

## Research Assistant at the World Trade Institute, University of Bern

We are looking for a motivated student to assist in research activities starting in October 2017 or upon agreement for a period of 6 months. The research assistant will be involved in the project "BRICS Globalization and Labor Protections" led by Prof. Damian Raess. The main research tasks relate to the collection, manipulation, and analysis of various types of data.

We welcome applications from students in political science, sociology, economics or related fields having experience with quantitative empirical analysis (including a good command of Excel and of a statistical software such as SPSS or Stata). Students should be at ease with researching open data sources and work diligently. Good command of English is important. Knowledge of the Chinese language is a plus.

The position is based at the World Trade Institute and is offered part-time (25 %). Depending on the needs, a contract extension may be envisaged.

If you are interested, please send a CV, a short motivation letter (max 1 page) and course transcripts (including the courses you took and grades you obtained) by e-mail to: <a href="mailto:inquire@wti.org">inquire@wti.org</a> by 17 August 2017. Interviews will be held on 28-29 August 2017.

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