

Vacancy for a permanent scientist in the field of legal, political or criminological sciences

Start date: 1 October 2021

Job description:

A **full-time research logistician** position in the field of legal, political and criminological sciences connected to the development of the Cité Research Unit, dedicated to the themes of Justice, Governance and Society.

Activities:

- Support the research activity of the research unit members by helping researchers secure funding and set up projects.
- Ensure the day-to-day management of the Cité research unit to support the research unit Directorate and the Dean's team.
- Support the methodological aspects of research by research unit members: methodological point of reference.
- Implement the Cité research unit's strategic plan.
- Support external evaluations of research undertaken within the Cité research unit.
- Build scientific partnerships and cross-cutting work within the Cité research unit, as well as with other research fields at the University of Liège.
- Increase the consistency and visibility of the scientific activities of its almost 200 members from the three departments of the FDSPC.
- Pursue a personal research programme linking at least two of the three disciplines in the Faculty (Law, Political Science, Criminology)
- Lead a seminar on "Methodologies and epistemology of research in legal science" (20 h).

The post-holder will join the Cité research unit and the Faculty of Law, Political Science and Criminology. They will contribute to the scientific life of the Faculty and participate in the various activities and missions linked to their membership of the research unit, the Faculty and the University of Liège.

Qualifications required / profile:

- Hold a doctorate, preferably in human sciences;
- Demonstrate expertise in conducting high level research through high quality scientific publications;
- Demonstrate the ability to carry out, supervise and direct, in an autonomous manner, fundamental and applied research;
- Demonstrate an ability to support and supervise the construction of basic and applied research projects, including interdisciplinary projects;
- Possess strong communication skills, an ability to bring people together, a strategic mind and excellent writing skills in French and a good command of English.

Selection procedure:

Applications will be examined in accordance with the regulations of the University of Liège Board of Directors of 20 January 2021. Candidates who are shortlisted on the basis of the written applications will be interviewed by a Faculty committee responsible for providing an opinion to the Faculty council. The interview will focus on the candidate's curriculum vitae, on their proposed contribution to the development of the Cité research unit and on their prospects for personal development in the position to be filled.

Applications:

Applicants are requested to submit their applications electronically, to the following address: Postesscientifiques@uliege.be with a copy to doyen.droit@uliege.be no later than **15 March 2021**.

Eligibility conditions for applications:

Applicants must hold a doctorate.

How to apply - required documents:

- ✓ Applications should be accompanied by a complete curriculum vitae, including a list of publications;
- ✓ A report on past and current research activities (max 2 pages), as well as a research plan for the next five years, including how it connects to the research carried out within the Cité research unit and how it is planned to integrate within the University of Liège;
- ✓ A plan explaining the planned contribution to the development of the Cité research unit (max. 1 page).

Conditions of recruitment:

Positions are awarded either on a permanent basis from the outset or following a positive evaluation at the end of a term of office or a fixed-term contract of up to four years.

Our institutional policy is based on diversity and equal opportunities. We select candidates on the basis of their qualities regardless of age, sexual orientation, origin, beliefs, disability or nationality.

Conditions for permanent appointment:

In the event of a four-year appointment, an evaluation of the person concerned may be carried out after the second year. If the evaluation is negative, the person concerned shall complete their four-year term without being able to be extended; if the evaluation is positive, the person concerned shall be appointed definitively.

Information:

Further information can be obtained from Mr Gérôme Arnold - tel: +32 4 366 27 28 – Gerome.Arnold@uliege.be

Salary:

Salary scales and how they are applied are available from the human resources department of the University: Ms Ludivine Depas – tel.: +32 4 366 52 04 – Ludivine.Depas@uliege.be