

## Call for applications : CNRS Tenure Track Position 2023

**Lead institution/organisation :** French National Centre for Scientific Research

**Head of the institution/organisation :** Antoine PETIT

Site concerned, *if applicable* : Grenoble, Paris 2, Saclay, Bordeaux

Academic zone : AURA, Ile-de-France, Aquitaine

**Partner Institutions/organisations, if applicable :** Grenoble, Paris 2, Saclay, Bordeaux

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**Project name : Action and public policy**

Acronym : APOP

**Keywords:** *give 5 keywords characterising the scientific project*

**Target duration : 4 years**

**Scientific theme :** political science, sociology, public law

**Corresponding CNU/CoNRS/CSS section(s):** 04 et 19/36 et 40

**Profile requires :** Holders of a doctorate or a PhD or equivalent degree or applicants who have gained scientific qualifications or carried out scientific work deemed to be of an equivalent level.

There is no restriction on the age or nationality of applicants. All CNRS positions are accessible to people with disabilities, with special arrangements for tests made necessary by the nature of the disability

**Establishment strategy :** *describe how the recruitment is linked to the institutional strategy for the year 2023 and for the years 2023 to 2027. If applicable, provide a summary of the JPCs obtained in previous years and evaluate the initial results in the activity of the host laboratory. (30 lines maximum)*

The research position is part of the renewal strategy of research on public action and public policy that InSHS intends to support.

Today, a set of intertwined transitions, be they economic, social, digital, energy, health, environmental or even democratic, require public action. Do the new challenges associated to these transitions lead to paradigm shifts in the way policies are defined and implemented, or do they highlight certain shortcomings of our contemporary governing methods?

The aim is to develop research projects that will foster new scientific questions about public action and public policy. Approaches that combine various perspectives (e.g., qualitative and quantitative methods, use of digital data combined with ethnographic approaches) or that develop international and comparative studies will be encouraged.

Finally, this research position will contribute to the InSHS recruitment strategy in the field of political studies, and studies of the forms of social life at the interface between law, economics, philosophy, political science, territorial sciences, and sociology.

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**Strategy of the host laboratory :** *describe how the recruitment is in line with the strategy of the host laboratory (15 lines maximum)*

The potential host laboratories are in various disciplinary fields: law, political science, sociology. They have been selected on the basis of: a) their key position in research on public policy and b) their inclusion in a very promising academic context in these fields. They are joint units with academic partners with which the InSHS wishes to develop or already has strong scientific ties.

**RNSR of the host laboratory :**  
UMR PACTE : 200311865N  
UMR CERSA: 200112493E  
UMR Printemps: 200212745Z  
UMR CED : 197511801R

**Strategy in terms of international attractiveness:** *describe how the recruitment is in line with the institution's international strategy (reception of foreign students, partnerships with foreign institutions, joint degree project, participation in a European project. (15 lines maximum)*

It will be expected from the successful candidate that he/she implements actions and partnerships in the research field of the present tenure track and submits a project to European calls (ERC, Horizon Europe Consortium, etc.) during the 4 years of his/her contract.

**Summary of the scientific project :** *15 lines maximum*

Within this general framework, the research project will focus on the following questions  
1/ The question of power and in particular political power in the production of public action and th governing methods.  
2/ The question of inequalities: which social groups are prioritized in decision-making processes?

- 3/ The question of the relationships between collective action, social movements and various types of politicization within society;
- 4/ The question of expertise and, more broadly, of the association of scientific knowledge with public decision-making;
- 5/ The question of public actions at local and regional levels and scales.

**Summary of the teaching project : 15 lines maximum**

The teaching program will be discussed according to the research centre where the laureate will be affiliated.

He/she will be involved in the existing teaching programs.

**Financial overview** : *to be carried out on the basis of the attached financial form, describe the financial needs and their distribution to carry out the scientific project (doctoral student, post-doctoral student, IT, equipment, etc.)*

Total funded on CPJ (including ANR package) € :      (including ANR package 200 000 euros)

Co-financing € :

Total project € :

For information: The funding is for the duration of the project. It concerns the ANR package and the funding of the CNRS partners. The remuneration is not included in the financial summary because it is already integrated in the CNRS payroll.

**Scientific diffusion :**

The dissemination of the results will be done through world-class scientific productions: publications, patents, software... In addition, the results will be communicated to various targets such as scientific communities, media, decision makers, general public, schools, etc., with an adapted calendar. Specific tools may be developed such as websites, newsletters, meetings, international symposia, summer schools and conferences.

**Open science :**

The CNRS is developing a strong policy in favor of open science. Open science consists of making research results "as accessible as possible and closed as necessary". As such, the CNRS aims to make 100% of the texts of publications resulting from the work of its laboratories accessible, in particular through deposit in HAL. The data produced must also be made available and reusable, except for

specific restrictions. In addition, the guiding principles of individual evaluation have been revised in accordance with the DORA declaration, to be more qualitative and to take into account all facets of the researcher's profession.

**Science and society :**

The relationship between science and society is now recognized as a full dimension of scientific activity. The project will develop this dimension in synergy with all the partners. The resulting research work will contribute to informing public decision-making. Participatory science initiatives may be initiated with actors of the socio-economic and cultural eco system of the project

**Indicators :**

The activity will be evaluated in particular on the basis of scientific production (publications, software, patents, etc.), on institutional and private partnerships formalized by contracts, on international presence, on the promotion of work to multidisciplinary scientific communities, on innovation and its transfer to society and on scientific dissemination to non-specialist audiences.

**Arrangements for the organisation of the auditions** (*identical for all candidates for the same post*).  
*Specify the duration of each audition.*

*40 minutes*

Only candidates selected on the basis of their applications by the selection committee will be invited to the auditions.

**Hook for communication on the CNRS institutional website:**

**Deadline for submitting the application :** April 3<sup>rd</sup> 2023 at midnight (Paris time)