



VACANCY NOTICE

SECONDED NATIONAL EXPERT TO THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Post identification: (DG-DIR-UNIT)	ESTAT-D-1
Head of Unit: Email address: Telephone: Number of available posts: Suggested taking up duty: Suggested initial duration: Place of secondment:	Rasa JURKONIENE Rasa.JURKONIENE@ec.europa.eu +352 4301 36632 1 2 nd or 3 rd quarter 2021 ¹ 2 year(s) ¹ <input type="checkbox"/> Brussels <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Luxembourg <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> With allowances <input type="checkbox"/> Cost-free
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1. Nature of the tasks

Unit D-1, Excessive deficit procedure, methodology and GFS, part of Directorate D, Government Finance Statistics (GFS), is looking for an statistical officer. The GFS (government finance statistics) team in Unit D-1 is responsible for the reception, processing, validation and publication of national accounts tables related to the general government sector. The team is also treating, in co-operation with colleagues working on Excessive Deficit Procedure (EDP) data, methodological issues related to GFS generally and to COFOG specifically. The team is also responsible for certain technical aspects related to the EDP verification. The Unit cooperates closely with colleagues from the Directorate as well as with Member State experts and various EU and international institutions.

We propose a job as statistical officer, to take responsibility for the processing and dissemination of a subset of national accounts tables related to GFS, with outputs of high visibility and importance.

The main tasks include the processing of quarterly and annual GFS tables for a set of countries while monitoring the consistent application of ESA 2010, dissemination tasks, the provision of advice on specific methodological issues having an impact on GFS (in particular when there is no impact on deficit and debt) and the monitoring of developments relating to GFS in the countries under responsibility. Contributions to papers and presentations in the GFS and COFOG TF are also expected. These can be in the areas of source data/ compilation issues or issues where methodological interpretation is not fully harmonised

2. Main qualifications

¹ These mentions are given on an indicative basis only (Art.4 of the SNE Decision).

a) Eligibility criteria

The following eligibility criteria must be fulfilled by the candidate in order to be seconded to the Commission. Consequently, the candidate who does not fulfil all of these criteria will be automatically eliminated from the selection process.

- **Professional experience:** at least three years of professional experience in administrative, legal, scientific, technical, advisory or supervisory functions which are equivalent to those of function group AD;
- **Seniority:** candidates must have at least one year seniority with their employer, that means having worked for an eligible employer as described in Art. 1 of the SNE decision on a permanent or contract basis for at least one year before the secondment;
- **Linguistic skills:** thorough knowledge of one of the EU languages and a satisfactory knowledge of another EU language to the extent necessary for the performance of the duties. SNE from a third country must produce evidence of a thorough knowledge of one EU language necessary for the performance of his duties.

b) Selection criteria

Diploma

- university degree or
- professional training or professional experience of an equivalent level

in the field(s) : statistics/mathematics/economics or similar fields]

Professional experience

He/she should have an excellent knowledge of national accounts, in particular government finance statistics and practical knowledge of the European System of Accounts (ESA 2010) and of the relevant manuals in the area. In addition, he/she should be familiar with the reporting to Eurostat in the context of the ESA 2010 transmission programme related to GFS and have some familiarity with the reporting in the context of the Excessive Deficit Procedure.

The following criteria will be considered in the selection procedure: knowledge of national accounts methodology with a focus on the specificities of GFS, experience in compilation of GFS and/ or EDP data, knowledge of Eurostat reporting requirements, experience in translating from key source data to national accounts. He/she should also be able to assess cases concerning the main methodological issues impacting government finance statistics and to be able to contribute on developing methodological harmonisation in the area of GFS.

The successful candidate should be a strong team player but also be able to work independently, with a high level of responsibility and motivation.]

Language(s) necessary for the performance of duties

The main working language is English. Further language skills are assets.

3. Submission of applications and selection procedure

Candidates should send their application according to the **Europass CV format** (<http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/documents/curriculum-vitae>) in English, French or German **only to the Permanent Representation / Diplomatic Mission to the EU of their country**, which will forward it to the competent services of the Commission within the deadline fixed by the latter. The CV must mention the date of birth and the nationality of the candidate. **Not respecting this procedure or deadlines will automatically invalidate the application.**

Candidates are asked not to add any other documents (such as copy of passport, copy of degrees or certificate of professional experience, etc.). If necessary, these will be requested at a later stage. Candidates will be informed of the follow-up of their application by the unit concerned.

4. Conditions of the secondment

The secondment will be governed by the **Commission Decision C(2008)6866 of 12/11/2008** laying down rules on the secondment to the Commission of national experts and national experts in professional training (SNE Decision).

The SNE will remain employed and remunerated by his/her employer during the secondment. He/she will equally remain covered by the national social security system.

Unless for cost-free SNE, allowances may be granted by the Commission to SNE fulfilling the conditions provided for in Art. 17 of the SNE decision.

During the secondment, SNE are subject to confidentiality, loyalty and absence of conflict of interest obligations, as provided for in Art. 6 and 7 of the SNE Decision.

If any document is inexact, incomplete or missing, the application may be cancelled.

Staff posted in a **European Union Delegation** are required to have a security clearance (up to SECRET UE/EU SECRET level according to Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/444 of 13 March 2015, OJ L 72, 17.03.2015, p. 53).

The selected candidate has the obligation to launch the vetting procedure before getting the secondment confirmation.

5. Processing of personal data

The selection, secondment and termination of the secondment of a national expert requires the Commission (the competent services of DG HR, DG BUDG, PMO and the DG concerned) to process personal data concerning the person to be seconded, under the responsibility of the Head of Unit of DG HR.DDG.B4. The data processing is subject to the SNE Decision as well as the Regulation (EU) 2018/1725.

Data is kept by the competent services for 10 years after the secondment (2 years for not selected or not seconded experts).

You have specific rights as a 'data subject' under Chapter III (Articles 14-25) of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725, in particular the right to access, rectify or erase your personal data and the right to restrict the processing of your personal data. Where applicable, you also have the right to object to the processing or the right to data portability.

You can exercise your rights by contacting the Data Controller, or in case of conflict the Data Protection Officer. If necessary, you can also address the European Data Protection Supervisor. Their contact information is given below.

Contact information

- The Data Controller

If you would like to exercise your rights under Regulation (EU) 2018/1725, or if you have comments, questions or concerns, or if you would like to submit a complaint regarding the collection and use of your personal data, please feel free to contact the Data Controller, HR.DDG.B.4, HR-MAIL-B4@ec.europa.eu.

- The Data Protection Officer (DPO) of the Commission

You may contact the Data Protection Officer (DATA-PROTECTION-OFFICER@ec.europa.eu) with regard to issues related to the processing of your personal data under Regulation (EU) 2018/1725.

- The European Data Protection Supervisor (EDPS)

You have the right to have recourse (i.e. you can lodge a complaint) to the European Data Protection Supervisor (edps@edps.europa.eu) if you consider that your rights under Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 have been infringed as a result of the processing of your personal data by the Data Controller.

To the attention of candidates from third countries: your personal data can be used for necessary checks.

