



**2019-IPR-D5-FGIV-012328**

**FG IV - Technical Support Officer in agri-environmental assessment using agro-economic models**

<p><b>Position for:</b></p> <p><b>FG IV</b></p> <p><b>Project Officer - Scientific</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 current vacancy is in the Directorate for Sustainable Resources (located in Ispra, Italy). Its mission is to provide independent scientific evidence to support the development, implementation, evaluation and coherence of EU policies, mainly in the areas of agriculture and rural development, development cooperation, environment and climate change, the blue economy and fisheries, the bio economy, industry and trade.</p> <p>The vacancy is within the Food Security Unit which contributes towards a more effective and efficient management of the Common Agricultural Policy (CAP) through the provision of a broader range of technical support services to DG Agriculture and Member-State (MS) Administrations. In particular, the MARS-AGRIENV group is currently contributing to the evaluation of CAP impacts on the environment.</p> <p>Qualifications:</p> <p>The ideal candidate has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a PhD (doctoral Diploma) in the field of agricultural or environmental economics; agricultural or environmental sciences; agro-economic/environmental modelling or related fields;</li> <li>• or a university degree and 5 years of research experience after the university giving access to doctoral studies;</li> <li>• experience in the field of agro-economic/environmental models and programming skills (GAMS, etc.).</li> </ul> <p>The following experience/knowledge would be an advantage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Knowledge on agri-environmental interactions (nutrient cycle in agricultural systems, GHG emissions etc.) or life cycle assessment.</li> </ul> <p>Good knowledge of spoken and written English (B2 minimum) is required.</p>
<p><b>Directorate Unit</b></p>	<p>Sustainable Resources Food Security</p> <p>Further information: <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/">https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/</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>	Ispra Italy
<b>Rules and eligibility</b>	<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. <a href="https://epso.europa.eu/documents/2240_en">https://epso.europa.eu/documents/2240_en</a></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: <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></p> <p>Only then you can apply for this specific position, through <a href="http://recruitment.jrc.ec.europa.eu/?type=AX">http://recruitment.jrc.ec.europa.eu/?type=AX</a></p> <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 in case a high number of applications is received only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.</i></p>