

Entrepreneurship Project Coordinator (parental leave cover)

for the European Lighthouse of AI for Sustainability (ELIAS)

(*m/f/d*, E13 TV-L, 100%, fixed-term from October 15th, 2025, to February 28th 2027)

The <u>Tübingen Al Center</u>—a leading national hub for artificial intelligence research at the University of Tübingen—is inviting applications for a Parental Leave Cover position as Entrepreneurship Project Coordinator for the EU-funded ELIAS project (European Lighthouse of Al for Sustainability).

About ELIAS:



Funded by the European Union's **Horizon Europe** program, ELIAS aims to place Europe at the forefront of **Al-driven sustainable innovation**. Building on the success of the <u>ELLIS Society</u> (European Laboratory for Learning and Intelligent Systems), the project focuses on promoting entrepreneurship, tech transfer, and sustainable development in the Al space.

A key initiative led by the Tübingen AI Center is the <u>ELIAS Alliance</u>—a growing network of top-tier innovation partners working together to foster entrepreneurial talent and scalable, sustainable AI solutions

Your Responsibilities:

- Set up and coordinate the **ELIAS Alliance**, managing collaboration with ~20 leading partners in deep tech AI, sustainability, and open-source ecosystems
- Oversee a work package of the ELIAS project, including administrative and financial tasks
- Support and monitor activities such as:
 - A summer school for transformative technologies
 - o Mentoring and visibility programs for tech transfer
 - A startup internship program
 - Hackathons and open calls for SMEs
- Prepare project reports and maintain relevant statistics
- Represent the EIA in meetings and act as a liaison for partners, sponsors, and the public
- Organize conferences, workshops, and project meetings
- Handle public communications (e.g., website, social media, policy briefs)



Your Profile:

- Advanced university degree (MSc or PhD)
- Strong English communication skills, German is a plus
- Ideally, you bring experience in several of the following areas:
 - o Building and managing professional networks
 - Technology transfer and spin-off support
 - o Identifying and engaging high-potential innovation partners
 - Creating content for public communication (e.g., websites, newsletters)
 - o Managing third-party funded research projects
 - o EU project management and reporting
 - Excellent organizational and interpersonal skills

What We Offer:

- A dynamic role within an international and interdisciplinary environment
- The opportunity to contribute to "**AI made in Europe**" and shape sustainable innovation
- Close collaboration with academic researchers, entrepreneurs, and innovation leaders
- Salary according to the public sector collective agreement (TV-L E13, 100%), plus social benefits and public transport subsidy
- Optional co-appointments with incubators or industry stakeholders may be supported

The University of Tübingen is committed to **equal opportunity and diversity**. Applications from candidates with disabilities will be given preference if equally qualified. The position can be shared.

How to Apply:

Please send your application (cover letter, CV, and relevant certificates) in **a single PDF document** by **06.08.2025** to **applications@tuebingen.ai**

We look forward to hearing from you!