



VACANCY POST-DOCTORAL FELLOW: GLOBAL GOVERNANCE AND DEMOCRATIC GOVERNMENT

The **Leuven Centre for Global Governance Studies**, an interdisciplinary research centre of excellence at the University of Leuven (KU Leuven), initiates and encourages research initiatives in relation to globalization, governance processes and multilateralism (more info at www.globalgovernancestudies.eu). The Centre is looking for an outstanding post-doctoral researcher to participate in a unique large scale research project entitled '**Global Governance and Democratic Government**' (for more info [click here](#))

Assignment/Tasks

- You are involved in a large scale research project and are part of an international research team. In that context, you draft reports, contribute papers to international conferences and journals on topics related to the democratization of global governance.
- As a senior member of the research team, you assist in the supervision of the research of a team of junior researchers.
- You are employed in a dynamic and growing research Centre and contribute to its current and future research activities, notably by developing future research projects and by actively searching for funding.
- You follow the relevant literature on global governance and democracy and develop your own research agenda.

Profile

- You have a PhD in philosophy, political science, economics or law from a leading university **other than KU Leuven**, an international profile and a proven track record of high-level international publications. You have not had post-doctoral status for more than three years.
- You have a proven track record of project development and management. Relevant working experience will be considered an asset.
- You have a keen interest in topics related to the democratization of global governance.
- You are open to interdisciplinary research; you have excellent analytical skills as demonstrated by writing samples, and are able to summarize and present a large amount of information in an intelligent way.
- You are able to organize your own research activities while coaching a team of other researchers; you are able to handle various tasks at the same time while keeping strict deadlines.
- You have an excellent command of English, and master at least two other European languages
- You are able to efficiently use the most important Microsoft Office programs (Word, Excel, PowerPoint).

We offer

- An appointment for 1 year as a post-doctoral fellow, renewable once after evaluation.
- A dynamic interdisciplinary research environment.
- Start date: June 2013

How to apply?

To apply: send a cover letter mentioning the name of two references, a CV, a relevant writing sample and a 2-3 pages outline of your current and future research projects to: axel.marx@ggs.kuleuven.be
Deadline for applications: 20 February 2013

More Information

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