

**! SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL BY THE ACADEMIC BOARD OF MARCH 23<sup>th</sup>, 2026 !**

**FULL-TIME RESEARCH AND TEACHING ASSISTANT POSITION  
IN MULTILINGUAL COMMUNICATION**

**FACULTY LETTRES, TRADUCTION ET COMMUNICATION**

Reference: 2026/S051

Application deadline: 27/03/2026 12:00 PM

Start date: 01/10/2026

## Job Description

The duties of the position will be divided equally between teaching and research activities. The candidate will assist course lecturers with teaching tasks (supervising classes and exercise sessions, marking) and will pursue a doctoral thesis project.

The candidate will be responsible for supervising a series of courses on discourse analysis, communication, multilingualism and research methodologies in these fields. He or she will be required to provide educational support for several theoretical courses on communication research methods and approaches, particularly in discourse analysis and semiotics.

In addition to these supervisory duties, the candidate will also be required to participate in the assessment of examinations and assignments completed as part of these courses, as well as multilingual communication internships. Teaching duties will therefore relate to communication courses in general, including multilingual communication.

In addition, candidates are expected to conduct research for a doctoral thesis on a subject related to the themes of the Research Centre for Information and Communication (ReSIC), preferably in discourse analysis related to multiculturalism.

The application must therefore include a thesis proposal. This proposal must take the form of a four-page document presenting the research question, the problem statement, and the proposed methodology, following the FNRS template.

## Skills required

Holder of a Belgian Master's degree (or equivalent) with 120 credits, preferably in Information and Communication Sciences (communication or multilingual communication), and meeting the conditions for admission to doctoral studies.

## Required skills

The candidate must have an excellent knowledge of communication theories (marketing, digital, corporate, institutional). He or she must also demonstrate strong teaching skills for supervising

students, as well as for assessing their work, examinations and internship reports. The candidate must be fluent in French and English (preferably level C1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages).

The candidate must have excellent oral and written communication skills, a sense of initiative and autonomy, and the ability to manage groups and work in a team.

## Courses covered

- COMM-B470 - Multilingualism and Society
- COMM-B540 - Discourse Analysis
- COMM-B120 - Semiotic Approaches to Information and Communication
- COMM-B412 - Research Methods in Information and Communication
- STAG-B472, STAG-B473, STAG-B474 - Multilingual internships (internship interviews + correction of internship reports)
- COMM-B407 (journalism), COMM-B408 (communication) – Research project in information and communication
- COMMB406 – Training in multilingual communication research

This list of courses is provisional and may be revised each year in coordination with the chairs of the relevant departments.

A full-time assistant position (for a maximum of 6 years) is granted for an initial period of 2 years, which may be renewed for 2 further periods of 2 years after consultation with the relevant bodies. As the objective of the assistant position is to conduct and complete a doctoral thesis, tasks will be divided equally between teaching and research. These may be reviewed at regular intervals.

## Interested?

For more information, please contact Ms. Justine KEMLO (email: [justine.kemlo@ulb.be](mailto:justine.kemlo@ulb.be)), or from the department secretariat (email: [dep.sic.LTC@ulb.be](mailto:dep.sic.LTC@ulb.be)).

Your application will consist of a Curriculum Vitae (*if you wish, a standard CV can be downloaded from the website: <https://www.ulb.be/fr/documents-officiels/emplois-academiques-et-scientifiques-cv-type>*) and a document completed using the template available at this URL address <https://www.ulb.be/fr/documents-officiels/4e-applic-form-assistant-docx>.

This template structures your application by including the following elements:

- an application letter
- a note on the applicant's PhD research project (4 pages)
- two letters of reference

Incomplete applications or applications that do not use the template provided will not be examined by the selection committee.

## Where to go to apply?

Click here: <https://jobs.ulb.be/job-invite/1834/?isInternalUser=true>

For any connection problems or questions about our application, consult our FAQ : [e-recrut-mode-d-emploi-candidat-en- 1734942996246-pdf](#)

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