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Building a scientific narrative towards a more resilient EU society

Position for:

Trainee

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Short description of activity:

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 and financial markets.

The objective of the trainee is to provide support for and participate in research activities related to the Unit's work on Resilience (the ability to cope with shocks).

The tasks would center on collecting, cleaning, and linking regional and city-level data, analysing its dynamic properties, and collecting and reviewing existing frameworks and measurement approaches for resilience.

Qualifications:

Essential:

- ✓ University Degree of at least 3 years in Finance/Economics;
- ✓ Background in econometrics, applied economics or related fields proven by study transcript or dissertation;
- ✓ Knowledge of programming principles and experience in programming with one or more of the following: Stata, Eviews, R, Matlab;
- ✓ Thorough knowledge of spoken and written English (minimum B2 level).

Personal abilities such as self-motivation, team spirit, ability to be proactive and work

	<p>independently are required as well.</p> <p><u>Advantage:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Experience in working with micro data on individuals/households and/or companies; ✓ Experience in using STATA. <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>
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Indicative duration	5 months
Preferred starting date	As soon as possible
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