

APPLICATIONS INVITED FOR THE POSITION OF:

Assistant Professor, European Studies – Culture, literature and Society

Young scholars in European Studies, literature and cultural studies are invited to apply for the position of Assistant Professor at Manipal Centre for European Studies - *Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence* (MCES), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), South India, beginning August 2020.

Overview: Manipal Academy of Higher Education and Manipal Centre for European Studies

Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), a pioneer in higher education services in India with a sixty-year old legacy, has increasingly become a preferred destination for students and scholars across the globe. Over 28,000 students from 57 different nations live and learn in the sprawling varsity town, which provides excellent infrastructure catering to various disciplines in health sciences, engineering, management, communication, social sciences and humanities. Situated along the coast in Udupi district of Karnataka State and nestled in the foothills of the UNESCO world-heritage site, Western Ghats, the Institution opens up to an ideal environment for academic activities, sports, and leisure.

Since its inception in 2009, the Manipal Centre for European Studies (MCES) has distinguished itself as an important Centre in India for multidisciplinary studies and research on Europe and European Union institutions. MCES, now a Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence in India-EU Interdisciplinary Studies, is actively involved in the furthering of India-Europe interactions through innovative academic programs, research projects, and university partnerships. Its mainstream academic programs include the Master degree (MA) in European Studies and PhD program.

The MA program in European Studies offered by MCES is a one-of-its-kind master program in India and caters to the study of Europe and European Union institutions, which is becoming increasingly relevant in a globalized world. With a unique opportunity to study a part of the program in one of our partner universities in Europe, this multidisciplinary program is designed to foster understanding of various aspects of European studies and prepare students for research and work internationally. The program has a focus on four specialization tracks: business and economics, education, politics and international relations, culture and literary studies.

Work Profile

As Assistant Professor, you will be working with students at the Master level. You will be responsible for the planning and organizing of courses related to political and cultural construction of Europe, cultural analysis and European identity, theories of literature and culture and workshops on European literature. Your teaching responsibilities include primarily

around eight to twelve hours of teaching and evaluation per week in addition to student mentoring.

Qualifications and Competences

- Young scholars with PhD in European studies, Culture studies, literature with specific focus on European literature
- English at native fluency level, with excellent communication skills
- High levels of motivation
- Ability to work in teams in multicultural environments

Privileges

We, at MCES, strongly believe in fostering individual growth and encouraging the career trajectories of young scholars. We provide you with a dynamic and congenial international work environment for furthering your academic research interests and administrative skills. We offer a competitive salary complete with health insurance and accommodation support.

How to apply

Please send your letter of motivation enclosed with an updated CV to:
office.mces@manipal.edu

Last date for application – February 15, 2020

Website for further details on our department:

<https://manipal.edu/mu.html>

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