

Communication and Policy Assistant at the International Union of Property Owners

Brussels, Belgium

The International Union of Property Owners (UIPI) is looking for a long-term intern (Contrat d'Immersion Professionelle).

Deadline for application: 6 May 2018

About UIPI

UIPI is a leading representative body for homeowners and private landlords in Europe. With 29 member organisations, UIPI represents more than 5 million property owners across Europe. Based in Brussels, the UIPI's main task is to ensure that property owners' interests are represented and defended vis-à-vis European institutions. UIPI is active in those areas of EU legislation and policy that have an impact on real estate, the building and private-rented sectors as well as property rights.

Profile

- A graduate in law, political sciences, European studies, economics or communications;
- First experience in an EU institution, communications or public affairs is a strong asset;
- EU national or have a valid Belgian work permit;
- Proficient in written and spoken English. Any additional EU languages is an advantage;
- Good understanding of the EU decision-making process and politics;
- Very good written and verbal communication skills;
- Familiar with communication software (WordPress, Canva, MailChimp, etc.) and social media;
- Pro-active attitude and organisational talent;
- Fast learner, eager to gain experience in public affairs and communication.

Responsibilities:

- Contribute to public affairs activities and monitoring EU policy developments;
- Assist with communication and research activities (social media, website, newsletter);
- Attend meetings and conferences;
- Provide organisational and administrative support.

We offer:

- A "Contrat d'Immersion Professionelle" for six months (potentially renewable);
- A stimulating work experience within an EU affairs office;
- The possibility to work in a multicultural environment;
- Additional benefits.

If you are interested, please send your cover letter and CV to: Ms Emmanuelle Causse, Director of European Affairs, at office@uipi.com. Please note that only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

