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Online Job Offerings across France Dip Slightly in June, as Employers Scale-back Hiring in Summer Season

June 2009 Index Highlights:

- The Monster Employment Index France dipped slightly in June, losing one percent and showing a slight moderation after a seasonal hiring period between January and April 2009. Annually, the Index dropped 40 percent, the steepest annual decline on record
- Online worker demand reduced the most in the environment, architecture and urbanism and arts, entertainment, sports and leisure sectors. There was strong demand in the hospitality and tourism sector, but not enough to offset the broader decline in online recruitment

Summary Overview

Online job offerings across France fell back to early-2009 levels, suggesting that whilst some sectors saw elevated seasonal recruitment activity during the first half of the year, the French employment market continues to contract on a longer-term basis. Countries across Europe have been cutting back on recruiting, exemplified by the 1.9 million reported job losses in the first quarter of 2009, according to data from Eurostat. The French market is no exception, with online job offerings falling at their strongest annual decline rate to-date.

The Monster Employment Index Europe is a monthly analysis of millions of online job opportunities culled from a large, representative selection of corporate career sites and job boards across the European Union, including Monster.

Monster Employment Index France findings the past 13 months are as follows:

| Jun 09 | May 09 | Apr 09 | Mar 09 | Feb 09 | Jan 09 | Dec 08 | Nov 08 | Oct 08 | Sep 08 | Aug 08 | Jul 08 | Jun 08 |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 102 | 103 | 117 | 111 | 110 | 102 | 127 | 143 | 158 | 155 | 160 | 169 | 171 |

“Despite a spike in demand for hospitality and tourism sector, the overall decline in the market continued, suggesting that businesses are slowing down recruitment following the seasonal rises in March and April,” commented Bruno Brémond, vice president of Monster France and Southern Europe. “On a long term basis, only the public sector has demonstrated stability in worker demand.”

Sharp fall in online recruitment activity for environment, architecture and urbanism

Strong seasonal recruitment activity led to a jump of eight points (10 percent) in the hospitality and tourism sector. The increase mirrored trends seen in June 2008, suggesting French businesses recruit in June for the busy summer months.

Arts, entertainment, sports and leisure dropped 15 points (10 percent) as part of the seasonal correction activity seen across France. Despite the steep drop in June, the year-on-year decline was minimal, with offerings down three points (two percent). Offerings in the legal sector dipped six points (seven percent) and were at their lowest reading since the inception of the Index.

Online job offerings for the environment, architecture and urbanism sector slumped 16 points (14 percent) in June, leaving the sector at its lowest level since January 2007. Despite this, the annual decline of 39 points (28 percent) was better than the national average.

On an annual basis, the public, defence and community sector was the only sector to report a slight uptick in online job offerings climbing one point (one percent).

Craft and related workers see sharp monthly decline; elementary occupations exhibit steep annual decline

The overall decline in French trade and business confidence led to a decline for skilled trade workers and manual support staff. Online recruitment activity for craft and related workers slumped 11 points (four percent) in June and is now at its lowest level since January 2009. Year-on-year opportunities fell 39 points (14 percent).

Elementary occupations dipped one point (two percent) and marked the sharpest annual decline of all occupational groups dropping 114 points (65 percent) compared to June 2008.

Some seasonal recruitment activity did continue in June, which led to skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers opportunities bouncing back jumping 11 points (19 percent). The group is now at its highest level since November 2008. The demand was a result of significantly increased activity in the farming sector.

Seasonal hiring in the hospitality and tourism sector fuelled a seven point (eight percent) jump for service and sales workers in June.

Online job offerings remain down in all regions compared to June 2008

The global economic crisis has affected recruitment levels across France as a whole, with opportunities declining in all French regions year-on-year. Opportunities in Ile de France declined three points (four percent) in June as a result of weaker demand in IT. Year-on-year the region slumped 82 points (53 percent), its lowest level since January 2009.

Online recruitment activity in the Mediterranean region increased two points (two percent) following a large decline in May. The region was boosted by strong seasonal

recruitment activity in the hospitality and tourism sector. Despite the seasonal gain the region remained down 18 points (17 percent) year-on-year in line with the broader trend across France.

