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**Subject:** PhD Scholarship on Sustainable Transport Policies

Dear all:

We have an open position for a PhD student, to work on sustainable transport policies, and I wonder whether you may know of some suitable candidate. Please feel free to forward it to whoever you consider appropriate.

Thanks in advance,  
Pedro

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**Description**

The BP Chair on Sustainable Development and the Institute for Technology Research (IIT) at Comillas Pontifical University in Madrid, Spain, offer one scholarship for PhD candidates to carry out research on the **Modeling and Assessment of Sustainable Transport Policies**, to start in Fall 2008.

The objective of this research project is to identify appropriate policies for making transport activities more sustainable, and assess their effectiveness, efficiency and environmental performance. This will require the building of an economy-energy-environment model that will be able to represent the changes in transport activities induced by the different policies, and their consequences on the economy and the environment. Based on this assessment, the research shall be able to provide recommendations on the best policy alternatives for a more sustainable transport.

Applications are accepted until the place is filled. We look for a M.S in Engineering or Economics, with an outstanding academic record, very good English level, and willing to work in our team with a high motivation. We will consider knowledge of economic analysis, optimization, and energy systems. The scholarship pays 22,500€/yr for the first two years (increases in the following years), plus 90% tuition and other benefits. Interested students should file their application at <http://www.iit.upcomillas.es/becas>.