

Student Assistant Position Ecosystem Services and Climate Change in Mountain Viticulture (1 year, start September 2025)

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The interdisciplinary research group of the Professorship of Ecological Services (PES), University of Bayreuth, is seeking a dedicated individual to join its team for the European funded project "[RESPOnD - Climate resilient Alpine Wine Orchards](#)" ([Interreg Alpine Space Programme](#)).



Responsibilities:

The position involves modeling ecosystem services and climate change impact indicators, and contributing to the development of knowledge for adaptive change pathways and resilience strategies in alpine viticulture. The role also includes organizing workshops with stakeholders (e.g., wine growers and consortia) in one of the project's pilot regions, namely Franconia, and attending project meetings across countries in the Alpine Space.

Details:

- Start date: September 1, 2025
- Duration: 1 year
- Working time: Max 60 hours per month, but negotiable

Prerequisites:

- Enrollment in a university program leading to a first or advanced professionally qualifying degree
- Demonstrated knowledge of ecosystem services and the impacts of climate change on agriculture (e.g., through successful completion of relevant university courses)
- Proficiency in Geographic Information Systems (GIS) or the R programming language
- Excellent English and German language skills (German is required for stakeholder involvement)

Applicants should send in one pdf a short motivation letter and curriculum vitae to sebastian.candiago@uni-bayreuth.de (**Dr. Sebastian Candiago, Faculty of Biology, Chemistry and Geosciences, University of Bayreuth, 95440 Bayreuth, Germany**).

Open for applications until July 20, 2025, or until position filled.