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FG IV - Legal Officer - Intellectual Property

<p><b>Position for:</b> <b>FG IV – Legal Officer</b></p>	<p>As the science and knowledge service of the Commission, the mission of DG Joint Research Centre is to support EU policies with independent evidence throughout the whole policy cycle.</p> <p>The JRC is located in 5 Member States (Belgium, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands and Spain). Further information is available at: <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/">https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/</a></p> <p>The mission of the Directorate for Competences is to set up and operate Competence Centres which will develop, provide and apply analytical tools, methods and integrated solutions to better support all Commission Services for the conception, implementation and evaluation of EU policies.</p> <p>Within the Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer Unit, the Commission's Central IP Service manages the Commission's Intellectual Property rights, provides IP advice, raises awareness on IP, provides legal support to dissemination of IP and contributes to EC IP policy issues.</p> <p>We look for a Legal Officer to Provide legal analysis of intellectual property cases at the European Commission, in particular copyright cases, and take steps to resolve them. The selected candidate will also Contribute to the EC policy on copyright, including publications, software and databases. S/he will reply to the requests for support from the IP Helpdesk, back-up for monitoring the use of the EU emblem. S/he will contribute to raising awareness on IP amongst EC staff.</p> <p>Qualifications:</p> <p>Law studies at university level of at least four years, preferably with a specialisation in Intellectual Property law.</p> <p>A minimum of two years of experience in legal advice in the field of IP, with solid experience in copyright issues.</p> <p>Experience in training others is an advantage.</p> <p>Language level: a minimum of C2 in EN. Knowledge of French is an advantage.</p> <p>Skills:</p> <p>The candidate should have strong analytical and drafting skills, and an eye for details.</p> <p>S/he should be able to work autonomously, function in a team and share knowledge with others.</p>
<p><b>Directorate Unit</b></p>	<p>Competences Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer</p> <p>Further information: <a href="https://myintracom.ec.europa.eu/corp/intellectual-property/Pages/default.aspx">https://myintracom.ec.europa.eu/corp/intellectual-property/Pages/default.aspx</a></p>

<b>Indicative duration</b>	36 months initial contract with possible renewals up to maximum 6 years
<b>JRC Site</b> <b>Country</b>	Brussels Belgium
<b>Rules and eligibility</b>	<p>The candidate must be on any valid EPSO reserve list for Function Group IV contract staff.</p> <p>Applicants to the following Calls for expression of interest can also be considered:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. CAST Permanent - EPSO has launched in January 2017 an open-ended selection procedure to create a pool of candidates from which the institutions, bodies, offices and agencies of the European Union (EU) can recruit contract agents. Details available at the link below: <a href="https://epso.europa.eu/documents/2240_en">https://epso.europa.eu/documents/2240_en</a></li> <li>2. Call COM/1/2015/GFIV – Research - The JRC has launched in January 2015 a permanent call for researchers FG IV. Details available at the link below: <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/vacancies/function-group-IV-researchers">https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/vacancies/function-group-IV-researchers</a></li> </ol> <p><b>Auxiliary contract staff:</b> <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/temporary-positions/contract-staff-members">https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/temporary-positions/contract-staff-members</a></p> <p>Article 3b of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union applies: the actual period of employment within the Commission under this type of contract, including any period under renewal, shall not exceed 6 years.</p> <p><i>Please note that due to the high number of applications received only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.</i></p>