

Contract type: fixed term contract – 01.06.2017 until 31.12.2017

**The University of Luxembourg invites applications for the following position within the Research Unit INSIDE at the Faculty of Language and Literature, Humanities, Arts and Education (FLSHASE)**

## **Research Associate on Project**

**Ref: code budg: R-AGR-3008-10-C**

- fixed term contract, 7 months
- 100% (40 hrs/week); preferably as from 01.06.2017
- employee status

The successful candidate will join the group on “Youth Research” within INSIDE’s *Institute for Research on Generations and Family*, directed by Prof. Dr. Helmut Willems. INSIDE (Integrative Research Unit on Social and Individual Development) is a multidisciplinary research unit focusing on sociological, psychological, educational, and economic processes associated with social change and development.

Under the supervision of Assoc. Prof. Dr. Robin Samuel, the candidate will advance preparatory work for a Luxembourgish Youth Survey to be fielded in 2018. The main task will be the construction of a youth survey, based on an existing feasibility study and in exchange with a) the group on “Youth Research” and b) members of INSIDE.

Depending on the success of this project, a contract extension is possible.

### **Your role**

- Definition of measurement concepts and scales according to international standards
- Elaboration of questions modules in German
- Pre-tests of questionnaire
- Meetings and exchange with relevant stakeholders
- Writing and finalization of an intermediary report documenting the development of the questionnaire
- Contribution to a publication on youth surveys

### **Your profile**

- Master diploma, MA, or PhD in sociology, educational sciences, or another relevant discipline
- A very good command of German or French, and preferably English. Luxembourgish is considered an asset.
- Experience in designing questionnaires
- Experience in collecting data
- Ability to work autonomously
- Willingness to engage in teamwork in research groups

### **Our offer**

- Personal workspace at the University
- Opportunities to expand your skills and knowledge in a dynamic research team
- Stimulating work environment

For further information, please contact:

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Please submit your application *online* until 16.04.2017 including a letter of motivation, a detailed CV with publication list, and copies of diplomas.

The University of Luxembourg is an equal opportunity employer.