TIES RTN – 14 position openings for doctoral students and post-docs in the field of integration of the second generation in Europe

This Research Training Network seeks to develop a framework of European-level training in one of the key areas of migration and ethnic studies. The RTN is linked to the activities of the TIES survey, a European comparative survey which investigates the trajectories of the descendants of immigrants from Turkey, Morocco and Ex-Yugoslavia in 15 cities in eight European countries (http://www.imiscoe.org/ties). Its ambition is to deepen the understanding of integration processes by testing theoretical hypotheses with empirical findings.

12 early stage researchers (ESR/ doctoral students) and 2 experienced researchers (ER/ post-doc) positions are now open to application within the twelve partner institutes of the network.

Duration

36 months for ESRs - 24 months for ERs

Starting date

Between January and April 2007

Salary

Remuneration corresponds to the European Marie Curie grant scheme

Description of work

ESRs and ERs will play a critical role in the analysis of the data collected by the TIES survey, with both a quantitative and qualitative perspective. Activities proposed are both first-level analysis of the TIES survey dataset, as well as in-depth interviews and analysis of a selection of the TIES survey respondents.

Each ESR and ER will develop his/her own comparative research project, within the framework of the themes proposed by each of the network partners.

In addition, ESRs will be trained in quantitative and qualitative analyses both by their host institute and through network activities. The guiding principle will be on-the-job training under supervision of a mentor, and participation in a joint training programme.

For more details about this network, and the Phd topics sought for by each of the participating institutes, consult the annex attached to this mail or consult

http://www.ined.fr/en/institut/recruitment/jobs ined/

Prerequisites ESRs

- Diploma giving access to doctoral studies (masters); no doctorate.
- Maximum 4 years working experience after the diploma/master thesis.
- Transnational mobility according to the Marie Curie principles.
- See annexes for more details.

Prerequesites ERs:

- Doctorate, PhD or equivalent diploma.
- Between 4 and 10 years research experience after the diploma/master degree.
- Transnational mobility according to the Marie Curie principles.
- See annexes for more details.

Each application has to be submitted to a specific TIES partner. A Candidate may apply at the most to 3 network partners.

Deadline for application is set to 1st December for Belgium and 15th December for the other institutes.

Note that each application is to be sent to a specific partner within the network

Participating institutes: INED (Paris, France); IMES (Amsterdam, Netherlands); NIDI (The Hague, Netherlands); OEAW (Vienna, Austria); KUL (Leuven, Belgium); IMIS (Osnabrueck, Germany); IEM (Madrid, Spain); CEIFO (Stockholm, Sweden); FSM (Neuchatel, Switzerland); SCMR (Brighton, UK); IISS (Tallinn, Estonia); KHU (Istanbul, Turkey).



