

European University Institute

# **EUI**The European University Institute



#### About the EUI

- International organisation set up in 1972 by six member states of the European Communities: Benelux, France, Germany (FRG), and Italy.
- Currently 23 contracting states.
- Research university focusing exclusively on doctoral and post-doctoral studies, and advanced research.





# Fully-funded four-year doctoral programmes

Each year up to 150 fully-funded scholarships are available in:

- Economics
- History and Civilization
- Law
- Political and Social Sciences



#### **Doctoral Programme**

#### Structured, specific departmental requirements

Year 1

Laying the foundations for your doctoral work.

Structured programme of taught courses and/or seminars defined by each department.

 Submission of thesis outline (requirements vary across departments) Year 2

Each department defines content of activities, seminars, workshops, and research missions. Year 3

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Completion of the thesis and job market activities.

Thesis defence.

Award of the Doctorate.

Interdepartmental courses, academic and professional development

- Delivery of 1/4 of thesis
- ➤ Delivery of 2/3 of thesis
- Submit full draft of thesis

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A **Master of Research or Master of Laws** (M.Res/LLM) degree is awarded upon completion of the M.Res or LLM requirements during the first year of the doctoral programme.



#### Structured doctoral study

- Close doctoral supervision with regular monitoring to assess teaching and quality of supervision
- Doctoral programme governed by:
  - Academic Rules and Regulations
  - Code of Supervision
  - Code of Ethics in Academic Research
  - Data Protection Practice in Research



# Academic and Professional Development

- Wide range of courses, workshops, services and activities designed to support <u>academic and professional</u> <u>development:</u>
  - Academic writing
  - > Introduction to teaching in higher education
- Teaching placements and traineeships
- Exchange programmes
- Research missions
- Field work



# Doctoral programme: research themes

Develop your intellectual curiosity - visit our website to explore our research themes further

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY AND CIVILIZATION DEPARTMENT OF LAW DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES



#### Career prospects

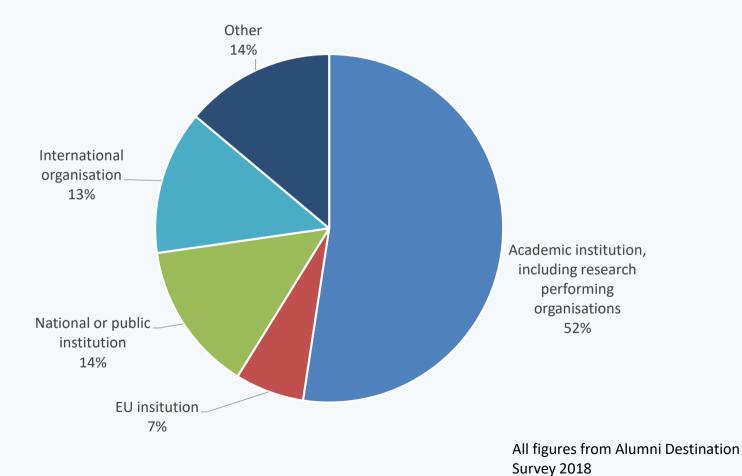
#### EUI alumni form a professional international network

- 60% are employed in academic institutions
- 7% are employed in a national/public institutions
- 7% are employed in law firms
- 6% are employed in international organisations
- 30% are employed in senior positions, such as full professors



## University Institute Career path of alumni

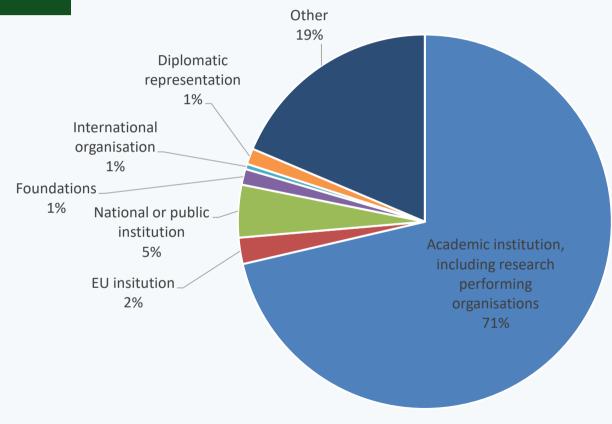
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## Career path of alumni Institute

