

Organisational Profile

ECRAAL is a non-profit organisation, supporting the engagement and education policies as well as the funding of actors and players from Asia, Africa and Latin America through EU research. We are a flexible, integrated and operational Brussels based platform, aimed at boosting the active participation of non-European players in EU research and education funding opportunities. Accredited with the European Institutions, ECRAAL provides a credible and reliable operational hub for promoting the participation of non-European players in EU funding for research, training and education. Consequently, ECRAAL is an alliance to promote the interests of institutions and research intensive institutes and companies from non-European players, in dealings with the relevant EU institutions and regions of Europe. Fostering networks and collaboration between research players in the EU and their colleagues and peers in Asia, Africa and Latin America is a core component of this alliance, including the business, education and public sectors.

Internship Profile

Primary responsibilities include:

- supporting the coordination of ECRAAL's funding projects with research institutes all over the world
- contributing to the ECRAAL memberships development strategies in Asia, Africa and Latin America, including writing proposals, web updating and project/event management
- communication and outreach activities concerning ECRAAL and its programs to research institutes in Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America
- working together with the ECRAAL funding projects and programs between the EU and third countries
- representing ECRAAL at various EU events and initiatives, liaising with EU institutions and developing partnerships with research organizations or other funding projects
- compiling information relating to EU funding policy and schemes for research activities and disseminating this information to our members

Intern Profile

Ideally, the intern will have the followings:

- some experience is required on project management or other relevant subjects
- fluency in English is mandatory. Knowledge of French, Spanish or other major languages used in Asia, Africa and Latin America is considered as a strong asset
- preference will be given to candidates with prior experience working with EU institutions and research institutes
- candidates should have a university degree and must be under the age of 30
- familiarity of the EU funding system and programs is beneficial
- strong writing, drafting and computer skills are necessary and web editing knowledge is a plus