

The Paris School of International Affairs (PSIA) is looking for

A teaching assistant for the lecture course F1HH 14714 Economic, Social, Cultural and Environmental Rights: Law and Practice in a Changing World (Lecture) taught by Katharina RALL, Sylvain AUBRY, Marion SANDNER in September-December 2025.

This course is offered as a Core course in the Master Human Rights and Humanitarian Action in Fall 2026. The course is mandatory for 50% of the students in the Master Human Rights and Humanitarian Action (60 students enrolled in the course).

Format: 24-hours lecture course, MON 10:15-12:15am.

Course content:

01/09	What are ESCER?
08/09	ESCE rights and sustainable development
15/09	The Climate Crisis
22/09	ESCR obligations and the right to health
29/09	The rights to equality and non-discrimination
06/10	The right to an adequate standard of living: rights to food, water, sanitation
13/10	The right to education
20/10	Labor rights and the right to social security
03/11	Right to an adequate standard of Living 2
10/11	ESR and crises; limitations of rights and the doctrine of non-retrogression
17/11	Cultural rights
24/11	The right to a healthy environment

Tasks

- Assisting in communication with the student group; answering student questions, mostly by e-mail or through the Moodle platform, in English.
- Assisting the Professors for each class; helping in making course materials available to students on the Moodle platform.
- Coordinating the preparation, proctoring, organization and grading of the various assignments and exams.
 There will be 2 exams, end of October 2025 and December 2025. The teaching assistant is involved in the grading. Grading is paid separately at the end of the semester (the rate varies on the length of the paper from 4.51 to 6.86 € gross per copy).
- Liaising any questions or concerns from the students with the Professor and PSIA Academic team.

Profile

Mandatory: applicants must be 2nd, 3rd or 4th year PhD candidates. An enrollment certificate will be required.

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- Alternatively: applicants may hold a Master's degree with relevant professional experience (proof of employment, such as recent payslips, will be required).
- In both cases, prior experience in ESCER (through work or research) is strictly required. Applicants without demonstrated experience in ESCER should not apply.
- To have a C1 level in English.
- Residence in Paris is not a requirement for participation in the lectures; however, it is preferred.

Number of hours and compensation

The contractual number of hours is 10 for the semester, with a remuneration set to 65.10 € per hour (pre-tax).

Application

If you are interested in applying for this position, please send your application (CV + cover letter) by email to anastasia.apukhtina@sciencespo.fr by September 29.

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