

LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE (L&C) UNIT

The mission of the L&C Unit is to work with colleagues and stakeholders to achieve the EBA's objectives in a legal and ethical way and ensure understanding and consistent application of the regulatory framework.

The Legal and Compliance Unit provides legal support and input across the full range of the EBA's activities, in particular:

- Giving legal advice on banking, payments and crypto assets regulation and supervision as well as other financial services topics within the EBA's scope. This includes, for example, advising on legislative requirements, drafting technical standards and guidelines, contributing to Q&As
- Carrying out supervisory convergence work, such as conducting peer reviews of supervisors, investigating potential breaches of Union law, resolving disagreements between competent authorities, monitoring and fostering supervisory independence.
- Giving legal advice on institutional affairs including the EBA's governance, access to documents, Staff Regulations, host State relations, procurement
- Developing and monitoring our ethics, data protection and risk management frameworks.

Assignment: the selected trainee(s) will assist in providing technical support to the L&C unit in one or more of the following areas:

- Carrying out research on legal issues concerning any of the EBA's fields of competence;
- Investigation of complaints, including potential breaches of Union law;
- Supporting peer reviews of, and mediations between, competent authorities;
- Carrying out legal review of the EBA's Q&As;
- Review of the EBA regulatory/supervisory products;
- Provision of legal assistance in other EU financial services law and institutional law matters.

Assessment profile:

- University degree in Law.
- Strong analytical and research skills.
- Working experience of using the MS package: Word, PowerPoint, Excel and Outlook.
- Experience in multicultural environments, through previous work placements or study abroad.