

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Higher Education Research Officer

What we need:

The leading think tank and platform on student living in Europe is looking to add a Higher Education Research Officer to its team. As higher education is becoming a global industry, the way in which universities, cities and countries attract talent has changed. Our foundation connects the communities of student housing, higher education and city development. We do this by developing and spreading knowledge through research projects, producing publications, and organising events.

As Higher Education Research Officer it will be your job to be the expert on the higher education community, and be the connector with other communities. You will be a researcher on topics such as the impact of student accommodation on student success and student satisfaction; cooperation models between universities, cities and student housing providers; strategies to attract and retain talent for universities and student cities. You will be an advisor to our communities and work on research and advisory projects.

What we ask:

- Several years of relevant work experience in the field of higher education and research;
- BA or MA level degree;
- A good understanding of the dynamics in attracting international talent to universities;
- Affinity and experience with strategic advice and research into topics regarding student mobility, talent attraction strategies, and student accommodation;
- Excellent communication skills, both spoken and written;
- Fluency in English. Proficiency in other languages is a plus;

What we offer:

- A fulltime position in a small team (8 people) in a lively office in Central Amsterdam;
- An environment where you shape our foundation's higher education strategy;
- A dynamic and inspiring work environment that is open to new ideas and initiatives;
- Education budget;
- Compensation based on experience and qualifications.

About us

The Class of 2020 is a non-profit partner based foundation for student housing and higher education on a European scale. We are a think-tank, network and platform aimed at:

- Connecting people that can benefit from each other: investors, developers, operators, cities, universities, service providers, etc.
- Creating transparency for the European student housing market
- Providing and sharing knowledge between our partners

Each year we publish an annual trends report, organise the largest student housing conference in continental Europe, and much more. For more information:

www.theclassof2020.org

Information and application

For more information and applications, please contact us at work@theclassof2020.org