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VACANCY NOTICE for 1 RESEARCH FELLOW

The EUI has a vacancy for 1 Research Fellow in the Department of History and Civilisation

Reference number: V/RF/HEC/4/2021 (please quote in all correspondence)

Department	Department of History and Civilisation
Length of contract and % of full-time	<p>Full-time or part-time (minimum 50%)</p> <p>Starting on 1 March 2022 for 12 months (start date negotiable)</p> <p>This contract may be further renewed (several times and conditional to the availability of funds), leading to an extension of the period of service up to a total of 36 months, including the first contract period.</p>
Salary indication	<p>The basic net monthly salary after taxes is approx. 3.400 3.277 €/month (for a full-time employment and with Italy as the place of work) or approx. 1.700 1643 €/month (for a 50% employment and with Italy as the place of work (Grade CDR3 / Step 1)</p> <p>In addition to the salary, the Research Fellow may be entitled to receive various allowances, in particular: household allowance, expatriation allowance, dependent child allowance and education allowance. More information about conditions of employment is available here.</p>
Director of project	Prof. Glenda Sluga
Title of project	Twentieth-Century International Economic Thinking, and the Complex History of Globalization (ECOINT)
Job description	<p>The ECOINT ERC project advances an innovative approach to the study of the struggles over economic ideas that have fashioned the paths to globalisation. It focuses on 'international economic thinking' generated in and through institutional sites distinctive to the 20th century: intergovernmental organisations and associated international non-governmental organisations. Its main research questions are: <i>Where</i> do we find international globalisation thinking? <i>Who</i> were international economic thinkers? <i>How</i> did they shape the course of globalisation? <i>What</i> does it mean that many of them were women? What does this history tell us about the paths taken or missed by globalisation?</p>

	<p>The Research Fellow will undertake <i>global historical studies of international economic thinking at unstudied IGOs, and NGOs</i>. Depending on his/her/their regional and conceptual expertise, he/she/they will have the opportunity to research (for example) the UN Regional Economic Commissions for Asia and the Far East (later Pacific); or the role of economic experts and businesswomen at the IFBPW. In general, research on distinctive regions and international organisations is shared and discussed by the research team. The team works together to build a more comprehensive empirical understanding of men's, women's, 'expert' and business economic thinking and a global picture of international economic thinking, and produces shared as well as individual publications.</p> <p>In the context of the ECOINT project, the Research Fellow will carry out the following tasks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Researching, writing and publishing independently on his/her selected topic area; • Working as part of a team on a co-authored volume, and co-authored articles; • Contributing to expanding public debate on international and economic history, and contemporary challenges through outreach program of workshops, public panels, podcasts; • Taking the opportunity to co-teach relevant subject areas with doctoral students; • Taking initiatives for the organization of relevant workshops and seminars.
Place of work	Florence, Italy
Qualifications	<p>The candidate should be recently finished with - or near the end of - his/her/their PhD (must have defended and obtained it before the contract's starting date) on a related area of history with a focus on economic, intellectual, gender, and/or international history.</p> <p>The candidate should have familiarity with the literature on international organisations, economic history, and including knowledge of relevant literature in women's history and international history.</p> <p>The candidate should also have familiarity working with international, state, and private archives and be able to substantively engage with non-Anglophone sources, as relevant to the agreed research area.</p> <p>Essential:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PhD degree, preferably in the history of international organisations, economic history, global intellectual history (PhD students about to defend their thesis are eligible conditional on the successful thesis defense by the contract start date); • One or more relevant publications (journal articles, book chapters);

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proven experience in the field of the new international history; specific knowledge of Asia, Pacific, and or/women's economic history; • Excellent writing skills; • Proven ability to work both independently and as part of a team; • Proven ability to work in an international and highly competitive environment.
Languages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent knowledge of English, both spoken and written; • Fluency or excellent skills in other languages relevant to the research topic will be evaluated.
Contact details	For more information contact laura.borgese@eui.eu
Deadline	The closing date for applications is 10 December 2021 4 January 2022 at midnight (CET)
How to apply	<p>Fill in the online application form and upload documents as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Full CV in English (5 pages max) 2. Short CV in English (2 pages max) 3. Motivation letter in English (approx. 2-3 pages)