

Institut für Klimafolgenforschung - Wissenschaft



Klima braucht Köpfe. Das Potsdam-Institut für Klimafolgenforschung e.V. (PIK) untersucht wissenschaftlich und gesellschaftlich relevante Fragestellungen. Es ist eine der weltweit führenden Forschungseinrichtungen auf seinem Gebiet und bietet Natur- und

SozialwissenschaftlerInnen aus aller Welt beste Voraussetzungen für exzellente interdisziplinäre Forschung.

Student Research Assistant - Climate Policy Evaluation (m/f/d)

(Position number: 22-2026 SHK GENIE) The position is funded until April 2027. The remuneration is determined according to the guidelines of the TdL. The hourly rate for a student assistants with a bachelor's degree is set to be €15.20 (€13.98 for those without a bachelor's degree). We offer a part-time position with a weekly working time of 10 to 20 hours per week.

City: Potsdam; Starting date (earliest): 01/09/26; Duration: starting in September 2026, funded until April 2027; Remuneration: with a bachelor's degree is set to be €15.20 (€13,98 for those without a bachelor's degree; Reference number: 22-2026 SHK GENIE

Tasks

Key responsibilities:

- support a systematic review and meta-analysis of empirical studies examining the effectiveness of climate mitigation policies in the agriculture, forestry, and other land-use (AFOLU) sector
- contributing to the systematic literature search by screening abstracts and identifying relevant empirical studies (econometric/causal inference studies)
- conducting full-text screening of eligible studies and extracting relevant quantitative and qualitative information
- assessing the methodological quality and risk of bias of included studies
- supporting the coding, analysis, and visualization of data for the meta-analysis

Requirements

You are a Bachelor or Master student, enrolled at a German university, and ideally meet the following requirements:

- studies in the field of economics, quantitative social or political science, environmental science, geography, ecology or related fields
- good understanding of empirical research methods and causal inference
- ability and motivation to critically assess empirical studies and reflect on their methodological approaches
- interest in evidence-based policy evaluation and climate policy research
- prior knowledge of climate change mitigation, climate policy, or the agriculture,

forestry, and other land-use (AFOLU) sector, or a strong interest in developing expertise in these areas

- previous experience in systematic literature reviews and/or meta-analyses is an asset
- experience with data analysis and coding in R and/or Python is an asset

What we offer

We offer:

- the chance to be part of an engaged, interdisciplinary team
- an attractive working space at the EUREF-Campus in Berlin Schöneberg
- flexi-time and mobile working (up to 50% of your hours)
- a subsidized travel card or Deutschland-Ticket Job
- writing a thesis as part of the research project might be possible, depending on your interests and our availabilities
- free charging station for e-bikes on Telegrafenberg campus

Application

Please apply by 26.07.2026 directly via our application form below this job advertisement on our website.

More information at <https://stellenticket.de/205304/HTWB/>

Offer visible until 26/07/26

