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## VACANCY NOTICE for a RESEARCH ASSISTANT / POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER

The EUI has a vacancy for a Research Assistant/Post-Doctoral Researcher in the Department of Political and Social Sciences

**Reference number: SPS3/2018** (please quote in all correspondence)

<b>Department:</b>	Department of Political and Social Sciences
<b>Length of contract and % of full-time:</b>	10 months full time (30/30) 1 July 2018 – 30 April 2019
<b>Salary indication:</b>	Approximately 1900 - 2300 EUR/month net + allowances if applicable  More information about conditions of employment available <a href="#">here</a> .
<b>Director of project:</b>	Professor Jennifer Welsh
<b>Title of project:</b>	The Individualisation of War: Reconfiguring the Ethics, Law and Politics of Armed Conflict
<b>Job description:</b>	The successful candidate will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• conduct research on the principle of distinction in international humanitarian law, and how it is understood and practiced by different actors in armed conflict;</li> <li>• contribute to the writing of books, papers and articles on international humanitarian law and the protection of civilians;</li> <li>• contribute to the production of any other materials as directed by PI &amp; Co-Is, such as policy briefs and working papers;</li> <li>• contribute as required to any seminars, conferences or other events organized by the programme, including occasional assistance as rapporteur as requested;</li> <li>• participate as required in the dissemination of the programme's results to academics, policy makers and the public.</li> </ul>

<b>Place of work:</b>	Florence, Italy
<b>Qualifications:</b>	<p><b>Essential:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PhD in public international law, with a focus on international humanitarian law. Dissertation must be submitted by June 1, 2018.</li> <li>• Successful track-record of peer-reviewed publications in international law, conflict, and related topics.</li> <li>• Demonstrably strong research skills and event-organizing skills.</li> <li>• Experience converting academic research findings into policy briefs and disseminating findings to the wider public.</li> </ul> <p><b>Desirable:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A demonstrated interest in working in an interdisciplinary team.</li> <li>• Direct field experience in conflict or post-conflict zones, whether as a researcher or practitioner.</li> <li>• An understanding of how international humanitarian principles are applied by actors in armed conflict.</li> <li>• A track-record of research in international humanitarian law and/or civilian protection.</li> </ul>
<b>Languages:</b>	Proficient knowledge of English.
<b>Contact details</b>	For more information contact <a href="mailto:martina.selmi@eui.eu">martina.selmi@eui.eu</a>
<b>Deadline</b>	The closing date for applications is: <b>Friday 6 April 2018</b>
<b>How to apply</b>	Fill in the <a href="#">on-line application form</a> and upload documents as requested.