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Research institute ECRi is looking for a

junior researcher (minimum 32 hours per week)

The Erasmus Competition & Regulation Institute (ECRi) is a research institute for competition policy and market regulation at Erasmus University Rotterdam. In addition to competition and regulatory research, ECRi also conducts behavioural economic research and research at the intersection of law & economics. ECRi conducts research for clients such as ministries, private companies, law firms and regulators. ECRi's mission is to contribute to solutions for social issues through applied and scientific research. In short, creating impact from research.

Organisation

ECRi is an impact centre operating under ERBS (Erasmus Research & Business Support). ERBS's mission is: *"Creating impactful business by using high scientific knowledge and transforming it into useful ideas, solutions and services".* All 7 impact centres of ERBS contribute to this. ERBS is an independent BV, part of the Erasmus Enterprise Holding BV. Within ECRi, independent research is carried out and scientifically sound methods are applied. Scientists from Erasmus University Rotterdam and/or external specialists can also be part of a research team. In that case, the EUR scientist often fulfils the role of advisor or 'quality controller' for the research we carry out.

Work

The work as a junior researcher varies from conducting literature research, qualitative and quantitative analyses, surveys and interviews, to writing reports. In addition, you will contribute to setting up and implementing behavioural economic experiments, building a network of clients and cooperation partners, and acquisition activities. Part of the acquisition activities will involve thinking about applications of behavioural economic concepts and bringing them to the market. In addition, you will be encouraged to publish in national and international scientific journals.

Profile

- Completed a master's degree in economics or econometrics with good grades. preferably with a specialisation in behavioural economics.
- Demonstrable interest in one or more of ECRi's areas of expertise.
- Experience performing econometric analyses using statistical software such as Stata, R, SPSS, eViews.
- Preferably have some experience conducting surveys using Qualtrics.
- Good analytical skills.
- Able to work well independently and within a team.
- Affinity with the public and private sectors.





- Entrepreneurial attitude.
- Open and flexible attitude with external contacts.
- Good communication and writing skills in Dutch and English.
- Able to write in a structured way.

What we offer

ECRi offers an instructive, practically relevant and challenging working environment in which the application of economic knowledge and the contribution to concrete policy issues is central. In other words, a challenging job with many opportunities to develop yourself further. ECRi is currently in the process of further expanding its field of behavioural economic expertise. You will have every opportunity to give shape and direction to this expansion.

This position concerns an appointment of at least 32 hours. Initially, the employment order is issued for one year. An extension or an appointment for an indefinite period is possible in case of good performance. The salary depends on your education and experience and takes place in accordance with the salary table of the CAO-NU, scale 10. Please note however, that this CAO explicitly does not apply. ERBS also offers an attractive package of employment conditions, including a generous leave scheme and attention to your own development.

Interested?

If you are interested in this position, please email your application in the form of a motivation letter, CV, grade list and master's thesis to the ERBS secretariat no later than November 1, 2021 via <u>kisevic@erbs.eur.nl.</u> We will contact you as soon as possible.

For more information about this vacancy, please contact Dr Emiel Maasland, managing director of ECRi. T: +31 10 4089987 E: <u>emaasland@ese.eur.nl | www.ecri.nl | www.erbs.nl</u>.