



## Job Description

This form summarises the purpose of the job and lists its key tasks. It is not a definitive list of all the tasks to be undertaken as those can be varied from time to time at the discretion of the School, in consultation with the postholder.

**Job title:** Policy Fellow (Nature Central Banking)

**Department/Division:** Grantham Research Institute on Climate Change and the Environment  
**Accountable to:** Senior Policy Fellow, Elena Almeida

### Job Summary:

The Grantham Research Institute on Climate Change and the Environment (GRI) has established a new Centre for Economic Transition Expertise (CETEx), focused on leveraging, strengthening and amplifying research, and developing well targeted policy analysis and other outputs, by convening policymakers, and by providing technical support, assistance and capacity building.

The post holder will work on policy-oriented research projects within the Monetary and Financial Markets pillar of CETEx, contributing to a major sustainable finance programme focused on the role of central banks and financial supervisors in the context of nature loss and deforestation. They will employ their reputation for rigorous, user-focused analysis and policy-orientated work and related activities and engagement, also at a senior level, to ensure that research outputs have demonstrable impact and inform the public debate.

### Duties/Responsibilities

- Lead key aspects of a research, policy and engagement programme on central banking, financial supervision and nature/biodiversity loss with a specific focus on deforestation and Latin America by identifying topical, policy relevant research questions and contributing to the intellectual shape and design of the overall research programme.
- Conduct rigorous, research-based and policy-oriented analysis, in collaboration with the other members of the team, on aspects of nature loss and deforestation in the context of central banking, financial supervision and related financial policy applications
- Prepare and deliver a range of impactful research as well as policy-relevant publications and other high-quality outputs on a range of nature and biodiversity loss-related central banking priorities, including on the implications of deforestation for the supervision and monetary policy frameworks of central banks in Latin America
- Lead the organisation of relevant engagement activities, presenting at meetings, seminars and workshops, with senior policy experts and policymakers to ensure that outputs have demonstrable impact and inform decision-making
- Work with non-traditional financial sector stakeholders, including indigenous peoples and local communities, on nature-loss related impacts and dependencies
- Work with the CETEx and LSE GRI communications teams to enhance the impact of outputs and activities
- Work as part of a team within the Grantham Research Institute and contribute to the broader CETEx team on cross-cutting issues
- Build and maintain networks, particularly among regional and international decision-makers in central banks, financial supervisors and international organisations



- Behave and act in a way that is consistent with the purpose and principles of the Institute, and the values and aims of the LSE
- Contribute to the activities of other parts of the LSE, including through the participation in networks of staff who carry out policy analysis and engagement activities

#### **Flexibility**

To deliver services effectively, a degree of flexibility may be required in the duties performed in order to meet the exigencies of service. Job roles may also naturally develop over time and ongoing substantial changes to a role will be discussed between line managers and their staff, with job descriptions updated as and when appropriate.

#### **Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI)**

LSE is committed to building a diverse, equitable and truly inclusive university. All posts (and post holders) will seek to ensure diversity and inclusion, while opposing all forms of unlawful and unfair discrimination on the grounds of age, disability, gender identity, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, race, nationality, ethnic or national origin, religion or belief, sex and sexual orientation, or social and economic background.

#### **Ethics Code**

Posts (and post holders) are assumed to have a responsibility to act in accordance with the School's Ethics Code and to promote the principles and values that the Code enshrines. The Ethics Code clearly states that the whole LSE community, including all staff, students, and governors of LSE, are expected to act in accordance with the principles which are set out in the Code. As such you are required to read and familiarise yourself with it. The School's Effective Behaviours Framework is designed to support this Code. It sets out examples for the six behaviours that all staff are expected to demonstrate, these can be found on the following link: [click here](#)

#### **Environmental Sustainability**

The post holder is required to minimise environmental impact in the performance of the role, and actively contribute to the delivery of the LSE Environmental Policy.