

Centre d'Economie et de Sociologie appliquées à l'Agriculture et aux Espaces Ruraux

Post-Doctoral Research Fellow in Regional Economics/Evaluation of public policies

Econometric Evaluation of the Cohesion Policy on Economic Development and inequalities

Role description

We wish to recruit a Post-Doctoral Research Fellow for research in the area of Regional Economics to work on the economic impact of the cohesion policy, with a focus on the effect in term of innovation. The successful candidate have to use treatment effect framework to assess the effect of the cohesion on innovation, economic development, and territorial inequalities of European regions. The first task is to construct a model to present the channel trough the cohesion policy influence economic development, innovation and territorial inequalities.

The second task is to make econometric analysis to identify the causal effect of the cohesion policy by using treatment effect framework.

The successful candidate will have:

- a Ph.D. in economics (completed or close to completion),
- excellent quantitative skills,
- expertise in spatial data analysis using econometrics,
- strong skills in writing and communication,

Application Procedure

Appointments will be on a one year fixed term contract basis and salary will be around €40,000. To apply for this position please send CV and some pieces of research (paper, PhD thesis chapter) to Lionel Védrine (lionel.vedrine@inra.fr). All applications will be acknowledged.

The research team

The CESAER is a joint multidisciplinary research unit, which combines AgroSup Dijon and INRA. The unit is made up of about forty scientists, researchers, teacher-researchers, and engineers. It welcomes about twenty doctoral students and post-doctoral students. All of them benefit from the technical, documentary and administrative support of assistant engineers and technicians. Their research and expertise activities for public policy and rural stakeholders are centered on rural and peri-urban spaces and on the transformations of agriculture.