Best Performing Sectors

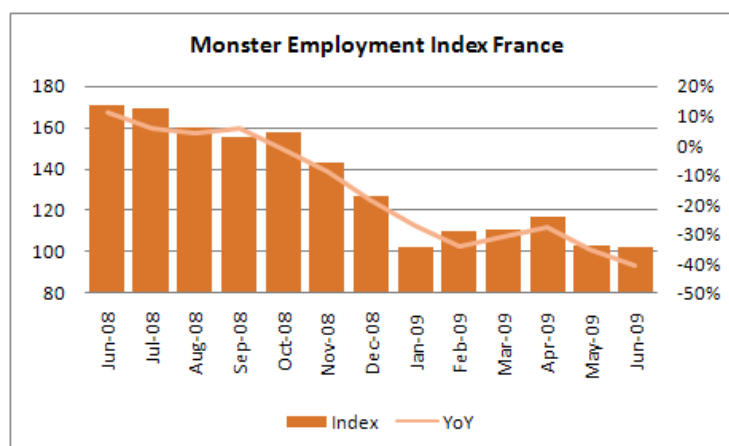
Industry sectors showing the best performance included:

Month-on-month

| Industry | Jun 09 | May 09 | % |
|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|-----|
| Hospitality and tourism | 87 | 79 | 10% |
| Real estate | 196 | 180 | 9% |
| Public sector, defence, community | 155 | 145 | 7% |
| Education, training and library | 80 | 76 | 5% |
| Accounting, audit, taxes | 132 | 128 | 3% |

Year-on-year

| Industry | Jun 09 | Jun 08 | % |
|--------------------------------------|--------|--------|------|
| Public sector, defence, community | 139 | 138 | 1% |
| Real estate | 196 | 200 | -2% |
| Arts, entertainment, sports, leisure | 135 | 138 | -2% |
| Banking, finance, insurance | 73 | 83 | -12% |
| Education, training and library | 80 | 91 | -12% |



Monster Employment Index France findings across industry sectors for the past 13 months are as follows:

| Industry | Jun 09 | May 09 | Apr 09 | Mar 09 | Feb 09 | Jan 09 | Dec 08 | Nov 08 | Oct 08 | Sep 08 | Aug 08 | Jul 08 | Jun 08 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Accounting, audit, taxes | 132 | 128 | 143 | 144 | 149 | 131 | 151 | 172 | 175 | 177 | 180 | 197 | 209 |
| Administrative, organisation | 94 | 95 | 106 | 102 | 109 | 101 | 116 | 120 | 125 | 119 | 128 | 124 | 126 |
| Arts, entertainment, sport and leisure | 135 | 150 | 163 | 156 | 154 | 152 | 150 | 148 | 149 | 151 | 152 | 151 | 138 |
| Banking, finance, insurance | 73 | 75 | 83 | 75 | 79 | 71 | 80 | 83 | 90 | 88 | 94 | 88 | 83 |
| Construction and extraction | 151 | 152 | 157 | 147 | 137 | 128 | 157 | 175 | 184 | 188 | 198 | 179 | 182 |
| Education, training and library | 80 | 76 | 88 | 83 | 83 | 82 | 85 | 87 | 90 | 87 | 88 | 91 | 91 |
| Engineering | 105 | 107 | 109 | 108 | 97 | 92 | 134 | 171 | 191 | 198 | 196 | 172 | 179 |
| Environment, architecture, urbanism | 99 | 115 | 118 | 122 | 111 | 116 | 116 | 128 | 140 | 127 | 130 | 134 | 138 |
| Healthcare, social work | 150 | 153 | 168 | 150 | 121 | 120 | 125 | 133 | 179 | 145 | 155 | 157 | 172 |
| Hospitality and tourism | 87 | 79 | 88 | 77 | 71 | 73 | 91 | 89 | 123 | 153 | 182 | 220 | 177 |
| HR | 101 | 98 | 105 | 111 | 115 | 106 | 123 | 139 | 155 | 146 | 152 | 164 | 177 |
| IT | 81 | 84 | 100 | 98 | 100 | 99 | 115 | 120 | 126 | 122 | 125 | 126 | 126 |
| Legal | 82 | 88 | 95 | 98 | 99 | 86 | 113 | 112 | 115 | 106 | 115 | 102 | 101 |
| Management and consulting | 100 | 99 | 112 | 108 | 113 | 115 | 148 | 164 | 177 | 161 | 165 | 183 | 174 |
| Marketing, PR and media | 77 | 80 | 99 | 97 | 97 | 90 | 96 | 99 | 104 | 97 | 101 | 106 | 104 |
| Production, manufacturing, maintenance, repair | 117 | 118 | 135 | 136 | 133 | 125 | 137 | 148 | 158 | 153 | 164 | 167 | 184 |
| Public sector, defence, community | 139 | 145 | 168 | 150 | 130 | 127 | 139 | 157 | 151 | 154 | 159 | 145 | 138 |
| Real estate | 196 | 180 | 186 | 177 | 176 | 165 | 170 | 177 | 178 | 177 | 184 | 200 | 200 |
| Research and development | 125 | 129 | 144 | 140 | 148 | 138 | 166 | 185 | 202 | 180 | 188 | 196 | 193 |
| Sales | 114 | 113 | 121 | 115 | 122 | 104 | 132 | 150 | 173 | 152 | 151 | 174 | 179 |
| Transport, post and logistics | 76 | 74 | 77 | 83 | 86 | 80 | 103 | 112 | 130 | 162 | 180 | 189 | 194 |

