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2019
(TO BE DISCUSSED)

RESEARCH FELLOW

ON THE EUROPEAN ENERGY POLICY

The Jacques Delors Institute (JDI) is the European think-tank founded by Jacques Delors in 1996 (under the name of Notre Europe) in Paris. Its mission is to develop analysis and policy proposals both for Europe's decision-makers and for a broader audience, in view of contributing to debates on European issues. It has offices in Paris and Berlin, and its team works in collaboration with the Jacques Delors Institut – Berlin. It is now founding an ad hoc organisation to work on the European energy policy, the Jacques Delors Energy Centre.

The Jacques Delors Institute is looking for a research fellow to contribute to the Institute's teamwork on the European Energy Policy and the ongoing implementation of the EU Energy Union. Our priority is to identify a person who has the capacity to be a high quality thinker, understanding the wider context of sectoral policies and going well beyond currently accepted ideas.

The specific characteristics of the contract to be proposed to the selected candidate are open for discussion (e.g. location of the fellow, precise duration and starting date on the job, specific EU energy policy research topics).

TASKS

- He/she could develop his/her own area(s) of energy policy expertise. Topics relevant for the Jacques Delors Institute's work include, but are not limited to, policies on: energy innovation, industrial policy for the energy transition, clean mobility, accompanying regions and workers most affected by the energy transition (e.g. coal regions/workers), fighting energy poverty, empowering and protecting energy consumers, empowering cities and local communities, trade and external policy for the energy transition.
- Contribute to the kick-off of the newly created Jacques Delors Energy Centre, within the Jacques Delors Institute.
- Find information and data, write policy-briefs and policy-papers on the European Energy Union issues
- Interacting permanently with JDI staff working on energy policy, especially: Sofia Fernandes on the social dimension of the energy transition, Emilie Magdalinski on clean mobility and on the Horizon 2020 ENABLE.EU project on energy choices, Thomas Pellerin-Carlin on energy innovation, and/or Jean-Arnold Vinois on cross-cutting issues related to the Energy Union.

IDEAL PROFILE

- Excellent academic and/or professional background in EU affairs and/or energy policy
- Professional experience preferably gained in academia, think-tanks, public administration, and/or consultancy
- Excellent analytical and writing skills
- Excellent command of English (English at native level is a plus)
- Good command of French
- Good public speaking ability would be a plus.
- Ability to work autonomously in a multinational and multidisciplinary team environment.

Location: the researcher would have an office in Paris (18 rue de Londres) made available for him/her but he/she might also work from other locations, especially Brussels and Berlin.

Remuneration: competitive and to be discussed

Contract: full-time or part-time

Duration: to be discussed

Starting date: as early as possible for the selected candidate

Interested candidates should send their questions/application to: pellerin-carlin@delorsinstitut.eu (as soon as possible and before Monday 31 December 2018) (Reference: application for « ENERGY Research Fellow »).

Please attach:

- CV (2p max) + Motivation letter (1p max)
- List of academic publications and letters of reference are welcomed.