

Job offer: Media Network Manager ITALY (f/m/x) for Transnational Journalistic Project "European Ukraine Desk"

- starting as soon as possible
- average of 12 hours/week
- Timely limited until 31.12.2024
- location: Italy
- application deadline: 26.02.2023

The project: Within the timeframe January 2023 till December 2024 n-ost implements the new project **European Ukraine Desk (EUD)**. The overarching goal of EUD is to foster exchange and collaboration between media in Ukraine, and France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Serbia and Spain in order to strengthen mutual understanding among media professionals and to counter disinformation. The project is funded by the European Commission.

To reach this goal, the following activities will be implemented:

- newsletter programme, to inform on media discourses from within and regarding Ukraine, informing Ukrainian media professionals on the media discourses in the project countries, and vice versa
- fellowship programme, to bring together media professionals from the above mentioned countries. The fellowship program consists of study trips and a subgrant program
- media hub activities in Kyiv, to give opportunities for international and national media professionals in Ukraine to connect/network, mutually support and jointly gain new expertise (e.g. networking events, workshops, panel discussions)

Your profile:

- Media professional with 5+ years experience
- High personal interest in the coverage of Ukraine, ideally proven by own journalistic publications on the topic
- good overview of media discourses on Ukraine in Italy and Europe
- Reliable and strong network in the national media scene
- Mandatory: Italian language skills on native speaker level, strong proficiency in English, both oral and written
- knowledge of media landscape in (one of) the project countries is an asset
- can-do and networking attitude, great communication skills
- Available for meetings in Berlin and Kyiv (total: 5 meetings within project timeframe, each lasting ca 3 days)

Your tasks:

- weekly contributions to the newsletter (in English), reflecting the national debate on the topic of Ukraine in Italy
- pro-active distribution of the newsletter in Italy
- Establishing a network of media professionals that have increased expertise on Ukraine, in Italy
- active promotion of the project and the newsletter at relevant events, some of which are organised by the project itself, and in relevant networks
- creative, advisory participation in the development of supported publications within the subgrant program
- Contact person/ connector for UA authors who want to publish in Italy
- conceptual and organizational support of the fellowship-program, especially the study-trip

We offer:

- contract for tasks that equal an average of 12 hours/week
- timely limited contract (until 31.12.2024), extension possible
- cooperation in an international team
- Insights to border-crossing collaborations and big journalistic networks
- opportunity to co-shape a long-term project
- varied everyday life in a NGO with possibility of remote work
- work on a highly relevant and current topic with tangible impact

We value diversity and therefore welcome all applications - regardless of gender, nationality, ethnic and social origin, religion/belief, age, and sexual orientation and identity. We are also aware that no resume is perfect, so we do not require applicants to meet all of the above criteria.

n-ost is a European network of journalists specialising in cross-border cooperation. The focus of our work is (Eastern) Europe, South Caucasus and Central Asia. As a media NGO n-ost implements projects that aim at networking and supporting media professionals, promoting quality journalism and strengthening media literacy. Around 25 employees work together in our office in Berlin-Kreuzberg and various home office locations.

Matthias Jochmann is looking forward to your applications by **26.02.2023**. Please compile the following documents combined as ONE PDF of max. 2mb

- Cover letter, salary expectations and the earliest starting date
- CV
- samples and/or portfolio and/or overview of journalistic work

Please name the PDF as follows: LNM_ITA_(your name) and send it via email to jochmann@n-ost.org by 26.02.2023

If you have any questions, please contact Matthias Jochmann via jochmann@n-ost.org