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Biodiversity – citizen engagement

<p>Position for:</p> <p>Trainee</p>	<p>As the science and knowledge service of the Commission, the mission of 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: http://www.jrc.ec.europa.eu</p> <p><u>Short description of activity:</u></p> <p>The mission of the Unit Knowledge for Policy: Methods and Concepts is to understand how to best inform public policy with scientific knowledge in order: to train JRC scientists and Commission policymakers in managing scientific knowledge; to provide advice on how to collaborate and share knowledge; to engage citizens; to support the management of the Commission's country and regional knowledge (in particular for the European Semester); and to build knowledge for policy capacity in the Member States and developing countries.</p> <p>The Unit includes an institutional project that focuses on science and technology studies and in particular on citizen engagement design and practices.</p> <p>The candidate will be involved in supporting thematic projects where social research methodologies are relevant. The work consists of two interlinked tasks: 1) contributing to an inventory on citizen engagement practices in the EU, 2) contribute to co-designing a large scale process of citizen engagement in biodiversity</p>
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	<p>issues.</p> <p>The traineeship will entail learning about online facilitation, qualitative analysis and literature reviews, as well as contribution to high quality scientific publications and technical reports. The candidate will have a traineeship within an interdisciplinary team with strong background on science and technology studies and post-normal science.</p> <p><u>Qualifications:</u></p> <p>Essential: The candidate should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - be a graduate in social sciences [sociology, political science, human geography or anthropology], media studies or design, with for example, an interest on communication strategies. - Have good command of spoken and written English (B2). <p><u>Advantage:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - An interdisciplinary background either academic or from previous professional experience; - Any experience with citizen engagement either on-line or face-to-face is an asset. <p><u>For general eligibility requirements, please read the rules governing the traineeship scheme of the JRC:</u></p> <p>https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/temporary-positions/jrc-trainees</p>
<p>Directorate Unit</p>	<p>Directorate H H.1 Knowledge for Policy: Methods and Concepts</p> <p>Further information: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/research-topic/science-and-technology-studies https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en</p>
<p>Duration</p>	<p>5 months</p>
<p>Preferred starting date</p>	<p>As soon as possible</p>

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