

TEMPLATE FOR ADVERTISING RESEARCH POSTS

based on indications given by par. 4.4.1 of the
"Report of the Working Group of the Steering Group of Human Resources Management under the
European Research Area on Open, Transparent and Merit-based Recruitment of Researchers"

Recruiting Department/Research Unit: Department of Law

Title: The "acorn chain": food safety and consumer information

Offer description:

Oak acorns are a forgotten food resource from which various foods can be obtained. Traditionally, acorns were used for both animal and human nutrition. Using this product for food can recreate a local supply chain with high-added value in the crater area. The research aims to analyze the regional, national, and European legal and regulatory framework applicable to the acorn supply chain, regarding the marketing of foodstuffs derived from acorns, and therefore the legal profiles of food safety and consumer information, with special attention to nutritional and health properties.

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>

Location: Macerata, Italy

Type of contract:

- *temporary*

Job status

- *full time*

Expected start date and duration of the contract: 6 (six) months. The exact start date will be provided after the selection process.

Annual gross salary: € 9.600,00

Selection criteria: PhD in Law

Preferential selection criteria:

- have experience of national and international mobility for the performance of research activities;
- have an excellent knowledge of English;
- any further research experience such as scholarships or previous contracts if relevant to the research project;
- participation in research groups in projects of national/international relevance;
- postgraduate training activities in subjects relevant to agricultural and food law;
- scientific publications relevant to the research program.

Application deadline: 08/05/2025 1 p.m.

Full details are available at: <https://www.unimc.it/it/ateneo/bandi-e-concorsi/finanziamenti-ricerca/bandi-assegni-ricerca>

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

DISCLAIMERS

- The University of Macerata has adopted an OTM-R (Open, Transparent and merit-based Recruitment) policy within the framework of its Human Resources Strategy for Researchers; see <https://www.unimc.it/it/ricerca/hrs4r/la-policy-otm-r-open-transparent-and-merit-based-recruitment-of-researchers>
- 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).