

| Traineeship Description | |
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| Job Area | Research – Working Life Unit: Analysis of data from the European Working Conditions Survey 2024 for different research projects |
| Job purpose | The trainee will work on the dataset of the European Working Conditions Survey (EWCS) 2024. This will involve statistical analysis for several research projects that foresee using this dataset, interpretation of results and can include drafting of the findings for inclusion in Eurofound reports |
| Main responsibilities | <p>Typical responsibilities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assist in the statistical analysis of EWCS 2024 data • Assist in the review of literature • Assist in the interpretation of statistical findings and the drafting of reports • Assist in the generation of graphs • Any other duty relevant to the role. |
| Desired Academic background | University degree in relevant academic fields of quantitative social science, data science or statistics. |
| Desired Skills | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good editing and drafting skills in English; • Good language ability; fluent in English and another EU language; • Interest in working in policy-oriented research in the area of working life. <p>Quantitative:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent numerical skills and ability to interpret statistical information; • Experience in working with statistical software (at least some experience with R would be preferable); • Interest in comparative social surveys, survey methodology and survey data analysis; • Good IT skills – Word, Excel, PowerPoint; • Attention to detail. <p>Qualitative:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience in conducting literature reviews and other forms of desk research (e.g. internet searches, screening of policy documents); • Some familiarity with institutions that are Eurofound’s key stakeholders (i.e. Trade unions, employer’s organisations, governments, European level institutions). |
| Expected learning outcomes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To familiarise with the work of the EU Institutions and EU Agencies; • To deepen understanding of EU policy making in the employment and labour market area, notably as regards industrial relations and working conditions; • To develop and enhance writing, editing and analytical skills; • To develop research knowledge and capacities; • To gather experience in working in a multi-cultural and multi-disciplinary team. |