Recruiting Department/Research Unit: Department of Humanities

Title: Tourism as a driving force of development in inland areas? A case study: the Casentino and the Casentino Forests National Park in Tuscany

Offer description:

The aim of the research activities is to study and verify the reasons for the failure of tourism policies in a highly suitable territory characterized by the presence of historic villages, cultural heritage and valuable environmental assets, located between two of the Italian regions with a strong tourist tradition. The activities will have to verify if the proximity to zones characterized from tourist flows of mass is a limiting factor rather than positive. Secondly, the activities will have to try to understand whether local policies based on industrialization, urbanization of the valley floor and the crystallization of the natural heritage through the National Park have played a negative role, in the sense that they helped disperse the identity of the places.

Researcher career profile:

- *R2 Recognised Researcher (PhD holders or equivalent who are not yet fully independent)*

For further details [https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/europe/career-development/training-researchers/research-profiles-descriptors](https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/europe/career-development/training-researchers/research-profiles-descriptors)

Location: Macerata, Italy

Type of contract:

- *temporary*

Job status

- *full time*

Expected start date and duration of the contract: 12 (twelve) months. The exact start date will be provided at the end of the selection process.

Annual gross salary: € 19,367,00

Selection criteria: PhD in Contemporary History

Preferential selection criteria:

1. Proven research experience in the thematic area covered by the call
2. Scientific publications related to the research program

Application deadline: 05/11/2023, 1 p.m.
Full details are available at: https://www.unimc.it/it/ateneo/bandi-e-concorsi/finaziamenti-ricerca/bandi-assegni-ricerca

Enquiries can be made to Ufficio Ricerca Scientifica e Dottorato – ufficio.ricerca@unimc.it

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• The University of Macerata pursues an equal opportunities and diversity policy as well. Among facilities, a kindergarten is available for university’s employees. Specific facilities and services are also dedicated to employees with disabilities (transportation services, specific technologies for studying).