

## **Volunteer (f/m/x) – International Junior Journal Network (on average about 2-5h/week)**

Are you a bachelor's, master's or early PhD student interested in research and academia? Do you have some experience and expertise in International Relations, Political Science, Sociology, Law, Economics and or related fields? Are you eager to hone your management skills and work on international journal cooperation and exchange? If the answer to these questions is YES, then we are looking for you! The International Network of Junior Social Science Journals is seeking motivated and committed members to support the launch of an international junior journal network, starting in the third quarter of 2023.

The Network aspires to bring together junior journals in the fields of political science, international relations, political theory and related fields from across the globe. Our goal is to work jointly on enhancing the role of student and early career research in academia. As of now, we are a group of three junior journals, with relations to multiple others across Europe. Please note that you would be involved in setting up the network rather than joining a fully institutionalised organisation. To bring the network to the next level, we need your help!

### **What we are looking for:**

- Qualifications in Political Science, International Relations, Sociology, Law, Economics or related fields
- Interest in international outreach and cooperation
- Preferably some experience in organising events and social media advertising
- Ability to work independently and remotely
- Full working proficiency in English
- Ability to work in a team
- Flexibility and reliability
- Organising periodic meetings of the member journals
- Support with organisation of student conferences, joint skill-building workshops, and more

### **What we offer:**

- Tasks that enable you to gain experience in the academic publishing, event/conference organisation, international cooperation, outreach and advertising
- A motivated team of students based throughout Europe and potentially beyond
- The chance to join a wider network of international junior journals
- The possibility to get in contact with experts who work in international relations or IR research
- Prospectively workshops on publishing, enhancing research etc.

### **What you will be working on:**

- Developing digital infrastructure for the network
- Creating and maintaining social media profiles
- Designing a website and corporate design (with the support of the partner journals)
- Correspondence with member journals and outreach to new journals and professional organisations

Since the members are based in different countries, meetings will always take place online and remote work is the standard. We highly welcome applications from people with diverse backgrounds. Please send us your CV (without photo) and a brief statement (about 200-350 words) outlining why you want to work with us on taking the network to the next level via e-mail to [applications@yjea.org](mailto:applications@yjea.org) by 30 June. We are looking for members to contribute to our work for at least one year, at best even longer (pending the success of the network). After assessing your application, we will invite pre-selected candidates to a brief digital meeting as soon as possible. If you have any further questions, feel free to get in touch anytime.