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VACANCY NOTICE for a Research Fellow position

The EUI has a vacancy for a Research Fellow in the Department of Political and Social Sciences

Reference number: V/RF/SPS/12/2021 (please quote in all correspondence)

Department:	Department of Political and Social Sciences
Length of contract and % of full-time:	Starting March 2022, part-time 50%, for six months
Salary indication:	<p>Grade CDR3 step 1</p> <p>The basic net monthly salary after taxes is approx. 1642 €/month.</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.</p> <p>More information about conditions of employment is available here.</p>
Director of project:	Professor Anton Hemerijck
Title of project:	Social Investment Post Covid-19 Recovery Reform
Job description:	<p>The Research Fellow will carry out the following tasks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • monitoring social reforms, as well as investments, in the National Recovery and Resilience Plans (NRRPs) of the EU Recovery and Resilience Fund (by use of qualitative comparative analysis and process tracing methods); • seeking out policy complementarities between the social policy functions of stocks, flows and buffers (by desk research on legislative texts and regulations and field-work elite interviews); • studying supranational (EU) involvement in social investment reform agenda-setting in EUI member states (optional).
Place of work:	Florence, Italy

<p>Qualifications:</p>	<p><u>Essential</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PhD in Political Science/Public policy/European Studies or related field; • Specialisation/proven interest in the following field considered an asset: politics behind (social) reforms; • Proven expertise in at least one of these methods: process tracing, QCA, and (optional) quantitative analysis of electoral/partisan data. <p><u>Desirable</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Publication record in areas related to comparative politics, comparative (social) policy, and public policy reform dynamics.
<p>Languages:</p>	<p>Excellent knowledge of English, both spoken and written</p>
<p>Contact details</p>	<p>For more information contact Maureen.lechleitner@eui.eu</p>
<p>Deadline</p>	<p>The closing date for applications is 17th January 2022 at midnight (Florence time)</p>
<p>How to apply</p>	<p>Fill in the online application form and upload documents as requested</p>