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Advertisement for appointment of Research Assistant
Ref: **ECO 2 / 2010** (please quote in all correspondence)

Department:	Department of Economics
Length of contract and % of full-time:	4 months: 1 January 2011 – 30 April 2011, full time
Director of project:	Prof. Nicola Pavoni
Title of project:	Social Insurance and welfare to work programmes: optimal design and structural estimation
Job description:	The candidate will investigate optimal policy programmes, especially social insurance and labour market programmes. The main assistance will be on quantitative investigation of such programmes. Where for quantitative we intend empirical – hence data analysis – and/or computational – hence simulations of calibrated dynamic models.
Qualifications:	<p>The candidate should have knowledge of economics at post-graduate level and some experience in research activity in economics and/or be enrolled in a PhD programme in economics.</p> <p>The candidate should have at least basic knowledge of both Matlab and Stata. An advanced knowledge in one of the two above mentioned computer programmes (or in both) is preferred.</p> <p>Good communication, organisation and coordination skills and a proven ability to work in a multi-cultural environment are also important.</p>
Languages:	English.

Applications, with curriculum vitae of max. 2 pages must be addressed to the Academic Service, for the attention of Dr. A. Frijdal, at the following e-mail address: apply.resposts@eui.eu. The deadline for applications is: **19 November 2010**.