



Call for Research Assistant in “Regime Complexity and China’s Institutional Strategies” (RCCIS) Project

We are seeking to appoint a Ph.D. Research Assistant for a fixed term appointment for 1 year, starting March 1st or soon thereafter. The postholder will join a small team of researchers working on a research project funded by the Israeli Science Foundation (grant no. 857/24). The RCCIS project aims to explain China’s varying institutional engagement strategies within international organizations by applying institutional theories, and mainly regime complexity, and through both quantitative and qualitative methods. The postholder will be a member of the RCCIS research group with responsibility for carrying out research for two sub projects that involve collection and analysis of quantitative data, as well as qualitative analysis of various official documents.

The postholder is expected to have a certain level of experience in original data collection and analysis, and knowledge of international organizations.

The position will be based at the University of Haifa but can be mostly done remotely.

The postholder will be reporting to Dr. Doron Ella.

Requirements:

- A Ph.D. candidate that holds a master’s degree (M.A) in International Relations, Political Science or a relevant field.
- Relevant and proven research experience and willingness to engage in research activities.
- Quantitative research experience in using Stata and/or R.
- A high level of English.

Desirable Criteria:

- Working level proficiency in Chinese.
- Published work in a peer-reviewed academic journal.

How to Apply:

Please send:

- An updated CV.
- A cover letter outlining the qualifications and skills that match the requirements for the position, and previous work experience carrying out similar tasks to those required here.
- A writing sample (published article or a master’s thesis).

Materials should be sent to Della@poli.haifa.ac.il by January 15th, 2025.