

# Job Title: Socio-Economic Impact Assessment Analyst

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## EUROPEAN SPACE AGENCY

Vacancy in the Directorate of Industry, Procurement and Legal Services.

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### Post

#### Socio-Economic Impact Assessment Analyst

This post is classified A2-A4 on the Coordinated Organisations' salary scale.

### Location

ESA Headquarters, Paris, France

### Description

Reporting to the Head of the Industrial Policy and Economic Analysis Section, the postholder will be responsible for supporting the assessment of the economic impact of space activities notably through socio-economic studies in collaboration with all Programme Directorates, national and international organisations and in particular the OECD.

### Duties

- providing appropriate content and background for the internal and external ESA Steering Group Committees on the Space Economy,
- supporting drafting of the report on the space economy in preparation for ESA Council Ministerials,
- supporting Programme Directorates and ESA Member State Delegations in assessing their proposals and programmes in terms of the socio-economic impact, national industry surveys sharing the latest available data, useful references and an exhaustive overview of the existing and most appropriate methodologies,
- conducting relevant studies at macro/micro-economic level to support ESA Programme Proposals, with both "before and after" assessment, in close cooperation with Programme Directorates,
- supporting stakeholders, e.g. Programmes, in their market analyses and assessment of proposed business plans,
- supporting promotion of and communication on ESA space economy activities.

### Technical competencies

Knowledge of the ESA institutional framework, policies and programmes (Technology, Science, Launchers, Human Space and/or Applications)

Knowledge of the European and international atmospheric space sector

Knowledge of ESA ITT and TEB processes

Knowledge of business process improvement and business change management

### Behavioural competencies

Communication

Continuous Learning

Relationship Management

Teamwork

Results Orientation

Strong analytical and reporting skills

### Additional requirements

Candidates should have:

- a knowledge of space programmes, including those of ESA and commercial programmes in Europe,
- a very good understanding of the most commonly applied socio-economic impact assessment methodologies,
- significant experience in a multicultural environment, preferably in the space sector, and demonstrate good knowledge of ESA programmes and activities,
- excellent writing skills.

## Education

Applicants should have a Master's degree (or equivalent) in a technical and/or economic discipline. An academic background in engineering and econometrics will be a distinct asset.

## Other information

For behavioural competencies expected from ESA staff in general, please refer to the ESA Competency Framework.

The working languages of the Agency are English and French. A good knowledge of one of these is required. Knowledge of another Member State language would be an asset.

The Agency may require applicants to undergo selection tests.

### **The closing date for applications is 10 July 2019.**

If you require support with your application due to a disability, please email [contact.human.resources@esa.int](mailto:contact.human.resources@esa.int).

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Please note that applications are only considered from nationals of one of the following States: Austria, Belgium, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the United Kingdom and Canada and Slovenia.

According to the ESA Convention the recruitment of staff must take into account an adequate distribution of posts among nationals of the ESA Member States. When short-listing for an interview, priority will first be given to internal candidates and secondly to external candidates from under-represented Member States. (<http://esamultimedia.esa.int/docs/careers/NationalityTargets.pdf>)

In accordance with the European Space Agency's security procedures and as part of the selection process, successful candidates will be required to undergo basic screening before appointment.

Recruitment will normally be at the first grade in the band (A2); however, if the candidate selected has little or no experience, the position may be filled at A1 level.