

THE LORRAINE UNIVERSITY IS RECRUITING JUNIOR PROFESSORSHIP CHAIR

Present throughout Lorraine (the two metropolises of Metz and Nancy and 10 towns and conurbations in the region), the Lorraine University, which has been awarded the HR Excellence in Research ([HRS4R](#)), label since 2017, places its expertise at the service of knowledge production and sharing. Committed to raising the level of education of its citizens, it relies on an intensive research dynamic (I-Site Lorraine Université d'Excellence perpetuated in 2021), both fundamental and applied.



62000 students



+ de 7100 employees



+ de 4000
research lecturer or
lecturing and research
personnel



60 laboratories
and 43 training
centers



A budget of nearly
€682m

Decree n° 2021-1710 of 17 December 2021 relating to the junior professorship contract provided for by article L. 952-6-2 of the Education Code and Body in which the person concerned is destined to be appointed: University Professor.

Decree n° 2021-1710 of 17 December 2021 relating to the junior professorship contract provided for by article L. 952-6-2 of the Education Code and by article L. 422-3 of the Research Code.

Working time : 100%	CNU Section : 19 ou 23
Publication profile (title of the contract and the position concerned) : Tenure track professor - Social and Human Sciences - Public Health	Starting date: no later than 12/31/2026
Department/University : School of public health - UFR médecine, maïeutique et métiers de la santé - Université de Lorraine	Location: Campus Brabois Santé, Nancy, France
Laboratory : UMR INSPIIRE, Université de Lorraine, Inserm	Location: Campus Brabois Santé, Nancy, France

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Job profile and EURAXESS

Job profile (maximum two-line summary of the profile in English) :

Position of tenure track professor of social and human sciences (chairholder) affiliated to both a research unit and teaching department dedicated to public health, especially to health services, health promotion, and prevention

Euraxess research fields (see coding table in the annexed documents) :

Research profile R3 - Established researcher

Research fields: Human geography, Social Geography, Sociology, Sociology of organizations, Health sciences

Job profile

Nature and purpose of the research project:

Affiliated to INSPIRE research unit, which relies on interdisciplinary and participatory approaches, the chairholder will focus on the patient's point of view and healthy longevity, through the development and evaluation of prevention programs and the development and validation of instruments measuring latent traits. This recruitment aims to strengthen the unit's resources in social and human sciences, especially human geography or sociology of organizations and health sciences, in order to better address social and territorial inequalities in health in the development and evaluation of prevention programs, or in the development, transcultural adaptation and validation of complex health measurement instruments (PROMS and PREMS). Through its involvement in the LIFE-TRAVEL project, the chairholder will benefit from opportunities to collaborate with researchers from several research units of Université de Lorraine, to address prevention program development across ages to promote healthy aging.

Needs have emerged within INSPIRE to take greater account of social and territorial inequalities in health in the development and evaluation of prevention programs, and in particular their effects on perceptual outcomes based on latent traits. The LIFE-TRAVEL project, co-directed by INSPIRE, includes a work package focusing on the development of prevention programs. With ageing populations and increased life expectancy, healthy life expectancy is becoming a public health issue. As a result, the need for effective lifelong prevention programs, particularly in terms of perceived health, is bound to increase.

This chair is designed to widen our interdisciplinary approach of the two core research themes of INSPIRE with a new discipline. It will strengthen our national and international visibility in these fields.

Through its longstanding partnerships with researchers from Canadian, Australian and American universities, the INSPIRE unit will be able to offer the chairholder extensive opportunities for international collaboration on the unit's themes. The recent partnership with LIH (Luxembourg) will also consolidate European links, complementing those already built up by the Antibiovac axis in the field of promoting antimicrobial stewardship and tackling antibiotic resistance. The chairholder network will further extend the scope for international collaboration, opening the unit's doors to internationally recruited students and PhD students.

Nature and purpose of the proposed teaching project:

The chairholder will be responsible for teaching in the Master of Public Health and its 3 courses: Prevention and health promotion; Ethics of care, public health and new technologies; Epidemiology, clinical research and evaluation. He will also be responsible for offering internships in the INSPIRE laboratory to Master students, and for supervising doctoral students. He or she will also act as a mentor for the health service internship for health students, as well as a teacher for Social and human sciences courses within the public health teaching units of the medical curriculum.

Partner: Inserm

Associated funding amount: €200,000

Anticipated contract duration: 5 years



Teaching profile:

The candidate will have a solid background in Social and human sciences (human geography, sociology of organizations, and public health) with a focus on health sciences.
He/she must hold a doctorate with a public health focus, and have teaching experience to bachelor or master degrees students.

Department/University: Collégium santé / UFR médecine, maïeutique et métiers de la santé / Ecole de santé publique, Université de Lorraine, Nancy, France

Keywords: Public health, Social and human sciences, Health sciences

Research profile:

Holder of a PhD in Social and human sciences (human geography or sociology of organizations) oriented on a public health issue, the candidate must have experience in project management: project design, field investigations (with a preference for experience in conducting qualitative investigations: semi-structured interviews, monographs, observation...), data analysis (preferably qualitative, with proficiency in NVivo software), and valorization through publication of scientific articles in international peer-reviewed journals.

