



Climate Action Network Europe is looking for a full-time

Energy System Policy Coordinator

Climate Action Network (CAN) Europe is Europe's largest coalition fighting climate change. We are currently seeking a motivated and experienced **Energy System Policy Coordinator with a focus on the EU Internal Electricity Market** (full time or part-time, minimum 80% FTE), to be based in Brussels.

Your tasks:

- Policy coordination: You are our expert on the EU electricity market functioning to advocate for its design to deliver on CAN Europe's energy transition vision. To this effect, you engage in the ongoing electricity market design reform, write compelling position papers, factsheet and briefings and represent us in relation to external stakeholders.
- Strategic guidance: You identify opportunities to achieve policy changes in line with our demands, coordinate with our members and external partners to make the best use of them and co-convene the working group dedicated to the issue.
- Representation and communications: You communicate the benefits of a more democratic, resilient and flexible energy system, as well as enablers and challenges to achieve it, to relevant stakeholders and are able to relate your knowledge to media and on social media.
- Fundraising and reporting: You contribute to fundraising efforts related to your policy files and regularly report on activities through the CAN Europe reporting system and for individual projects and grants as required.

Required skills and experiences:

- At least 5 years of experience in the field of political advocacy and strategy development or equivalent.
- Profound knowledge of the functioning of the EU energy market.
- Excellent written and oral communication skills in English and the ability to translate complex issues in a compelling way to various stakeholders.
- Outstanding networking skills, ideally demonstrated in an NGO environment.
- High level of motivation and the ability to independently execute work while meeting deadlines.
- Excellent interpersonal and team-working skills.

- Familiarity with EU institutions, particularly the functioning of the European Parliament and the Council.
- Based in Brussels or keen on moving to Brussels

Desirable skills and experiences:

- Additional European languages are considered an asset.
- Experience in external communications and dealing with journalists.
- Background in facilitating group discussions with people from different backgrounds

Further information

We are looking for someone to start as soon as possible. The position is in Brussels, where you will have the opportunity to work from our local office with the possibility of teleworking as needed with a minimum of 1 day of office presence per week required. We can offer a Belgian open-ended employment contract with a projected salary between 3.900,00 EUR and 4.950,00 EUR gross/month depending on the years of relevant experience (from 5 to 20 years) and additional benefits, subject to Belgian taxes.

We are an open and inclusive, multicultural, multilingual and multi-ethnic team. We explicitly encourage all candidates to submit their application, regardless of their age, ancestry, colour, disability, ethnicity, family or marital status, gender identity or expression, national origin, political affiliation, race, religion, sex or sexual orientation.

To apply, please send your CV in English (without a photo), a cover letter and a selection of writing samples (articles or other materials you have written that demonstrate your writing style) to jobs@caneurope.org. **Important: Subject line must be “Application: Energy System Policy Coordinator”.**

Application deadline: 11 April 2023

Interviews: 20-21 April 2023

Contact

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