



Esade Business School –Ramon Llull University has opened the selection process for the coverage of 1 position to support research, as a

### **Postdoctoral researcher**

on a project entitled “entrepreneurial training, education and support on the success of entrepreneurial and new ventures”.

The successful candidate will work closely together with the Director of the Esade Entrepreneurship Institute (EEI), Dr. George Chondrakis (<https://www.esade.edu/professorat/george.chondrakis>) and the rest of the EEI faculty members. The post-doctoral research will be part of Esade Group of Research in Entrepreneurship ([www.esade.edu/eei](http://www.esade.edu/eei)).

#### **Project description:**

The general objective of the project is to analyze the impact of entrepreneurial training, education and support on the success of entrepreneurial and new ventures. The EEI has access to a large volume of data from startups and works closely with them. To do so, the post-doc will work with the different researchers of the EEI to design, launch and execute analysis and experiments (following different methodologies such as RCTs) that involves high volumes of data.

#### **Functions:**

The main tasks will include:

- 1) Design, management and analysis of experiments and data collection
- 2) Preparation of the deliverables and reports for the projects
- 3) Preparations of competitive funding proposals in future funding schemes

The post-doc will work closely with several EEI faculty researchers in academic research projects in the area of entrepreneurship, strategy and management in sub-projects related to the understanding of entrepreneurial training, education and support on the success of entrepreneurial and new ventures. The tasks will also include the production of academic papers coauthored with the researchers.

#### **Profile requirements:**

It is essential that the candidate holds a PhD in economics, management, sociology, psychology, computer science, information systems or a related field. We are looking for candidates with strong quantitative analytic skills. Advanced data science skills (and coding in Python, Julia, or R) are required.

**At the moment of recruitment,** the candidate must comply with the following requirements:

- Be under 30 years of age



- Be unemployed and registered as a job-seeker on the Catalan Job Service (SOC)\* (\* see special note below).
- Must not have carried out research activities at the Ramon Llull University (URL) in the previous six months.

#### **We offer:**

The full-time position is based at the Esade's Sant Cugat campus (a short metro ride outside the city of Barcelona, Spain), with an annual salary of €30.000 (gross) for a duration of 24 months. There will be no teaching duties.

The starting date for the position is negotiable but no later than 1st of December 2022.

#### **Selection procedure:**

- **Submission of applications:** interested candidates should submit: (i) a curriculum vitae; (ii) a short motivation letter outlining their suitability for this position.
- Please send your applications via email to [research@esade.edu](mailto:research@esade.edu) stating "Entrepreneurship" in the subject line.

Esade Business School – URL might require proof of the obligatory requirements before formalising the contract, as well as the necessary aspects when they consider that there may be inaccuracies.

- **Deadline:** applications can be sent until 30<sup>th</sup> October 2022, but applications will be reviewed on a continuous basis.
- **Admission and selection process:** the Vicedeanship of Research of Esade Business School – URL is the responsible body for all of the admission and selection process, in accordance with the rules and procedures applicable to the entity.

Ramon Llull University includes in its IV Gender Equality Plan the commitment to promote equality between people and includes measures to guarantee equal treatment and opportunities between genders and eliminate any type of discrimination. The areas affected by this Plan, in accordance with what is regulated by article 46 of LO3/2007, are access to employment, professional classification, promotion and training, remuneration, organization of working time, and the prevention of sexual and gender-based harassment.

*This offer is within the Investigo Programme for hiring young job seekers in the realization of research and innovation initiatives, in the framework of the Recovery, Transformation and Resilience Plan in Catalonia, financed by the European Union through the European Next Generation Funds. Official code 100045ID5.*

#### **For Additional Questions**

[research@esade.edu](mailto:research@esade.edu)



**Special note:**

You can find information and instructions on how to register with the SOC in the following link (you can select either English, Spanish or Catalan languages):

<https://serveiocupacio.gencat.cat/ca/persones/estic-atur/donar-se-alta-demanant-ocupacio/>

Please note that foreign nationals of a country of the European Union (EU) or of the European Economic Area (EEA) may register as jobseekers as long as they have the "EU Citizen Registration Certificate". When an EU or EEA citizen has been in Spain for less than three months, you can register with your passport or with your valid identity document.