

Department of Political and Social Sciences

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The European University Institute is looking for candidates to fill the

Peter Mair Assistant Professorship in Comparative Politics

The Department of Political and Social Sciences at the European University Institute seeks to make an appointment for the Peter Mair Assistant Professorship in Comparative Politics. The position is advertised at the rank of Assistant Professor to commence in the academic year 2026/27.

Applications are invited from candidates engaged in comparative political science research.

Candidates should have a PhD by September 2026. The candidates should show strong research potential and a capacity for effective teaching and advising at graduate level.

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Deadline for receipt of applications: **27 August 2026**.

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