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European urban ecosystem assessment

<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 Land Resources Unit of the Sustainable Resources Directorate is looking for a highly motivated trainee to support the NATCAPES Project.</p> <p>NATCAPES develops European wide assessments of ecosystem services at different spatial scales. A specific area of interest are urban ecosystems.</p> <p>In particular, the trainee under the supervision of the Traineeship adviser, will contribute to an assessment of urban ecosystem services by analysing the outcomes of different on-line surveys that aim to better understand how urban planning and policy uses ecosystem assessment data and information.</p> <p><b><u>Qualifications:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Essential:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Masters university degree</li><li>• Strong statistical skills as well as analytical skills to summarize the data of surveys in figures, tables and conclusions.</li><li>• Good communication and inter-personal skills and ability to work in a team are essential.</li><li>• Good knowledge of spoken and written English. (B2 Level or above)</li></ul> <p><b><u>Advantage:</u></b></p> <p>Masters university degree in physical or social geography or in environmental policy</p>
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	<p>Knowledge of ecosystem services and interest in the Green Infrastructure</p> <p>Experience of handling data that are collected through on-line surveys 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>	Sustainable Resources (D) Land Resources Unit (D.3)
<b>Indicative duration</b>	5 months
<b>Preferred starting date</b>	A.S.A.P.
<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>