend of knowledge and expertise began more than 40 years ago when he was known as one of the world's most famous con men. His riveting story provided the inspiration for Steven Spielberg's 2002 film, *Catch Me If You Can*, starring Leonardo DiCaprio as Abagnale and Tom Hanks as the cop fast on his heels. The Tony-Award winning musical, *Catch Me If You Can*, directed by the legendary Jack O'Brien, opened on Broadway at the Neil Simon Theatre in April of 2011.

**"I chose to immortalize him on film because of what he's done for the country for more than 30 years." -Steven Spielberg**

Mr. Abagnale has been associated with the FBI for over 35 years. He lectures extensively at the FBI Academy and for the field offices of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He is a faculty member at the National Advocacy Center (NAC) which is operated by the Department of Justice, Executive Office for United States Attorneys. More than 14,000 financial institutions, corporations and law enforcement agencies use his fraud prevention programs. In 1998, he was selected as a distinguished member of "Pinnacle 400" by CNN Financial News. Today Mr. Abagnale is a member of the Board of Editors for Bank Fraud and IT Security, as well as the Financial Fraud Law Report.

**"Abagnale's lecture may be the best one-man show you will ever see." -Tom Hanks**

As Mr. Abagnale refuses to accept payment for any of his government work, today, the majority of his income derives from consulting with major corporate clients such as LexisNexis, Intuit and Experian and his public speaking engagements. As a highly sought-after and provocative keynote speaker, he takes audiences on a hilarious and poignant journey of his time as a criminal being pursued, and speaks of his personal transformation. His is a true morality tale that takes the listener from the depths of despair to the triumph of personal redemption.

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