

Research associate position available at the Department for Political Science, University of Freiburg, Germany

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| Project: | Towards an Increasing Regionalization of International Politics? Comparing the Development of External Competencies of Regional Organizations over Time |
| PI: | Prof. Dr. Diana Panke |
| Start: | 1 st of August 2016 or 1 st of September 2016 |
| Duration: | Two years (afterwards, additional two year contract at the Chair of Multi-Level Governance available) |
| Salary: | 0,5 TVL E13 (c.f. for details https://www.personalrat.uni-freiburg.de/themen/tarifvertrag/Entgelttabelle2016) |

Starting at August 1st 2016 or September 1st 2016 one position as a research associate is available in the research project „Towards an Increasing Regionalization of International Politics? Comparing the Development of External Competencies of Regional Organizations over Time“. The project is funded by the Fritz-Thyssenstiftung and the position is a 0.50 TVL E13 position for the two-year duration of the project (afterwards, additional two year contract at the Chair of Multi-Level Governance available). More details are available at: <https://portal.uni-freiburg.de/politik/professuren/governance/forschung>

Your responsibilities include:

- Support in data collection on external competencies of regional organizations, database management and finalization of the codebook
- Coordination of and cooperation with student research assistants
- Conducting the quantitative analysis
- Co-authorship of project publications

Required qualifications:

- Completed MA degree in political science (or equivalent) with a solid training in research design and methods of data gathering
- Very good skills in quantitative methods of data and text analysis
- Solid knowledge of theory and practice of regional integration, comparative regionalism or international relations
- Fluency in English, additional language skills are of advantage
- Ability to work in a team and an interest in the research project
- Willingness to write a PhD thesis during the 2x2 year employment

Please email your application with letter of motivation, CV, and list of degrees/grades obtained, copies of your degrees as well as a one page outline of your planned PhD project by May 30th 2016 to sekretariat.governance@politik.uni-freiburg.de (please make sure that your pdf file does not exceed 5MB).

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