Monster Employment Index France findings across occupational categories for the past 13 months are as follows:

| Occupation | Jun 09 | May 09 | Apr 09 | Mar 09 | Feb 09 | Jan 09 | Dec 08 | Nov 08 | Oct 08 | Sep 08 | Aug 08 | Jul 08 | Jun 08 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Managers | 103 | 104 | 121 | 110 | 121 | 99 | 129 | 152 | 176 | 140 | 148 | 166 | 164 |
| Professionals | 120 | 123 | 139 | 131 | 125 | 119 | 149 | 167 | 181 | 173 | 180 | 174 | 175 |
| Technicians and associate professionals | 118 | 119 | 130 | 127 | 130 | 121 | 141 | 152 | 166 | 153 | 153 | 165 | 167 |
| Clerical support workers | 64 | 63 | 63 | 70 | 79 | 69 | 91 | 104 | 114 | 119 | 133 | 127 | 136 |
| Service and sales workers | 92 | 85 | 95 | 85 | 73 | 69 | 69 | 71 | 82 | 102 | 126 | 164 | 124 |
| Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers | 70 | 59 | 69 | 69 | 68 | 64 | 68 | 71 | 73 | 74 | 76 | 93 | 95 |
| Craft and related workers | 236 | 247 | 280 | 272 | 256 | 220 | 213 | 234 | 251 | 260 | 279 | 272 | 275 |
| Plant and machine operators, and assemblers | 151 | 147 | 167 | 165 | 152 | 141 | 149 | 162 | 174 | 191 | 214 | 182 | 201 |
| Elementary occupations | 61 | 62 | 71 | 76 | 83 | 87 | 121 | 127 | 149 | 115 | 121 | 148 | 175 |

Monster Employment Index France findings across Swedish regions for the past 13 months are as follows:

| Region | Jun 09 | May 09 | Apr 09 | Mar 09 | Feb 09 | Jan 09 | Dec 08 | Nov 08 | Oct 08 | Sep 08 | Aug 08 | Jul 08 | Jun 08 |
|---------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Ile de France | 72 | 75 | 87 | 82 | 81 | 67 | 100 | 122 | 139 | 133 | 135 | 156 | 154 |
| East | 83 | 82 | 94 | 93 | 93 | 91 | 96 | 100 | 105 | 103 | 106 | 106 | 108 |
| North | 108 | 106 | 119 | 118 | 117 | 113 | 124 | 130 | 135 | 133 | 140 | 139 | 143 |
| West | 96 | 96 | 102 | 99 | 99 | 96 | 104 | 110 | 116 | 113 | 118 | 118 | 121 |
| South-West | 75 | 76 | 87 | 82 | 82 | 81 | 87 | 89 | 93 | 92 | 96 | 101 | 95 |
| Rhone Alpes | 90 | 89 | 103 | 100 | 101 | 96 | 111 | 121 | 130 | 124 | 128 | 135 | 136 |
| Mediterranean | 88 | 86 | 97 | 94 | 93 | 90 | 97 | 100 | 104 | 102 | 105 | 106 | 106 |

Monster Employment Index data for July will be released on August 14, 2009.

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The Monster Employment Index Europe provides monthly insight into online recruitment trends across the European Union. Launched in June 2005 with data from December 2004, the Index is based on a review of millions of employer job opportunities culled from a large, representative selection of corporate career sites and job boards, including Monster. The Monster Employment Index's underlying data is validated for accuracy by Research America, Inc. – an independent, third-party auditing firm – to ensure that measured online job recruitment activity is within a margin of error of +/- 1.05%.

The Index monitors online job opportunities across all European Union member countries.

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