



**2017-IPR-B-000-8329**

**Firms' financing**

<p><b>Position for:</b></p> <p>Trainee</p>	<p><b><u>Short description of activity:</u></b></p> <p>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.</p> <p>The JRC is located in 5 Member States (Belgium, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands and Spain). Further information is available at: <a href="http://www.jrc.ec.europa.eu">http://www.jrc.ec.europa.eu</a></p> <p>The trainee will have a traineeship in the Financial and Economic Analysis Unit where he/she will be integrated in a team dealing with EU policy support in the domains of economics, financial markets and taxation.</p> <p>The objective of the trainee is to provide support for and participate in research activities related to the Unit's work on the Capital Markets Union and firms' financing.</p> <p>The tasks would focus on collecting, cleaning, linking and analysing (micro) data related to firms' financial statements and/or bank balance sheets.</p> <p><b><u>Qualifications:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Essential:</u></b></p> <p>The ideal candidate must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ University Degree of at least 3 years in Finance/Economics;</li><li>✓ Background in econometrics, banking, applied economics or related fields proven by study transcript or dissertation;</li><li>✓ Knowledge of programming principles and experience in programming with</li></ul>
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	<p>one or more of the following: Stata, Eviews, R, Matlab;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Experience in working with micro data on individuals/households and/or companies;</li> <li>✓ Thorough knowledge of spoken and written English (minimum B2 level).</li> </ul> <p><u>Personal abilities</u> such as self-motivation, team spirit, ability to be proactive and work independently are required as well.</p> <p><b><u>Advantage:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Experience in working with ORBIS or similar datasets.</li> <li>✓ Experience in using STATA.</li> <li>✓ Working knowledge of additional European languages.</li> </ul> <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>
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<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>