



POST-DOCTORAL POSITION

Graduate School and Research of Economics and Management

EUR ELMI – 2024/2025

1. POSITION SUMMARY

The Graduate School and Research of Economics and Management ([EUR ELMI](#)), with the support of the [IDEX UCAJedi](#), is seeking applicants for an 18-month post-doctoral position. The successful candidate must show willingness to engage into team research and a strong research agenda in line with the Graduate School research areas (<https://elmi.univ-cotedazur.eu/research/scientific-themes>), or with the Junior Professorship in "Economics of AI and Innovation", supported by EUR ELMI, GREDEG (research institute recognized by Université Côte d'Azur and CNRS) and SKEMA Business School.

The candidate is expected to teach 20 hours related to his/her fields of expertise, in the EUR ELMI Master or PhD programs' (teaching in English is possible). Teaching hours will be paid in addition to the postdoctoral fellowship at the rate of 54€ per hour.

2. ABOUT THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

The Graduate School and Research of Economics and Management (EUR ELMI) brings together faculty members and researchers of GREDEG, and SKEMA Business School, in the fields of economics, management sciences and sociology, around four research areas:

- Innovation and digital transformation
- Green innovation and ecological transition
- Dynamics of organizations and territories
- Financial innovations and innovation financing system

The Graduate School and Research of Economics and Management also holds, together with GREDEG and SKEMA Business School, the Junior Professorship in Economics of AI and Innovation. The aim of this professorship is to better understand the mechanisms underlying the emergence and structuring of the AI industry, and to study the profound changes in the organization of firms, research actors, and the whole economy that it generates.

The Graduate School and Research of Economics and Management proposes students a complete training in major contemporary economic and managerial challenges. Jobs opportunities include academic research, finance, human resources, innovative industries, strategy, management, tourism, digital technology, and economic expertise.

3. CALL DETAIL

The position will start between 1st September 2024 and 31st December 2024 at the latest. ELMI will provide funding of € 3,490 gross per month (around € 2,600 net) for a period of 18 months to the person recruited. The position will be endowed by a fund of € 6,000 over the period for the financing of material and missions.

- Applicants must have defended their PhD before the starting date of the postdoctoral fellowship (December 31, 2024, latest) in a field related to the research areas of the Graduate School (Economics, Management Sciences, Sociology).
- Applicants must have the support of a permanent scholar (mentor) from one of the research center associated to the Graduate School (GREDEG: <https://gredeg.univ-cotedazur.fr/presentation/les-membres-du-laboratoire>; SKEMA <https://www.skema.edu/research>). This mentor commits to support them throughout the duration of their postdoctoral fellowship. Applicants should contact their mentor directly to discuss and complete their application.
- Applicants must not have completed their PhD under the supervision of the proposed mentor and must not have been a PhD student or a post-doctoral researcher in one of the research centers associated to the Graduate School.
- Applicants will be attached to EUR ELMI and GREDEG (Sophia Antipolis Campus), or to a SKEMA Business School research center (Sophia Antipolis Campus), for their research.

4. APPLICATION AND SELECTION PROCESS

4.1. Application documents

Application materials must include (in digital format):

1. A curriculum vitae, including a list of published works, submissions under review/revise and resubmit, and working papers.
2. A motivation letter, not exceeding one page.
3. Recommendation letter from the mentor.
4. Recommendation letter(s) from the candidate's PhD advisor and/or other scientific personalities (maximum 3)
5. A research proposal, not exceeding 10 pages (including references). This document must include:
 - i. The description of the research project's objectives and hypothesis.
 - ii. The description of the methodology to be used.
 - iii. A work schedule including provisional timetable and possible collaborations with EUR ELMI research faculty, from GREDEG or SKEMA Business School.
 - iv. References (1 page maximum).

6. A copy of three relevant written works (published articles, thesis chapters, working papers, etc.).

4.2 Assessment Criteria

The main assessment criteria will be:

- The scientific excellence of the candidate's previous contributions.
- The scientific excellence and originality of the proposed research project.
- The integration of the project into the research areas of the EUR ELMI.
- The potential socio-economic impact of the project and its trans-disciplinary aspect.

4.3 Selection process

1. Applications will be reviewed by an ad-hoc committee which composition will be decided by the Scientific and Pedagogical Orientation Committee (COSP) of the EUR
2. The selected candidates will be interviewed by the committee, which will proceed to the final ranking.
3. The final ranking will be validated by the EUR Steering Committee (COPIL).

Call Schedule

May 6, 2024: launch of the call.

June 17, 2024: deadline for submission of applications

From July 1: interview with the candidates and notification of the results

Applicants must submit their application composed by a single PDF file, named "candidatesurname-candidatename-postdocELMI-2024" to the Director of EUR ELMI, Professor Olivier Bruno, at the following address: olivier.bruno@univ-cotedazur.fr