OPENING for
One "Stavros Niarchos Foundation - FORTH Fellowship" for a Ph.D. candidate
within the project

ARCHERS: Advancing Young Researchers’ Human Capital in Cutting Edge Technologies in the Preservation of Cultural Heritage and the Tackling of Societal Challenges

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The Institute of Chemical Engineering Sciences (ICE/HT) of the Foundation for research and Technology Hellas (FORTH), in the framework of the project ARCHERS, aimed at reducing or even reversing the brain drain, which is funded by an exclusive donation of the Stavros Niarchos Foundation, is seeking to recruit one Ph.D. candidate.

Title: Development of an integrated system for the isolation of organic compounds with high added value, from agro-industrial wastewater.

Description: 
The main part of work in proposed thesis is the development of new integrated and techno-economic documented processes for the isolation of high added value substances from different types of agro-industrial wastes using physicochemical methods such as membrane filtration, extraction with various solvents, adsorption and desorption onto specific resins, vacuum evaporation, etc. Apart from the extensive parametric study in the laboratory scale, an industrial design of such processes will be performed with design programs (process flow
diagrams) together with a detailed investigation of the life cycle analysis of such processes (LCA).

**Eligibility Criteria**

- Diploma in Chemical Engineering
- Master in Science of Engineering
- Good knowledge of Greek and English language

**Criteria for Selection**

- Master in Chemical or Environmental Engineering (25 %)
- Experience in physicochemical separation processes (25 %)
- Experience in treatment of solid wastes and/or wastewaters (25%)
- Experience in analytical instrumentation and methodology development (15%)
- Ability for the dissemination of the results and future prospects (10%)

**Location:** ICE/HT-FORTH, Patras, GREECE  
**Start Date:** 1st of April, 2017  
**Duration of appointment:** 12 months (with possibility of extension according to the needs of the project).

**Application Submission**

Interested candidates who meet the aforementioned requirements are kindly asked to submit their applications, no later than the **February 28, 2017, 23:59 local time (Greece)** to the address **kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr**.

**In order to be considered, the application must include:**

- Filled-in Application Form (attached)
- Detailed curriculum vitae (CV) of the candidate
- Copies of academic titles/transcripts
- At least one reference letter

**Any application received after the deadline will not be considered for the selection**


**Contact**
For information and questions regarding the application and selection procedure, candidates are asked to contact Ms. Kleanthi Zacharopoulou (kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr, Tel. +30 2610 965 278).

**Selection Announcement**
The result of the selection will be announced on the website of ICE/HT-FORTH.

Candidates have the right to appeal the selection decision, by addressing their written objection to the ICE/HT secretariat within five (5) days after the result announcement on the web. They also have the right to access (a) the files of the candidates as well as (b) the table of candidates’ scores (ranking of candidates results). All the above information related to the selection procedure will be available at the secretariat of ICE/HT-FORTH in line with the Hellenic Data Protection Authority.
APPLICATION FORM FOR Ph.D. CANDIDATE FELLOWSHIP

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Hereby I submit my application as a candidate for a Ph.D. fellowship:

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in the framework of the project ARCHERS, carried out by the Foundation for Research and Technology Hellas (FORTH), and funded by the Stavros Niarchos Foundation.

I certify that:

A) I accept the terms and conditions of the job announcement
B) I possess all the necessary certificates and documents and I can present them in their original form without any delay if I am asked to do so

DATE & SIGNATURE