

EUI Remunerated Traineeship Opportunity – Journalist Trainee

The Communications Service is looking for a journalist intern to carry out the following tasks:

- Developing story ideas, writing and reporting on EUI academic and research activities and events for internal and external communications (e.g. website, *EUI in Brief* newsletter, etc.);
- Developing and/or editing texts for internal and external communications;
- Assisting with social media activities and press and media relations;
- Photography and involvement in producing videos and podcasts.

Type and Duration

- Three months, with extension up to 12 months in total.
- Full time (Monday to Friday, 40 hours a week).
- Start of the traineeship: 1 October 2019

Conditions for Eligibility

Candidates must:

- A) Be nationals of a European Union member state, or of a candidate country which benefits from a pre-accession strategy. Nationals of non-member States will be considered only if no other suitable candidate can be selected.

AND

- B) Are studying for a first (post-secondary education) degree and are in the process of obtaining the qualification; OR
- C) Are involved in a vocational training programme; OR
- D) Have obtained the above (B or C) qualification, no longer than 18 months prior to the beginning of the traineeship;

AND

- E) Have a thorough knowledge of English (native speaker or equivalent certified level, C2). Knowledge of another EUI's official language is an advantage but this is not a requirement (it should be taken into account that English, French and Italian are the main working languages at the institute).

All rules governing the traineeship refer to the [President's Decision no.39/2013](#)

IMPORTANT: please note that persons who do not meet the conditions above should not apply and may not receive any response if they choose to do so.

Qualifications Required

- University degree or diploma in a field relevant to this post. Applicants with a degree in journalism and/or proven work experience in this field are encouraged to apply;
- Excellent interviewing, communication and writing skills;
- Basic web editing skills;
- Experience with social media including familiarity with Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn

Advantageous

- Skills in photography, video and podcast production;
- Previous experience in an international environment;
- Good time management, multi-tasking and organisational skills;
- Personal interest in and awareness of European issues and affairs

Benefits

- Maintenance grants of 1.335 Euros per month;
- A discount of 40 per cent for one lunch per day at the EUI canteen;
- A remunerated trainee who is recruited from outside Florence is entitled to reimbursement of travel expenses actually incurred at the beginning and the end of the traineeship;
- Access to EUI facilities: Library, PC Rooms, Cafeteria, Gym, Participations in Public Seminars and Workshops.

TO APPLY:

Please send: a) CV; b) cover letter; c) up to 5 examples of work related to this position (e.g. published writing samples or audio/video files) to the email: eui.pr@eui.eu, mentioning in the subject: *Application for Journalist Traineeship*

Deadline for applying: Monday 2 September 2019 at 24:00 CET.

For more information on traineeships at the EUI:

<https://www.eui.eu/About/JobOpportunities/Traineeships>

EUI general information: www.eui.eu

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