

Company
Description

University of Deusto

Information

📅 Deadline: 2025-03-28
🏢 Category: Academia
📍 Province: Bizkaia

🌐 Country: Spain
🏙️ City: Bilbao

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Main functions, requisites & benefits

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The Faculty of Social and Human Sciences at the University of Deusto is seeking a motivated and highly qualified Post Doctoral Researcher to join the project Re-shaping Attitudes about Refugees and Gender Minorities in Spain and Portugal. This project explores how negative public opinion and social attitudes can be transformed using cutting-edge quantitative methods, particularly survey experiments. The Post Doctoral Researcher will assist the PI in devising and testing alternative human-rights-based narratives about refugees and gender minorities to counter hate speech and marginalising far-right narratives that target these vulnerable/disadvantaged groups. Link to Project's Description:

<https://elobservatoriosocial.fundacionlacaixa.org/documents/d/observator...> Key Responsibilities: To assist the Principal Investigator in preparing the survey questionnaire and the treatment arms for the survey experiment. To develop and oversee the design of the survey platform (e.g., Qualtrics). To collaborate closely with the Principal Investigator and project team to achieve research objectives. To manage data collection, clean, and analyze survey data, ensure compliance with ethical standards. To contribute to academic publications and project dissemination activities. To engage with stakeholders and contribute to workshops or conferences related to the project.

Requisites

Required Qualifications: A PhD in Political Science, Public Policy, Sociology or a closely related field (must be obtained by the application deadline; the CV should indicate the date of PhD award). Demonstrated expertise in working with quantitative research methods in the social sciences, evidenced by publications and participation in research projects. Demonstrated experience working with survey experiments and familiarity with tools such as Qualtrics, R, or Stata. Desired Qualifications: Research interest in public opinion and/or refugees, migration, gender minorities and/or group stigmatisation. Spanish and/or Portuguese language skills.

Benefits

A Gross Salary of 34,554€ for the 2024-2025 academic year. Contract duration: 16 months, with the possibility of a 2-month extension based on project needs. Location: University of Deusto, Bilbao, Spain.