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 DIRECTORATE-GENERAL  
 JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE  
 Directorate B - Resources  
**Recruitment and Training**

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**Trainee on the necessary activities for a  
 start-up project  
 (European Commission Initiative on  
 Breast Cancer)**

**Position for:**

Trainee

**Short description of activity:**

The Institute for Health and Consumer Protection established in 2013 a Public Health Policy Support Unit to cover several horizontal aspects of public health, like nutrition, behavioural economics, surveillance (medical devices), disease data (cancer registries and rare disease registries) and healthcare quality.

For this last horizontal aspect, the European Commission Initiative on Breast Cancer was initiated with the aim to establish a set of European standards for breast cancer care.

The tasks assigned to the successful candidate would include:

1. Training and supporting the transfer of the knowledge base (bibliography) in EndNote.
2. Training and support to the improvement of the existing contacts and networks database in ACCESS (creating a user-friendly interface for automatic selection of subgroups, exclusion criteria, dissemination of information, emails, etc.)
3. Training and support the launch of a survey/call for databases on breast cancer care using the current existing JRC (EC) tools like MILC, EUSurvey, etc.)

The candidate will work in close collaboration with the JRC team dedicated to the project (6 people with different backgrounds) and will be offered the opportunity to learn how IT competences can be applied in the public health field and in particular in the context of a European project encompassing the collaboration with many research networks and stakeholders. The project is coordinated by JRC in a very open and international environment, with many contacts with most of the communities working in the field.

	<p><b><u>Qualifications:</u></b></p> <p>The candidate should have a background and interest in all IT activities which might support a start-up (creation and management of databases, planning and prioritisation, prototypes and examples for appropriate web-sites) and in statistics.</p> <p>An interest and background in medical science, quality assurance, public health or similar discipline is desirable.</p> <p>Competence in IT sciences (evaluation and development of web-sites) is required.</p> <p>Ability to work in a multi-national team, creativity, consensus-building skills, positive spirit and capability is important.</p> <p>A sufficient level of English is required for the post (level B2).</p> <p><b><u>For general eligibility requirements, please read the rules governing the traineeship scheme of the JRC:</u></b></p> <p><a href="https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/temporary-positions/jrc-trainees">https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/temporary-positions/jrc-trainees</a></p>
<b>Institute Unit</b>	<p>JRC.I - IHCP PHPS HARCAS</p> <p>Further information: <a href="http://ihcp.jrc.ec.europa.eu/home">http://ihcp.jrc.ec.europa.eu/home</a></p>
<b>Indicative duration</b>	5 months
<b>Preferred starting date</b>	As soon as possible
<b>JRC Site</b>	Ispra
<b>Country</b>	Italy
<b><u>JRC contact details</u></b>	<p><b>For any technical problems with your application, please contact:</b></p> <p><a href="mailto:JRC-ESRA@ec.europa.eu">JRC-ESRA@ec.europa.eu</a></p>