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Dear Members of the Recruiting Committee,

I am writing to express my strong interest in the advertised researcher position in Economics at [Institute Name]. As a Ph.D. candidate at Goethe University Frankfurt, I specialize in labor economics, with a particular focus on firm dynamics. In my research, I build micro-founded quantitative heterogeneous firm models to address policy-oriented questions.

In my current research, I explore how firms' decisions to go public impact their investment behavior and labor market outcomes over the business cycle. In a collaborative work, I also investigate how firms' subjective expectations influence their R&D investments and how these decisions contribute to aggregate productivity growth. I believe my research complements well the research interests of the department.

I also have extensive experience analyzing micro-level data, including Germany's Institute for Employment Research (IAB) data, which includes employee and employer surveys, employee-employer matched data, and administrative data covering the universe of German establishments. I am excited about the opportunity to work with the data provided by [Institute Name] and look forward to utilizing it for further research.

I have attached my Curriculum Vitae, Job Market Paper, and Research Statement for your review. I would be honored to further discuss my potential contributions to your department and look forward to hearing from you.

Thank you for your consideration.

Your Sincerly,

Jisu Jeun