

Funding the Net-Zero Transition: Corporate Venture Capital as a Strategic Tool for Environmental Performance

Institution and Supervision

The selected Ph.D. student will be part of the Finance group in UPEC and will work directly with Professors Emmanuelle Dubocage and Fatima Shuwaikh.

Research Topic

The proposal focuses on green corporate venture capital in addressing global environmental issues. The thesis seeks to analyze the dynamics and mechanisms of corporate venture capital funds and their potential to accelerate the global energy transition and meet climate policy targets.

Research Funding

The candidate may apply for funding request through UPEC “The acceptance is conditional by IRG and OMI” or have funding from other institutional sources.

Calendar

Submission of applications until June 15, 2022. Applications will be evaluated until the completion of the recruitment. The project is expected to start in September 2022.

Required Profile

Application is open for holders, or are in the process of completing, of a Master 2 diploma (or equivalent). The candidate must preferably have a relevant diploma in the fields of Management Sciences, Economics, or Energy with a focus on issues tackling venture capital, green innovation, sustainable finance, corporate social responsibility.

Knowledge of quantitative and qualitative methods, e.g., STATA, R, Python.

Previous experience in academic research would be considered as an advantage.

Professional experience in Finance with climate change impact (green funds, GHG (Greenhouse Gas) emissions, green venture capital, etc.) is appreciated.

Demonstrated ability of professional oral communication and academic writing skills in English.

Applications are accepted by all candidates, regardless of gender, age, and nationality.

Documents to be Submitted

Interested candidates must send their applications to Emmanuelle Dubocage (emmanuelle.dubocage@u-pec.fr) and Fatima Shuwaikh (fatima.shuwaikh@u-pec.fr), including the following documents following documents:

- Up-to-date CV.
- Cover Letter.
- Academic record for the 1st and 2nd years of the master's degree.

- Master thesis.

- Recommendation letter from the director of the Master program and/or thesis supervisor.

The email should be sent with the following subject: Ph.D. application IRG/UPEC 2022 – Candidate Name.

Note that the applications will be examined until the fulfillment of the position, at the latest by August 31st, 2022.

Best of Luck,

Emmanuelle and Fatima