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## FG IV - SCIENTIFIC PROJECT OFFICER – EXPERT FOR WATER-REUSE GUIDANCE DEVELOPMENT

As the science and knowledge service of the Commission, the mission of DG Joint Research Centre is to support EU policies with independent evidence throughout the whole policy cycle.

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The Water and Marine Resources Unit at the Sustainable Resources directorate provides scientific and technical support to Commission services. In particular, its mission is to carry out scientific assessments addressing societal and economic challenges deriving from the evolving vulnerability of the European and global water environment. It contributes innovative solutions to sustainably manage water resources in the face of increasing trends of global population; urbanisation, pollution, over-exploitation, land use and climate change and ensures that they are adequately linked to policy development and implementation.

In this context, the WMR Unit has a long-standing record of providing scientific advice to the development, implementation and monitoring of water reuse policies in the European Commission and it provided key input in the design and drafting of the Water Reuse Regulation.

In order to support the necessary guidance needed to ensure the implementation of the related risk management framework set out by the Water Reuse Regulation, we are looking for a skilled and open-minded scientist interested in the design and drafting of such guidance in close collaboration with an international expert pool.

#### **Oualifications:**

The ideal candidate has a master degree in water-related sciences (civil engineering, biotechnology, analytical chemistry or microbiology) with a proven record of engaging with interdisciplinary and multi-national networks.

Thorough knowledge in project management in related fields are necessary. A solid basis in standard word processing and spreadsheet software is required. Previous experience in the industrial, private sector is an advantage as is a PhD in a field relevant to this vacancy..

Good knowledge of spoken and written English (B2) is required. Skills in communication, drafting and non-verbal communication are an asset

#### Directorate Unit

Sustainable Resources Water and Marine Resources

#### **Position for:**

# FGIV – Project Officer – Scientific Research

	Further information: <a href="https://water.jrc.ec.europa.eu/">https://water.jrc.ec.europa.eu/</a>
Indicative duration	24 months initial contract with possible renewals up to maximum 6 years
JRC Site	Ispra
Country	Italy
	The candidate must be on a valid EPSO reserve list for Function Group IV contract staff.
	If you are not in any valid EPSO reserve list for Function Group IV contract staff, you can still apply by following these steps.
Rules and eligibility	You express your interest by applying to the CAST Permanent or to the permanent JRC Call for researchers.
	1. CAST Permanent: open-ended selection procedure to create a pool of candidates from which the institutions, bodies, offices and agencies of the European Union (EU) can recruit contract agents. <a href="https://epso.europa.eu/documents/2240_en">https://epso.europa.eu/documents/2240_en</a>
	2. JRC Call COM/1/2015/GFIV — Research: open-ended selection procedure to create a pool of candidates from which mainly the JRC can recruit contract agents FGIV as researchers. Details available at the link below: <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/vacancies/function-group-IV-researchers">https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/vacancies/function-group-IV-researchers</a>
	Only then you can apply for this specific position, through <a href="http://recruitment.jrc.ec.europa.eu/?type=AX">http://recruitment.jrc.ec.europa.eu/?type=AX</a>
	Auxiliary contract staff: <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/temporary-positions/contract-staff-members">https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/temporary-positions/contract-staff-members</a>
	Article 3b of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union applies: the actual period of employment within the Commission under this type of contract, including any period under renewal, shall not exceed 6 years.
	Please note that in case a high number of applications is received only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.