

(International) climate adaptation specialist

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Location: Brussels/Rotterdam

Trinomics is a research-oriented consultancy firm dedicated to supporting the transition to a low-carbon, green and climate resilient society. Our work includes applied economic research and policy advice, training and knowledge transfer in different subsets of energy, climate change and environmental topics, with clients ranging from national governments and line ministries in Europe and beyond, European institutions and other international clients such as multi- and bilateral donors and international financial institutions.

As part of the expansion of our international business operations, we are now looking for an **(international) climate adaptation specialist** to join our climate team to support the cluster manager in further expanding Trinomics' project portfolio in the area of climate adaptation (finance), climate resilience & vulnerability and (international) climate policy assessments. We are looking for an experienced climate adaptation expert who would like to join a team of young and motivated consultants and work in a professional and dynamic environment within an informal and pleasant working atmosphere.

Profile of the candidate

We are looking for a candidate with good economic and/or sociological knowledge, analytical capacity, an eye for detail, the willingness to go that extra mile if necessary, and a desire to operate in international teams. The ideal candidate will have the following attributes:

Required:

- ✓ Completed Master's degree in Environmental Science, Biology, Economics or another related discipline;
- ✓ At least 5-6 years of relevant working experience in a similar environment (i.e. consultancy);
- ✓ Demonstrated expertise in the area of climate adaptation (policy) and climate resilience & vulnerability assessments via previous employment experience and/or consultancy assignments;
- ✓ Demonstrated experience in (leading) the delivery of consultancy assignments and/or, capacity building activities, workshops and trainings;
- ✓ Demonstrated experience in carrying out (pro-active) business development and acquisition in the required areas of expertise, together with a good network of established contacts with practitioners and clients within the (international) climate adaptation community;
- ✓ Ability to work, write and communicate fluently in English. Ability to work in any additional languages (such as French, Spanish, German or Portuguese) is considered as an advantage;
- ✓ Able and willing to travel within and outside Europe for project missions on a regular basis;
- ✓ Eligible to work in the European Union (EU).

What we offer

- ✓ A competitive package of employment conditions (i.e. salary, secondary working conditions, etc.);
- ✓ Initially a one (1) year contract with the opportunity to extend this to a permanent contract based on good performance (evaluated after 6 months);
- ✓ Flexible working hours, depending on the candidate's personal preferences and circumstances (i.e. we don't have a nine-to-five mentality) and potential mission time for projects (e.g. 2-3 weeks missions);
- ✓ Pleasant (and informal) working environment, with young, dedicated and motivated colleagues.

Applications (motivation letter and recent CV) should be submitted via email and addressed to Jeroen van der Laan (info@trinomics.eu) before Monday 8th July 2019. Only candidates that meet all requirements will be selected for an interview. As part of the application process, we will ask preselected candidates to do a case study exercise in order to assess their capabilities and required expertise needed for the position.

For more information, please contact Jeroen van der Laan (cluster manager) or Koen Rademaekers (Managing Director) via info@trinomics.eu or +31 (0)10 341 45 92.