

# LEGAL TRAINEE (*Rechtsreferendar*\*)

We are continuously looking for **legal trainees** to support our work in GDPR enforcement. **Our focus is strategic litigation on privacy matters in the private sector.** A pan-European approach and cooperation with other organisations and groups are key parts of our work. Our work has a direct legal impact for data subjects, and we encourage novel and innovative approaches to privacy litigation. You can find out more about *noyb* [here](#). As a trainee, you will work closely with the rest of our legal team on the key tasks listed below.

We aim to integrate each trainee as a member of our team, share our expertise, and ensure trainees gain meaningful practical experience during their time with us.

**Please note that it is not possible for legal trainees to work remotely under applicable Austrian law. Relocation to Vienna and physical presence at the office are necessary.**

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## What we offer

- Projects that can change the legal landscape
- Self-determined working hours
- International environment: we are a diverse (e.g. age, geography, gender, languages, etc.) and truly pan-European team
- Open and friendly atmosphere in our office in Vienna (which has been rated as one of the most liveable cities world-wide)

## Key tasks

- Managing and writing for [GDPRhub.eu](#) (public wiki page on the GDPR)
- Writing for [GDPRtoday](#) (our newsletter)
- Factual investigations and legal research
- Basic legal advice for our members
- Preparing legal submissions
- Presentations
- Translations of documents, especially for our webpages
- Opportunity to research, manage and file your own GDPR complaint
- Legal support for the rest of the team in ongoing projects

## Key facts & benefits

- Free *noyb* membership
- Remuneration of approx. € 530/month
- Cost of basic housing in Vienna (shared apartment) up to € 500/month
- Financial support for your travels to Vienna
- Public transportation tickets for Vienna
- Working week approximately 40h/week (with flexibility regarding the total)
- Duration: 4-6 months
- Apply any time. **We are currently looking for Trainees starting from February 2021 onwards**

## Minimal requirements

- Strong interest in privacy law and data protection
- Law degree obtained at an EEA university
- Robust understanding of the GDPR and EU law
- Excellent command of legal English (English being our working language);
- Excellent command of at least one official EEA language besides English (B2/C1 or higher – ability to write/read legal texts)
- additional EEA languages are desirable
- Hands-on-mentality
- Ability to self-manage and work in an international team with flat hierarchies
- No conflict of interest

## Your application should contain

- Curriculum vitae
- A *short* cover letter stating why you would like to work with us (i.e. 400 words)
- Samples of existing work (e.g. publications, seminar papers, work for relevant courses, excerpts from your thesis)
- Your availability and possible requirements

Please send all application documents and questions to Marco Blocher ([mb@noyb.eu](mailto:mb@noyb.eu))

**Any questions? Feel free to ask!**

\* Concerns German applicants only: Für deutsche Rechtsreferendare besteht die Möglichkeit der Anerkennung der Wahlstation. Die Ausbildung erfolgt durch einen deutschen Volljuristen.