
Centre d'études français sur la Chine contemporaine
French Centre for Research on Contemporary China

The French Centre for Research on Contemporary China (CEFC) is a public research centre with a regional remit (Mainland China, Hong Kong, Taiwan,) supported by the French ministry of Foreign Affairs and the CNRS (National Centre for Scientific Research).

Within the framework of the CEFC's activities, the researcher will have three main tasks:

- Conduct and coordinate a personal research programme on the contemporary Chinese world, in connection with academic institutions in the People's Republic of China and Hong Kong, as well as with French research institutions.
- Contribute to the integration of the CEFC with regional and international scientific networks by collaborating with local institutions; write proposals for collaborative projects, seek external funding (ANR, European or Hong Kong's RGC programmes...) and organise seminars and academics events, in particular in China and Hong Kong.
- Take part in the scientific activities of the CEFC: identifying the main trends in modern China studies, editorial work as Deputy Editor on the journals *Perspectives chinoises* and *China Perspectives* (preparation of a special feature, coordination of the Book Reviews section), and collaborate with the French diplomatic and cultural cooperation network.

Applicants should be confirmed academics, holding a Ph.D. in the social sciences or humanities, with a strong research track record, and demonstrating a good understanding of international research networks in the specialised field of contemporary China. An excellent level of Mandarin and English is expected, both in speaking and writing. The candidate should be used to teamwork in an academic setting, and have some experience of applying for research grants.

The position is open to EU citizens and requires holding a Ph.D.; it will be offered in priority to:

- French academics or researchers holding a position in a French institution.
- French academics or researchers holding a position in a EU member state institution.
- Academics or researchers from the European Union, holding a position in a EU member state institution.