



## INTERNSHIP OFFER - From 8 January 2018 to 7 July 2018 - Barcelona (Spain)

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The CPMR Intermediterranean Commission is looking for a highly motivated intern for a six-month placement in Barcelona.

- ✦ **Main functions:** Assist the work of the Executive Secretary of the Intermediterranean Commission.
- ✦ **Starting date & duration:** From 8 January 2018 to 7 July 2018 (approx.).
- ✦ **Location:** Via Laietana, 14 (Entr.) - 08003 Barcelona (Spain). At the premises of the Catalan Government.
- ✦ **Training bonus:** 500€ a month + tickets restaurant (under French law).
- ✦ **Working hours:** 35 hours a week - University training agreement compulsory.
- ✦ **Deadline for application:** 25<sup>th</sup> October 2017 - Interviews planned in November 2017.

The Conference of Peripheral and Maritime Regions of Europe (**CPMR** - [www.cpmr.org](http://www.cpmr.org)) brings together some 150 Regions from 28 States from the European Union and beyond. Representing almost 200 million people, the CPMR campaigns in favour of a more balanced development of the European territory. It operates both as a think tank and as a lobby and project platform for Regions. The CPMR is a unique organisation, being sub-divided into six Geographical Commissions, corresponding to the European maritime basins, such as the Baltic Sea, the North Sea, the Atlantic Arc, the **Mediterranean**, the Balkan and Black Sea and the islands.

The CPMR **Intermediterranean Commission** gathers 44 regions from 10 countries of both Mediterranean shores and works in particular on: territorial cooperation and emerging strategies in the Mediterranean, migration and neighbourhood policy, integrated maritime policy and transports, economic and social cohesion, youth policies, sustainable and culture tourism, water, energy and climate.

### Key tasks:

Provide support to the Executive Secretary of the Intermediterranean Commission by carrying out the following tasks:

- **Policy monitoring**, particularly in the following areas: Migration, Macro-Regions (e.g. EUSAIR), Sea Basin strategies & maritime initiatives (e.g. West Med), Territorial cooperation (e.g. Interreg and ENI CBC programs), Southern Neighbourhood and Enlargement, Euromed partnership and the Union for the Mediterranean, Development cooperation, Maritime Integrated Policy, Transports, Energy Efficiency, Climate Change and Water, Sustainable Tourism, Youth Policies, Social and Solidarity Economy, etc.
- Participation and **notes taking** for the CPMR Intermediterranean Commission in meetings (mainly Working groups or Statutory meetings) and other meetings: UfM, CoR/Arlem, EuroMed Institutes and Networks, EP, EC. Mainly in Barcelona, eventually in Brussels or Mediterranean regions).

- Specific support (ad hoc) to EU funded cooperation **projects** where the CPMR Intermediterranean Commission is involved as partner or associate: InnoBlueGrowth and PANACeA (Horizontal communication and capitalization projects funded by Interreg MED), Co-Evolve and Mitomed+ (Modular projects on Sustainable tourism funded by Interreg MED), Sherpa (Modular project on energy renovation in public buildings funded by Interreg MED), PLATFORMA, among others. The support activities could include a specific help on capitalization and monitoring activities connected to these projects but also the participation in the drawing up of new projects or pilots.
- Contribution to the follow-up of the main **partnerships** of the organization with the Union for the Mediterranean (e.g. on the Blue Economy agenda), Mediterranean networks and other external stakeholders.
- Support to Intermediterranean Commission **surveys** (questionnaires, interviews, data collection and systematization, calls to members etc.).
- **Logistic** support to the Executive Secretary and Presidency, notably help organising meetings, seminars and missions (including mailings and calls to members and partners).
- Support in the elaboration of the Intermediterranean Commission **activity reports**, including in particular the final report of the mandate 2016-2017.
- Support to the Intermediterranean Commission **Communication** activities (translations, communications, database uploads, news writing, presentations, as necessary) and development of communication tools (social network platforms, webs and newsletter updates etc.).
- Other *ad hoc* activities that might be identified during the internship (based on the needs of the organization and the skills and interest of the intern).

#### **Knowledge, experience, interests and skills:**

- Minimum requirement: **University degree in a relevant area** (European or Euro-Mediterranean affairs, political science, maritime issues, law or economy based careers etc.)
- Added value: **Post graduate or Master studies** (ongoing or already concluded) in European, International or Euromediterranean Relations/Studies, EU projects management, development or territorial cooperation, Communication, etc.
- Excellent knowledge of **English** (written and spoken), working proficiency of the following languages: **Spanish, French.**
- Added value: knowledge of Italian, Greek, Arabic, Portuguese or any other Mediterranean languages.
- Experience in project management, events organisation and/or community management
- High interest in maritime, EU and Euromed related policies
- Strong interpersonal/communication skills and positive team player
- Willingness to travel abroad

#### **How to apply:**

Please send your CV (no more than 2 pages) and a brief cover letter (1 page) **before 25 October-2017** to [davide.strangis@crpm.org](mailto:davide.strangis@crpm.org) with [catherine.petiau@crpm.org](mailto:catherine.petiau@crpm.org) & [elodie.nunes@crpm.org](mailto:elodie.nunes@crpm.org) in copy, with the subject: "Application - CPMR Intermediterranean Commission Internship".

We thank all applicants for their interest in this internship.

Please note: **only short-listed candidates will be contacted for the interviews.**