

Member of the Working Group on Environment

Call for applications

About the opportunity

Are you passionate about European affairs and eager to contribute to policy-focused research? Join the European Student Think Tank as a member of the Working Group on Environment.

The Environment Working Group researches European environmental and sustainability policy. Its work may address climate action, energy, biodiversity, circular-economy policy, sustainable development and the social and economic dimensions of the green transition.

Your role

Working Group members contribute to research and public-facing activities in an international, youth-led organisation. The expected commitment is approximately five hours per week, organised flexibly around members' studies and work.

- Research a sub-topic connected to the Working Group's focus.
- Develop policy-focused content, including articles, papers or policy briefs.
- Contribute to collaborative outputs and, where relevant, graphics, videos or podcasts with the Communications Department.
- Help organise or take part in workshops, debates, webinars and exchanges with policy-makers and other stakeholders.
- Collaborate reliably with the Head and other members, meet agreed deadlines and contribute to the Group's activities.

What we are looking for

- A demonstrated interest in environmental policy, sustainability or the European green transition.
- Relevant study, research or practical experience in environmental science, economics, political science, environmental management, law or international relations is an asset.
- Excellent written and spoken English.
- Strong research and writing abilities; previous research or publication experience is an asset.
- The ability to work independently and collaboratively in an online, international team.
- Clear communication and presentation skills, reliability and the ability to meet deadlines.

Optional consideration for Working Group Head

Applicants to the Environment Working Group may also indicate in the application form that they wish to be considered for the Head position. Candidates for Head should explain their vision for the Group and demonstrate leadership, organisational and interpersonal skills, including the ability to guide research, coordinate members and sustain team motivation.

Application process

Complete the application form and submit the following documents in English:

- CV, maximum two pages.
- Writing sample demonstrating strong research and writing skills, 1,000-3,000 words.

Application form	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScZxf4F824vizCz3A51SFcfbltlbcnd6etDm4kmYe5YSNeu0Q/viewform?usp=publish-editor
Deadline	12 October

Applications may be reviewed on a rolling basis, and suitable candidates may be contacted for an interview before the deadline. EST reserves the right to close the call early if suitable candidates are selected.

Please note: The position is voluntary and unpaid and is open to students, recent graduates and young professionals. Selected members are required to pay a EUR 5 membership fee per term to support the organisation's administrative costs.

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