

Research Fellow on European Energy Policy

The Jacques Delors Institute is a European think tank working on all key European policies. Founded by Jacques Delors in 1996 in Paris. The Jacques Delors Energy Center was established in 2018 and draws on the work undertaken by the Jacques Delors Institute since 2010.

The Jacques Delors Institute is currently looking for a Research Fellow to contribute to Energy Center's works on EU energy policy.

Ideal profile

- Strong academic background and/or professional experience in EU affairs, political science, social science and/or energy policy.
- Excellent communication and project management skills
- At least one to two years of professional experience in academics, think tanks, public administration and/or consulting
- Good understanding of energy transition challenges
- Excellent analytic and writing skills
- Excellent communication and project management skills
- Attention to detail
- Excellent knowledge of English (C1/C2). Excellent oral understanding of French (B2/C1). One or more European language(s) a plus
- Existing professional network in the energy transition is a plus
- Experience with social media (twitter, linkedin) is a plus
- Ability to work independently in an international and multidisciplinary team
- Good public speaking skills a plus
- Good understanding of EU law or EU policy-making is a plus

Core missions

- 1. Communication and diffusion of REFEREE visualization tool of the multiple benefits of energy efficiency (50%)**

The [REFEREE](#) project that aims at highlighting the many benefits that energy efficiency measures can bring (health, cost savings, job creation, the environment, ect), and to quantifying the benefits in a tool that allows policy makers and investors to better take them into account when financing and implementing energy efficiency measures, and thus encourage them to make such decisions.

The Jacques Delors Institute is in charge of the communication and dissemination, as well as the involvement of users through events and webinars in collaboration with other projects' partners.

Detailed tasks :

- Communication (social networks, website, newsletters) (33%)
- Links with experts, technical understanding and background work (33%)
- Identification of stakeholders, targeted dissemination, events (33%)

2. Policy analysis, advocacy, transferability and upscaling of the SUN4ALL programme to ensure vulnerable households benefit from renewable energy (30%)

EuroSolar for All ([Sun4All](#)) is implementing a financial support program for access to renewable energy for households in fuel poverty. The program offers vulnerable consumers the possibility to subscribe to a community solar energy production program. The general scheme is based on an existing initiative in New York called "Solar for All" and is adapted and implemented in 4 European cities and regions: Barcelona (ES), Communauté de Communes Cœur de Savoie (FR), Rome (IT) and Almada (PT).

The Jacques Delors Institute will work on understanding the political and regulatory context to feed in upscaling and policy advocacy work, formulate policy recommendations based on SUN4ALL experiences, and organize one expert seminar as well as the final conference on the fair and inclusive dimension of the EU Green Deal.

Detailed tasks :

- Policy writing, liaison with decision makers, advocacy (33%)
- Event organization (33%)
- Research, writing, review (20%)
- Coordination (10%)
- Communication around the project WP6 (5%)

3. Contribution to the overall activities of the Jacques Delors Energy Center (20%)

Aside from that, the Research Fellow will contribute to general activities of Jacques Delors Institute Energy Center on EU Green Deal, which include other research projects on energy citizenship and energy sufficiency, research activities (information and data collection, writing of policy papers and briefs) leading to publications, as well as diffusion activities (participation to bilateral meetings, events and webinars, interactions with journalists).

Other information

Where : Jacques Delors Institute is located 18 rue de Londres, Paris.

Contract: Fixed duration contract (CDD) 1 year and 9 months, from **January 2023 to September 2024**

Interested candidates should send questions and applications to Camille Defard (defard@delorsinstitute.eu) no later than **21 November 2022**. Interviews will be conducted on a rolling basis.

(Please indicate position reference : **EU Energy Policy Research Fellow**)

Applications must include:

- CV (2 pages max)
- Motivation letter (1 page max)
- Writing sample in English, ideally related to EU energy policy (at least 4 pages)
- Academic transcripts