

ECHA/TRN/2021/005 – Hazard Assessment Unit (C1)

The Hazard I Unit manages all Agency tasks resulting from the CLP Regulation and in particular supports the opinion-making process for proposals for harmonising the classification and labelling of hazardous substances.

The Unit works with one of the Agency's technical and scientific Committees, the Committee on Risk assessment (RAC) and works with the RAC Chairman and RAC secretariat in the development of the CLH opinions.

We have an opening for a trainee in the Classification and Labelling team which supports the process of developing CLH opinions.

Assignment

In this traineeship you will have the unique possibility to work with tasks related to CLH dossiers, including developing CLH opinions that are discussed at RAC plenary meetings and in the planning and preparing for the RAC meetings with the RAC Secretariat. RAC holds 4 plenary meetings per year.

In this role of a trainee you will support the Hazard Assessment Unit in its daily activities and specifically in classification and labelling. Depending on your experience and profile these tasks may include:

- Manage proposals for harmonised Classification & Labelling. This includes (among other related activities) liaising with submitting Member State Competent Authorities, liaising with ECHA staff addressing the substances under REACH processes, drafting accordance checks and support documents, providing scientific support to RAC and its rapporteurs as well as supporting the Commission in decision making.
- Project type of tasks related to reviewing CLH dossiers, RAC opinions and other documentation relevant to the CLH process with a view to providing support to the process directly, as well as generally to broader issues relating to application of the CLP Regulation.;
- Support to planning of work and schedules for the CLH process and planning for RAC meetings in 2020 and 2021;
- A written report of the work performed.

Profile

- Completed university degree in toxicology or a related discipline or environmental sciences;
- Excellent organisational skills;
- Expert experience in MS Office (specifically MS Word, MS Powerpoint and MS Excel) and data analysis tools;
- Good communication and interpersonal skills;
- Aptitude for team work as well as cooperative and service-oriented attitude;
- Good English skills both written and spoken (as this is the working language of the Committee).

Starting Date: 01 March 2021

Duration: 6 months

Deadline for applications: 08 November 2020 at noon 12:00 Helsinki time (11:00 a.m. CET)