

CALL FOR CANDIDATES

ICS Project Name: Religion and Civil Society

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Project Description: The goal of this project is to examine in detail the reasons whereby religion is a fundamental building-block in the development of civil society; and to identify the religious nucleus that is – or should be – the element that facilitates the channelling of social forces. More specifically, the focus is:

1. To analyse the influence of the theological arguments in the political legitimization and to establish the criteria for the adequacy or inadequacy in the political power and religion relationships. The key concept here is "political theology", analysed from both the theoretical-conceptual point of view and historical development from Late Antiquity to the Present Time. Through this analysis we try to challenge the so called "process of secularization".
2. To detect social transferences between religious and secular values.
3. To define the values that religion and rational ethic shares with an adequate concept of citizenship.

Candidate Requirements: Master.

Area of expertise: Political Philosophy, Sociology, Communication.

Objectives: We are looking for a PhD candidate working in sociological transferences between religious and secular values. The ideal candidate should possess the capacity to work in one of the specific areas mentioned above, to write two peer-reviewed articles per year, to simultaneously progress on a monograph, to share interdisciplinary training and abilities, and to actively participate and engage in the workshops and meetings of the research group.

How to apply: <http://www.unav.edu/en/web/instituto-cultura-y-sociedad/conocenos/oportunidades/envianos-tus-datos>



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Interested candidates should submit their *curriculum vitae*, plus a specific research proposal consisting of: research topic, methodology, objectives, work plan, expected results to Project Director Montserrat Herrero (PhD) mherrero@unav.es