The candidate must have experience in supervising Master's students. An "Habilitation à diriger les recherches (HDR)" would be appreciated. If not, experience in co-directing PhD students will also be appreciated, with a clear perspective to graduate in HDR within 5 years.

Through his/her publications, the candidate must hold expertise in social or territorial health inequalities.

Particular attention will be paid to the scientific collaborations forged by the candidate, as well as the publications stemming from these collaborations. The candidate's inclination for participatory approaches and his/her experience in interdisciplinary initiatives will also be appreciated.

Laboratory name: Interdisciplinarité en santé publique : Interventions et Instruments de mesure complexes - Région Est (INSPIIRE)

Keywords: Public health, interventional research, health services research, prevention, health promotion, perceived health measures, PROMS, PREMS

Additional information

- Requirements for applicants:
 - Hold a doctorate or an equivalent degree (upon recognition by UL Scientific Committee).

- The list of supporting documents to be attached to the application:

Your application file, consisting of the application form entered online, must include the following items:

- An official identity document with a photography;
- A document certifying that you hold a PhD, or an equivalent degree (whose equivalence must be recognized by the University of Lorraine Scientific Committee);
- The PhD examination report, or a certificate from the institution stating that no examination report has been drawn up;
- An analytical presentation of the works, books, articles, achievements and activities related to the profile of the Junior Professorship Chair tenure-track position in question, mentioning those that the candidate intends to present at the audition;
- A copy of each of the works, books, articles and achievements mentioned in the analytical presentation and which the candidate intends to present at the audition, not exceeding six documents.

Administrative documents written in whole or in part in a foreign language must be accompanied by a translation into French, the conformity of which the candidate certifies on his or her honor. The translation of the analytical presentation is compulsory and the works, books, articles and achievements in a foreign language must be accompanied by a summary in French. Otherwise, the application will be declared inadmissible.

Candidates who are or have been for less than eighteen months a teacher-researcher at a level equivalent to that of the post to be filled, in a higher education institution in a country other than France, must indicate this status.

Applications must be submitted on the Galaxie platform (FIDIS module) according to the calendar available on the University of Lorraine website.

Any application incomplete by the above-mentioned deadline will be declared inadmissible.

Only those candidates who have been selected by the recruitment committee on the basis of their applications will be invited to the audition.

*When searching for positions, Junior Professorships will be distinguished from others by the recruitment article (CPJ).

How auditions are organized

- The audition of candidates by the selection committee may include a work placement (decree no. 84-431 of June 6, 1984), in the form of a lesson or research presentation seminar. This experience is not open to the public.

Professional situation:

☒ yes (with public audition ☐ yes ☐ no) ☐ no

In the form of:

☐ of lesson(s)

☒ research presentation seminar

☐ meetings (with students or teachers/researchers/researchers of the research or teaching unit in which the post is open)

- The position for which you are applying is likely to be located in a “restricted area” within the meaning of article R 413-5-1 of the penal code. If this is the case, your appointment and/or assignment can only take place after authorization of access issued by the head of the establishment, in accordance with the provisions of article 20-4 of decree n°84-431 of 6 June 1984.

Joining the Lorraine University, means sharing it's values and benefiting from its working conditions

- **Our commitments, our values** : In 2016, the Lorraine University adopted a charter of values based on universality, creativity, reflexivity, solidarity and responsibility.
- **Our working conditions** : The Lorraine University has taken a number of steps to prevent psychosocial risks (appointing an occupational psychologist, setting up awareness-raising initiatives, introducing warning and listening systems). It was also a pioneer in the introduction of teleworking, which it continues to develop.
- **Dayli support** : Throughout your career at the Lorraine University, employees are supported by the institution in their professional lives (occupational health, disability). The university also offers its staff a range of assistance and support services designed to promote work-life balance and personal fulfilment. A social assistance service is also available to university staff to help them deal with difficult situations.
- **Equality - Diversity - Inclusion** : The Lorraine University Since 2015, the Group has developed a comprehensive equality - diversity - inclusion policy that goes beyond the framework of gender equality in the workplace, taking into account discrimination that goes beyond gender and adding six criteria: age, gender identity, sexual orientation, origin, religion and disability.
- **Attractiveness and cultural offering** : The Lorraine University offers a wide range of cultural, sporting and leisure activities to all its employees: more than 70 sporting activities are available, and there are venues dedicated to cultural activities (including the Espace Bernard-Marie Koltès - Conventional Stage of National Interest). Every year, more than 500 different cultural events are held throughout the region.

Department/University

Educational team: School of public health, Ecole de santé publique, UFR Médecine, maïeutique et métiers de la santé, Université de

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