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## **VACANCY NOTICE for a RESEARCH FELLOW**

The EUI has a vacancy for a Research Fellow in the Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies.

Reference number: RSC39/2017 (please quote in all correspondence)

Department:	Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies (RSCAS)
Length of contract and % of full-time:	1 October 2017 – 30 September 2019, renewable, part-time (approx. 75%).
Salary indication:	Net salary approx. 3.000 € per month.  More information about conditions of employment is available here.
Director of the project:	Luigi Narbone
Title of the project:	Middle East Directions Programme
Job description:	<ul> <li>The Research fellow is expected to:</li> <li>Work on building the Middle East Directions' strategic research agenda;</li> <li>Conduct field research in the Middle East, especially in relation to the Syrian conflict;</li> <li>Establish and manage policy research projects;</li> <li>Coordinate and supervise a team of researchers working in conflict environment;</li> <li>Produce high quality academic papers and journal articles;</li> <li>Contribute to dissemination activities for the program and develop contacts with key stakeholders and policy-makers in the Middle East;</li> <li>Manage external relationships with potential donors.</li> </ul>
Place of work:	Florence

Qualifications:	Essential:
	PhD in Political Science;
	<ul> <li>At least 10 years professional experience;</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Expertise in Middle East North Africa (MENA) studies, specifically in the subfield of the Syrian conflict and its impact on the region;</li> </ul>
	Experience in conducting research in conflict environments.
	Desirable:
	<ul> <li>Previous experience in working with international public institutions.</li> </ul>
Languages:	Excellent written and spoken English and Arabic is required; knowledge of other EU languages will be an advantage.
Contact details	For more information contact donato.dibartolomeo@eui.eu.
Deadline	The closing date for applications is: 27 August 2017.
How to apply	Fill in the on line application form and upload documents as requested.