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**Science and Technology Studies\_SCHOOL  
FOOD GUIDANCE**

<p><b>Position for:</b></p> <p>Trainee</p>	<p>As the science and knowledge service of the Commission, the mission of 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><b>Short description of activity:</b></p> <p>The mission of the Unit Foresight, Behavioral Insights and Design for Policy is to inform the conception, development and implementation of EU policies across the board with insight derived from the use of design thinking, horizon scanning, foresight and behavioural sciences. To use JRC's competences in these areas in order to better anticipate issues requiring EU policy attention and to identify issues requiring further analysis by the JRC. To provide through its EU policy lab, an experimental, collaborative and multidisciplinary space to explore, connect and find solutions for better regulation and better spending. The Unit includes a project on Science and Technology Studies that amongst others explores citizen engagement practices as quality assurance practices of science for policy.</p> <p>The Trainee will be part of the <b>Science and Technology Studies Project</b> in the Unit. The candidate will be involved in supporting the drafting guidance for school food. The collaboration includes looking into outcomes of engagement activities carried out by the JRC in different MS and existing communication campaigns. The traineeship will entail qualitative analysis and literature reviews, as well as contributing to devise a strategy of communication about food in schools, contributing also to high quality scientific publications and technical reports. The candidate will have a traineeship within an</p>
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	<p>interdisciplinary team with strong background on science and technology studies.</p> <p><b><u>Qualifications:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Essential:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ University degree in social sciences, media studies or design, with an interest on communication strategies.</li> <li>✓ be interested in engaging with critical thinking and citizen engagement in science and technology.</li> <li>✓ have good command of spoken and written English (B2 level)</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Advantage:</u></b> An interdisciplinary background either academic or from previous professional experience</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>Directorate I I.2 Foresight, Behavioural Insights and Design for Policy</p> <p>Further information: <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/research-topic/science-and-technology-studies">https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/research-topic/science-and-technology-studies</a> <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en">https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en</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:HR-AMC8-RECRUITMENT-TOOLS-SUPPORT@ec.europa.eu">HR-AMC8-RECRUITMENT-TOOLS-SUPPORT@ec.europa.eu</a></p>