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FG IV - Economic Analyst - Microsimulation Modelling

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The Fiscal Policy Analysis Unit of JRC-Seville wishes to recruit two economists to ensure the maintenance of the EUROMOD model and to provide support to EU recommendations and proposals in the area of tax and social policies affecting households. The job holder's activity will take place in the context of the support framework to DG EMPL, DG TAXUD and DG ECFIN (policy DGs). Further information on the unit activity is available at: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/research-topic/fiscal-policy-analysis.

The successful candidates will contribute to the maintenance, update and documentation of the EUROMOD model in close collaboration with EUROMOD national teams and ESTAT. They will contribute to the timely public release of the model and to the preparation of EUROMOD annual country reports. They will also contribute to animate the annual EUROMOD conferences and EUROMOD project meetings.

The successful candidates will provide modelling support for the analysis of tax and social reforms in the EU, in particular in the context of the European Semester policy cycle. Modelling and analytical tasks will involve collaboration with other European Commission services, in particular ESTAT and other relevant international organizations and research institutions, in particular the EUROMOD national country teams.

Qualifications:

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).

The candidates should have a solid background in one or several of the following fields: tax policy, social policy, inequalities and poverty analyses. The successful candidates will be expected to have experience in large micro-dataset analysis and statistics (in particular using the Stata software) and/ or in microsimulation modelling. Previous experience

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	with the EUROMOD microsimulation model coding and data preparation would be an additional asset.
	A track record of research and publications in the area of tax and social policy is also welcome.
	As English is the main working language, the candidate should have a very good level and be able to speak, read and write in this language.
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Unit	Fiscal Policy Analysis Unit (JRC.B2) Further information: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/research-topic/fiscal-policy-analysis
Indicative duration	36 months initial contract with possible renewals up to maximum 6 years
JRC Site	Seville
Country	Spain
Rules and eligibility	The candidate must be on a valid EPSO reserve list for Function Group IV contract staff, if you are not on such a list, you can still apply by following these steps. You express your interest by applying to the permanent JRC Call for researchers or to CAST Permanent. 1. 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 2. 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 Only then you can apply for this specific position, through 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

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