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY CIVILIZATION

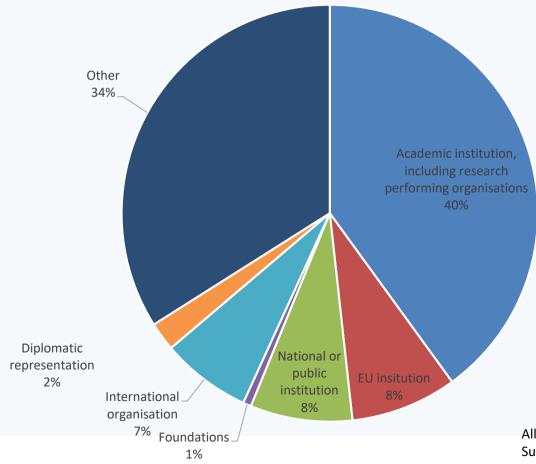


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## Career path of alumni Institute

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

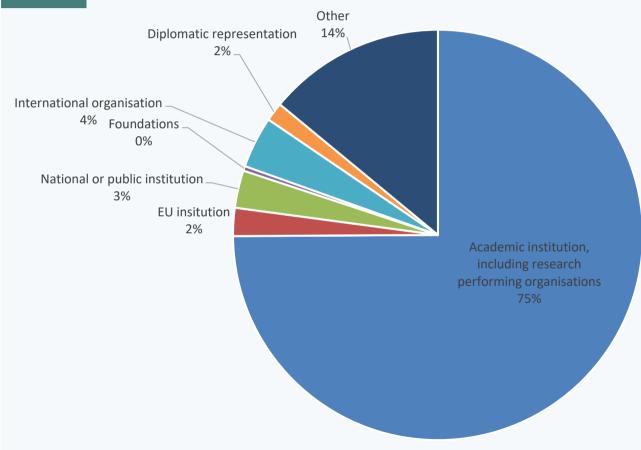


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## Career path of alumni Institute

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES



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#### A community of scholars

Join our culturally diverse academic community – study alongside some 900 scholars from ~75 countries

550+ Full-time researchers (Ph.D. and LL.M.)

90+ Full- and part-time professors

Full-time fellows (post-doctoral and senior)

120+ Visiting Fellows and Researchers



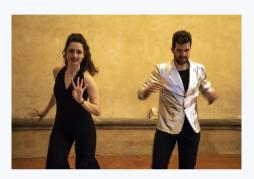


#### More than just writing a thesis

Sports, music, art, culture, food - researchers and families can participate in, or propose, a range of extra-curricular activities.















### European University Institute EUI campus

Our EUI campus is spread across historic buildings in the Tuscan hills, between Fiesole and Florence.















#### Why choose the EUI?

- A community of scholars with an exclusive focus on doctoral and post-doctoral studies
- Research-intensive environment with opportunities to get involved in cutting-edge research and global research networks
- Fully-funded four-year Ph.D. programme
- One of the world's largest doctoral and post-doctoral programmes, with approximately 900 scholars, and a well-connected alumni network
- Excellent career prospects within academia, international organisations, the public and private sectors, and for NGOs









#### Why choose the EUI?

- A world-class research library, the Historical Archives of the European Union and many other excellent research facilities
- High completion rates 85.3% for researchers admitted 2006-2010
- Joint exchange programmes with major European and North American universities, and funding opportunities for research missions abroad
- Academic and professional development training, plus a wide range of extra-curricular activities









#### **Application and Selection**

2020-21 intake (starting 1 September 2020)

1	November
	2019

Opening of application process

### 31 January 2020

Deadline for applications

## February / March 2020

Processing of applications / preselection

## 23-26 March 2020

Interviews at the EUI

#### Early April 2020

Decisions about admissions

# End of August 2020

Registration

## 1 September 2020

Introductions and start of the academic year

Eligibility criteria: Agreed by funding authorities

#### **Selection criteria:**

- Academic record
- Quality of the research proposal
- Potential supervision
- Language abilities
- GRE (only for Department of Economics)



#### Researcher testimonials

"The best part of doing a Ph.D. at the EUI is the active academic and social community. It's easy to find engaging conversation and feedback for research."

- Matilda Merenmies, Law researcher, from Finland

"The EUI is a great place to write a Ph.D. and provides a stimulating environment. The institution has impressive resources and services at your disposal to support you."

- Johannes Rothe, Political and Social Sciences researcher, from Germany

"The fact that the EUI is small, in comparison with most other toplevel universities, makes it easy to get in touch with everyone, including the faculty. It creates a unique spirit of community."

- Lukas Nord, Economics researcher, from Germany

"The financial stability EUI provides allows you to take the time to broaden and deepen your understanding of the discipline. Talk with your fellow researchers and be open to learning about other subfields."



#### Get in touch

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