Association overview

Platform for Peace and Humanity is an international civic association which engages in 3 pillars of its work, i.e. research, advocacy and awareness-raising that are reflected in all its projects and activities within its mandate to promote peace and humanity by international law. The organization is further structured into regional programmes: South East Europe and Black Sea Region Programme, Mediterranean Programme, the newly formed Central Asia Programme, Towards the Enforcement of the Right to Peace Programme and Ukraine Programme.

Each of our regional programmes publish regional analysis in a bi-monthly Peace & Security Monitor publication. The organization also publishes Weekly News Recap and runs a Blog for internal and external contributions in the area of international law, human rights, international relations and international security and peacebuilding.

Position overview

Legal Researchers provide support to various research activities in the field of public international law, international humanitarian law, international criminal law and/or human rights law. They may be affiliated with one or more programmes and projects based on the specific needs of the association.

Start date: asap  
Duration: min. 3 months  
Commitment: min. 5–10 h/week, flexible work hours

Duties and responsibilities

- Desk research and analyses of various contested legal issues  
- Reporting back to Programme Director or other supervisors in the form of written memoranda
Qualifications

- passion and dedication to mission and values of the organization, result-driven commitment, ability to work in an international team and handle uncertain situation with flexibility
- Master’s degree in international law
- very good orientation in public international law, international humanitarian law, international criminal law and/or human rights law
- good knowledge of English
- experience in academic writing and ability to convey complex information in a clear way
- excellent communication and inter-personal skills
- willingness to continuously learn and develop new skills

We offer

- inspiring environment for young professionals’ personal and professional growth in the field of human rights protection and international justice
- involvement in research, advocacy and public awareness-raising projects and activities
- participation in webinars, events and civil society networks on behalf of the association
- flexible working time models

How to apply

Candidates should apply by sending a CV and a cover letter in English, as well as a written sample, to recruitment@peacehumanity.org.

Please indicate in the subject of the email the position you are applying for, i.e. Legal Researcher.