

Post-doctoral Research Associate: climate economics and finance

Climate Finance Alpha (CLIMAFIN) is looking for a post-doctoral research associate to join its research team in climate economics and finance for a full-time position commencing in November 2022 (or at the earliest mutually agreed upon date).

The candidate will be responsible for econometric and statistical analysis in the context of interdisciplinary research projects funded by the European Union (Horizon Europe Framework Programme) and international financial institutions (e.g. the World Bank). The candidate will be involved in projects performing ex-post and forward-looking assessments of the economic and financial impacts of climate policies and climate change (data collection, quantitative analysis, drafting of reports and scientific publications).

The ideal candidate has a strong quantitative background in econometrics and statistics and a track record in research; interest and ideally experience in climate economics and finance; is both research and client oriented.

The candidate will engage with international clients and stakeholders in climate finance tailoring the research products to their needs, and supporting the dissemination of results.

Required Qualifications and Experience:

- PhD in applied mathematics, economics, finance, statistics or related field
- Experience in applied econometric and economic modelling
- Knowledge of research and policy issues in climate economics and finance
- Proficiency in at least one programming language such as Matlab, Python or R. Command of Excel or other spreadsheet/database software.
- Excellent management and organizational skills along with strong quantitative skills.
- Fluency and excellent communication skills in English.
- Demonstrated ability to manage high-level relationships with partner organizations.
- Experience in working in interdisciplinary, collaborative research teams; interest to collaborate with finance and policy institutions, and to deliver policy relevant-research.
- Experienced in writing and publishing scientific literature.

Terms and conditions: CLIMAFIN is based in Paris, France. Hybrid/Remote work can be considered. Employment will be under an open-ended contract. Salary is competitive and commensurate on experience.

About CLIMAFIN: CLIMAFIN is a fintech founded by three lead experts on climate financial risks - Stefano Battiston, Antoine Mandel, and Irene Monasterolo – who developed the reference models in the scientific community. CLIMAFIN has a track record of collaborations with international financial institutions and the scientific fora (e.g. IPCC).

To apply: please send an email including cv and cover letter to antoine.mandel@climafin.com