



EUROPEAN COMMISSION

JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE

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**FG IV - PROJECT OFFICER – ENERGY
EFFICIENCY POLICY ANALYST**

POSITION FOR:

Member of the contract staff FGIV – art. 3b of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants
<http://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=CONSLEG:1962R0031:20110101:EN:PDF>

WE ARE:

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.

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/>

The vacancy is within the Energy Efficiency and Renewables Unit of the Directorate for Energy, Transport and Climate, located in Ispra, Italy that provides scientific and technical support to renewable energy, energy efficiency policies and the Covenant of Mayors.

WE PROPOSE:

The present position is for an energy efficiency policy analyst. The successful candidate will be providing scientific and technical support to the design, monitoring and evaluation of energy efficiency policies in the EU and its Member States, with particular focus in the building sector. The main output of the work will consist on the development of methodologies for evaluation of policies and measures, including decomposition analysis and econometric/statistical tools. The successful candidate will be also encouraged to publish the results of her/his research activities in the open scientific.

The successful candidate will perform the following tasks:

- Development and refinement of methodologies for evaluation of energy efficiency policies;
- Assessment of national annual reports and national energy and climate action plans under the Energy Union Governance Regulation;
- Contribution to the annual assessments of EU progresses in energy efficiency (published as JRC reports), to the JRC energy efficiency policy database, to the monitoring of the implementation of EU energy efficiency policies;
- Working close to European Commission policy DGs (in particular ENER) as well as coordinating external experts and working groups;
- Contribution to scientific output through peer-reviewed scientific publications.

WE LOOK FOR:

We look for a person with experience and strong interest in energy efficiency policies with strong analytical and quantitative skills, a motivated, flexible and reliable colleague who is able to develop new concepts and new methodologies over a number of varied and complex tasks.

The ideal candidate should have a degree in a relevant subject (engineering, economics, environmental sciences, political science) together with a minimum of 5 years of relevant experience, or a Ph.D.

Proven work experience and knowledge of:

- Assessment of national energy and climate action plans.
- Advanced statistical analysis of large data set.
- Knowledge and experience with common statistical and econometric analysis packages.
- Experience in evaluation of climate change and energy efficiency policies.
- A high level of spoken and written English (B2) is essential.

Good drafting skills, supported by proven track record of published reports and peer reviewed scientific publications are an asset.

S/he should be a team player, able to carry out activities in a multi-disciplinary team, in close cooperation with other team members and have good communication skills with experts and non-experts.

INDICATIVE CONTRACT'S DURATION:

36 months initial contract with possible renewals up to maximum 6 years.

PLACE OF WORK:

Ispra (IT)

RULES AND ELIGIBILITY:

To be eligible for the position, the candidate must be on a valid EPSO reserve list for Function Group IV contract staff.

You can be added to an EPSO reserve list if you complete successfully an EPSO selection procedure.

Candidates who are on a valid EPSO reserve list or have applied to an EPSO selection procedure can apply to this specific position through <http://recruitment.jrc.ec.europa.eu/?type=AX>.

How to apply to an EPSO selection procedure?

Apply either to the permanent EPSO call (CAST Permanent) https://epso.europa.eu/documents/2240_en or a specialised call for researchers <https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/vacancies/function-group-IV-researchers>

The CAST Permanent reserve list is used by a wide range of organisations (institutions, bodies, offices and agencies of the European Union), whereas the specialised reserve list for researchers (JRC Call COM/1/2015/GFIV – Research) is mainly used by the JRC.

RECRUITMENT POLICY:

The JRC

- Cultivates a workplace based on respect for other people and the environment.
- Embraces non-discriminatory practices and equality of opportunity. In case of equal merit, preference will be given to the gender in minority.