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FG IV - Economic Analyst - Microsimulation Modelling

<p>Position for:</p> <p>FG IV - Economic Analyst - Microsimulation Modelling</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: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/</p> <p>The Fiscal Policy Analysis Unit conducts research in support of European Commission recommendations in the area of taxation and structural reforms, in particular in the context of the European Semester policy cycle and future Commission proposals in the area of corporate taxation. To this end, the Unit develops and exploits a reference toolset of economic models, in coordination with the Policy DGs and other services of the JRC, monitors and analyses fiscal policies and support policy DGs recommendations in the area of tax and social benefits policies.</p> <p>The Unit wishes to recruit a microsimulation modeller to work in the update and maintenance of the microsimulation model EUROMOD. The model covers personal income taxation, social security contributions and social benefits for the 28 EU Member States. The objective of the project is to ensure a regular and timely update and release of the model and to use the EUROMOD model in order to provide support to the European Commission policy recommendations.</p> <p>The successful candidate will contribute to the maintenance, update and documentation of the EUROMOD model in close collaboration with EUROMOD national teams and DG ESTAT. He/she will contribute to the timely public release of the model and will collaborate in the coordination of the preparation of EUROMOD annual country reports, will animate annual EUROMOD conferences and EUROMOD project meetings. He/she will also contribute to support the Fiscal Policy Analysis unit for the modelling of tax reforms, in particular in the context of the European Semester policy cycle.</p> <p>Qualifications:</p> <p>The candidate should have a solid background in one of the following fields: tax policy, social policy,</p>
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	<p>inequalities or poverty analyses. The successful candidate will be expected to have experience in micro-data analysis, statistics and/or micro-simulation modelling. Previous experience with the EUROMOD microsimulation model coding and data preparation would be a distinctive asset. A good command of software such as Stata and a track record of research and publications in the area of tax and social policy are also welcome. Modelling and analytical tasks will involve collaboration with other European Commission services, in particular DG ESTAT and other relevant international organizations and research institutions, in particular the EUROMOD national country teams.</p> <p>Candidates should ideally have a PhD (doctoral diploma) or a minimum of 5 years professional experience after university studies of at least 3 years attested by a diploma. A good level of written and spoken English is essential.</p>
<p>Directorate Unit</p>	<p>Directorate B – Growth & innovation (Seville) Unit B2 Fiscal Policy Analysis Further information: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/research-topic/fiscal-policy-analysis</p>
<p>Indicative duration</p>	<p>36 months initial contract with possible renewals up to maximum 6 years</p>
<p>JRC Site Country</p>	<p>Seville Spain</p>
<p>Rules and eligibility</p>	<p>The candidate must be on a valid EPSO reserve list for Function Group IV contract staff.</p> <p>If you are not in any valid EPSO reserve list for Function Group IV contract staff, you can still apply by following these steps.</p> <p>You express your interest by applying to the CAST Permanent or to the permanent JRC Call for researchers.</p> <p>1. CAST Permanent: 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. https://epso.europa.eu/documents/2240_en</p> <p>2. JRC Call COM/1/2015/GFIV – Research: open-ended selection procedure to create a pool of candidates from which mainly the JRC can recruit contract agents FGIV as researchers. Details available at the link below: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/vacancies/function-group-IV-researchers</p> <p>Only then you can apply for this specific position, through http://recruitment.jrc.ec.europa.eu/?type=AX</p>

Auxiliary contract staff:

<https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/temporary-positions/contract-staff-members>

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.

Please note that in case a high number of applications is received only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.