

HEAD OF RESEARCH AT EUROPEUM INSTITUTE FOR EUROPEAN POLICY

EUROPEUM Institute for European Policy is an independent, non-profit and non-partisan think-tank based in the Czech Republic and Brussels. EUROPEUM is focused on European policy structured into our three work programmes; Green Europe, Global Europe, and Just Europe. Our institute conducts original research, organises events for the public and experts, carries out advocacy activities and implements international projects.

We are currently looking for a Head of Research. The job entails the direction and coordination of research activities across our three programmes, with the aim of ensuring that we fulfill our strategic priorities. As an organization, we aim to provide evidence-based and actionable policy recommendations to policymakers, engage citizens in the democratic life of the Union, and advocate for progressive pro-European ambitions and policymaking.

Job Description:

- **Ensure the delivery and development of our strategic vision, priorities, and mission in research.** You are expected to be versatile and capable of traversing our diverse research and consolidating it into a holistic vision around green ambitions, social justice and equality, and the EU's role as a geopolitical actor.
- **Public and private engagement** through public events, expert roundtables, and similar events. You are an experienced speaker capable of advocating and informing complex materials in an accessible manner while also strengthening the image and expertise of the institution.
- **Advocacy.** Our organization is reliant on its partnerships and its added value through expertise. As Head of Research, you will be expected to contribute to the facilitation and development of partnerships with various stakeholders across the EU for the purpose of international cooperation in projects, consortiums, and networks. You should also be familiar with the think-tank and policy environment in Czechia/CEE region and on the EU level, leverage your previous experience and networks and be able to support the impact of our research on policymaking.

What we expect:

- Completed Master's Programme in studies relevant to EU affairs and policies, PhD is an advantage.
- Excellent command of English (written and spoken) – Czech/Slovak is an advantage.
- Established researcher within her/his own area of expertise, experience with the promotion of evidence-based research in policymaking.
- Minimum 3 years of experience in a leading position and/or coordination of an international team.
- General understanding of the functioning of EU institutions and decision-making processes.
- Keen interest in the nexus of climate change, social justice, geopolitics, and the EU from a policy perspective.
- Prior experience with fundraising, grant writing, and advocacy.
- Motivation and ability to work in a dynamic and international organization.

What we offer:

- Work in a leading Czech think-tank respected throughout Europe.
- Meaningful job advocating for ambitious and evidence-based European policymaking.
- Possibility of participating in the leadership of an established and growing institution.
- Professional development and career growth in a diverse international team of experienced researchers.
- Offices in the heart of Prague, participation in activities throughout Europe.
- Flexible working conditions, possibility to partially work from home based on your needs.
- Competitive remuneration and other benefits depending on prior experience.

If interested, please send your **CV and short motivation letter** to
jobs@europeum.org.

Please write **"Head of Research EUROPEUM"** as the subject of your email.

Interviews will be taking place on rolling basis.