



Public Goods through Private Eyes Project, Institute of Sociology, University of Warsaw, seeks to appoint 2 Project Assistants

The ERC funded “Public Goods through Private Eyes” Project at the Institute of Sociology, University of Warsaw, seeks to appoint two Project Assistants. The positions are part-time (30 hours a week) research positions within this ERC funded project, and are aimed at students enrolled on a full-time PhD course starting in Autumn 2010. The positions start from November 1st, 2010, and are advertised for the duration of 4 years. The project salary is up to 800 Euro a month (non-taxable).

Successful candidates will become members of the PGPE Project research team and will be expected to work on PhD theses that fall within the broadly defined area of PGPE Project research. Their responsibilities within the project will be to assist with data collection and coordination, organisation of seminars and workshops. They will also be expected to carry out research individually and jointly with other research team members. They will be based at the PGPE Project office in Warsaw, however, they will enjoy the opportunity of working in a international research team and collaborating with international experts.

The PGPE Project has been awarded funding of 1.7 million Euro as a result of the 2nd ERC Starting Grant competition. The Principal Investigator of the Project is dr Natalia Letki. More information on the project and its objectives can be found on the project website: www.is.uw.edu.pl/pgpe/

More information on the Institute of Sociology, University of Warsaw, can be found on the Institute website: www.is.uw.edu.pl

Requirements

Successful candidates should meet the following conditions:

- fluent knowledge of English;
- knowledge of quantitative methods and statistical packages;
- they must be enrolled as full-time PhD students, who commence their studies in Autumn 2010.

The candidates' background should preferably fall within the fields of political science, sociology, economics and psychology, however, applications from candidates representing other disciplines will be considered as well.

Application procedure

Applicants should submit following documents:

- CV, outlining academic career, main achievements, list of publications (if any), name and address of a person who can be contacted in case a reference letter is needed;
- description of research interests, including a short outline of a planned PhD project (maximum 2 pages).

All documents should be submitted **in English**.

Applications should be submitted by email to the pgpe@is.uw.edu.pl email address, with the 'PA application' in an email topic. Supporting documents should be submitted as .pdf files. The deadline for applications is **September 15th, 2010**.

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