

OPEN CALL FOR JOURNALISTS FROM SERBIA AND BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA

EUROPEUM Institute for European Policy is a non-profit, non-partisan, and independent think-tank focusing on European integration and cohesion in Prague. **EUROPEUM** contributes to democracy, security, stability, freedom, and solidarity across Europe as well as to active engagement of the Czech Republic in the European Union. **EUROPEUM** undertakes original research, organizes public events and educational activities, and formulates new ideas and recommendations to improve European and Czech policy making.

EUROPEUM is currently looking for journalists, editors and media experts to participate in a project titled **“Preparing news media in Bosnia and Herzegovina and Serbia for the digital age”** supported by the Transition Promotion Programme of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic.

As a part of a project, selected participants will travel to Brussels and Prague to meet media experts and media professionals involved in digital news content production, distribution and regulation.

Preliminary dates for the study visit are **13-15 May 2024** for Brussels and **24-26 June 2024** for Prague.

The goal of the project is to build capacities amongst journalists and civil society organizations and increase their preparedness for the digital transition of news media in both countries. Drawing on the Czech and EU experiences, the aim is to focus on how to create digital news content and how to advocate for a regulation of digital media in order to enable a free and pluralistic news media sector, with a broader access to reliable information.

Organizers of the project will cover expenses of travel, accommodation, refreshments and board during the study visits, as well as the travel insurance of the successful applicants.

What we offer:

Successful candidates will:

- visit experts in EU and Czech governmental bodies
- visit fellow journalists and editors in the digital media outlets in Brussels and Prague
- familiarize themselves with the current trends of digital news content creation
- familiarize themselves with the current trends of digital news media regulation

What we expect:

Applicants should:

- be familiar with digital news media content creation in Serbia and/or Bosnia and Herzegovina
- be familiar with digital news media regulation in Serbia and/or Bosnia and Herzegovina
- have been involved in digital news media production and/or distribution
- have been involved in topics revolving around digital news media regulation

If you are interested in applying, please send your CV and short cover letter to oroginer@europeum.org **by 14 March 2024.**



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