

Job position: Postdoctoral Researcher

Unit: Esade Center for Social Impact

Type: Full-time contract

Dates: 2 years, starting in September 2023

Application deadline: May 31, 2023

About the Esade Center for Social Impact (ECSI)

A research center at Esade Business School, ECSI aims to develop research with rigor, reach and relevance on and for social impact. Dr. Lisa Hehenberger founded the center to advance organizations' ability to better understand and find solutions to societal challenges, and thus contribute to creating a more sustainable and equitable world. Our key role is to generate knowledge that improves the strategies and activities of organizations in three areas: Impact Investing, Impact Entrepreneurship, and Impact Measurement and Management.

The Postdoc Position

ECSI seeks a Postdoctoral Researcher to work on various projects across its three research areas, working directly with ECSI's Director, Dr. Lisa Hehenberger, and other faculty members. The position will be focused on producing rigorous academic research that both informs and builds upon practitioner-oriented research, working collaboratively with applied researchers.

We seek a researcher from a leading academic institution with a solid research training, including qualitative and quantitative methodological approaches, and a sound theoretical preparation in organizational theory and strategic management. A promising pipeline of academic papers is a requirement, and published papers and/or papers under review in top journals are an asset.

The candidate should also be able to demonstrate a keen interest in generating an impact on practice and/or policy through research, via teaching and/or a practical experience in the field, etc.

We are looking for a candidate with excellent oral and written communication skills in English. Fluency in Spanish is a plus.

The position is based in Esade (Sant Cugat Campus, Barcelona).

The position has an annual salary between €30,000-€34,000, depending on experience, and comes with a modest travel budget for conference attendance. Additional benefits include subsidized lunch, free transportation between Esade's Sant Cugat and Barcelona campuses, and a generous holiday entitlement.

Interested candidates should email a CV, cover letter, and work sample to Suzanne Jenkins, ECSI Manager (suzanne.jenkins [at] esade.edu) stating "ECSI postdoc" in the subject.