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VACANCY NOTICE for a RESEARCH ASSISTANT

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

Reference number: RSC55/2017 (please quote in all correspondence)

Department:	Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies (RSCAS)
Length of contract and % of full-time:	12 months, starting as soon as possible, with the possibility to be prolonged for maximum up to 5 years Full time 30/30
Salary indication:	Basic net salary approximately 1900 euro / month plus allowances if applicable More information about conditions of employment is available here .
Director of project:	Prof. Brigid Laffan / Prof. Matthias Finger
Title of project:	Florence School of Regulation (FSR) – Transport
Job description:	<p>The Florence School of Regulation – Transport Area (FSR Transport) is looking for a research assistant to join the team based in Florence, Italy. The post holder will contribute to the core activities of the Area and his/her main tasks include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Organisation of workshops (content definition) with logistic support provided by the Conference Unit;- Drafting and editing briefs, reports, summaries for workshops;- Management of a Journal (contact with publisher, management board, authors, and organization of the annual conference);- Performing analytical and research tasks;- Developing the network and communication channels of FSR Transport;- Providing further assistance and perform additional tasks as required by the FSR Transport Director.
Place of work:	Florence, Italy

<p>Qualifications:</p>	<p>Essential:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Master's degree in a field relevant to the position; - PhD is an asset; - Minimum 3 years of working experience in the area of transport, transport policy or a related field; - Excellent knowledge of the EU and European transport policy, and a willingness to learn about all modes of transport and network industries; - Excellent organisational skills and ability to set and meet deadlines; - Excellent ability to work in a team and to take initiatives; - Excellent analytical, writing and communication skills. <p>Desirable: Excellent computer skills, familiarity with graphic, web design and CMS is a plus</p>
<p>Languages:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Excellent knowledge of English as working language is required - Knowledge of other EU languages is an advantage
<p>Contact details</p>	<p>For more information contact Ilina.Hristova@EUI.eu</p>
<p>Deadline</p>	<p>The closing date for applications is: 2 November 2017</p>
<p>How to apply</p>	<p>Fill in the on line application form and upload documents as requested.</p> <p>In addition to the CV and statement letter, candidates have to submit a one-page policy brief as explained below.</p> <p>Produce an informative one-page document on a current transport issue, targeted at FSR Transport stakeholders (companies, regulators, policy-makers, academics, associations of stakeholders).</p> <p>The one-page document should focus on the governance, regulation, policies, performance or functioning of the chosen transport sector. Please choose one topic from the following list major issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Road: decarbonisation of the road sector - Rail: financing of the railroad infrastructure - Urban transport: sustainable development - Air: the EU as a global player in the aviation industry - Maritime: competitiveness of the EU port sector