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Traineeship in Nutrition and Public health

**Position for:**

Trainee

**Short description of activity:**

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.

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In 2013, JRC institute for Health and Consumer Protection established a Public Health Policy Support Unit to address priority activities such as nutrition, behavioural economics, healthcare quality and health information on rare diseases and cancer.

The traineeship will entail the participation and execution of the projects of the team. Areas of interest for this position include (but are not limited to) Nutrition and Public Health.

Tasks include systematic searching and reviewing literature as well as data analysis. The trainee will also have an active role in the communication and education activities of the team. These include drafting of nutrition-related material and the organisation of workshops and other events.

**Qualifications:**

**Essential**

The successful candidate should:

- ✓ have a degree in Nutritional Sciences or related to Public Health and Life Sciences;
- ✓ have proved his/her ability to work independently in an efficient and organised manner;
- ✓ have demonstrated communication

	<p>skills both oral and written;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ be proficient in literature and database searching and the use of IT tools;</li> <li>✓ be proficient in English (at least level B2);</li> <li>✓ be very motivated and proactive as well as an effective team player with a positive spirit.</li> </ul> <p><u>Advantage</u> Familiarity with working in an international environment is an advantage.</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/Directorate Unit</b>	<p>Institute for Health and Consumer Protection I.2. Public Health Policy Support Nutrition and Health team</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> <a href="mailto:JRC-ESRA@ec.europa.eu">JRC-ESRA@ec.europa.eu</a></p>