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### Invitation for Expression of Interest:

- 1. Chemist or Chemical Engineer** "Study of the emissions (gases, metals, aerosol and particulate matter) of conventional cigarettes"
- 2. Chemist or Chemical Engineer** "Study of the emissions (gases, metals, aerosol and particulate matter) of heated tobacco products"
- 3. Chemist or Chemical Engineer** "Study of the emissions (gases, metals, aerosol and particulate matter) of electronic cigarettes"

The Institute of Chemical Engineering Sciences, Foundation of Research and Technology - Hellas, (FORTH/ICE-HT) is seeking applicants for three positions of chemists or chemical engineers in the context of the research project "Research Project on a bibliographic synthesis of chemicals in the emissions of tobacco and related products, EMIBIB", which is implemented under the ICE-HT – ANSES cooperation, contract no 2019-CRD-16.

### Job Description

The collaborators will perform:

- a bibliometric analysis of the scientific works of tobacco products (conventional cigarettes/electronic cigarettes/heated tobacco products) and their emissions using international scientific databases, such as Scopus and PubMed,
- a bibliographic search using international scientific databases, such as Scopus and PubMed, about the emissions of tobacco products (conventional cigarettes/electronic cigarettes/heated tobacco products) using the PRISMA method,
- the synthesis of the above results in specific datasheets,
- an analysis of the correlations between the pollutants emitted and the characteristics of the tobacco products (conventional cigarettes/electronic cigarettes/heated tobacco products).

Specifically for Position 1: The above for conventional cigarettes.

Specifically for Position 2: The above for heated tobacco products.

Specifically for Position 3: The above for electronic cigarette.

**Location:** FORTH/ICE-HT, Patras, Greece

**Duration:** up to 31.12.2020

### Remuneration:

- 1. Chemist or Chemical Engineer:** 13.200 Euros (for the total duration of the project, up to 31.12.2020. Total cost of the employer, including social security and taxes)
- 2. Chemist or Chemical Engineer:** 6.600 Euros (for the total duration of the project, up to 31.12.2020. Total cost of the employer, including social security and taxes)
- 3. Chemist or Chemical Engineer:** 6.600 Euros (for the total duration of the project, up to 31.12.2020. Total cost of the employer, including social security and taxes)

**Envisaged starting date:** 1/5/2020

### Requirements and Qualifications

The candidates for the first position, one chemist or chemical engineer, are required to hold a MSc. in Environmental Sciences.

The candidates for the second position, one chemist or chemical engineer, are required to hold a MSc. in Environmental Sciences.

The candidates for the third position, one chemist or chemical engineer, are required to hold a diploma in Chemistry or Chemical Engineering.

All candidates must be fluent in both Greek and English; French is desired but not required.

All candidates and immediate family members must not have any kind of relationship with the tobacco industry. The candidates must sign a specific declaration of interests (see annex).

The evaluation of the candidacies will be based on the following criteria and qualifications:

Qualifications	Weight	Evaluation criteria
Publications	30	Quality and number of related publications in refereed journals and conference proceedings, in fields related to tobacco products, mainly to emissions
Knowledge of the English language	20	Certificates
Interview	50	Organizational & communication skills, cooperativeness, etc

### Application Submission

Interested candidates who meet the aforementioned requirements should submit their applications, no later than 1/4/2020, 23:59, by email to Kleanthi Zacharopoulou: [kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr](mailto:kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr).

In order to be considered, the application must include:

- Application letter
- CV
- Scanned copies of academic titles
- Statement of research interests

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

### Selection Procedure

Applications that are received on time will be evaluated by a scientific committee using the criteria mentioned above.

The outcome of the selection will be announced on the website of FORTH/ICE-HT as well as on the website of "DIAVGEIA".

### Contact

For information and questions regarding the application and selection procedure, candidates are asked to contact the FORTH/ICE-HT Research Secretariat, e-mail: [kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr](mailto:kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr), tel.: +30 2610 965278.

For information and questions about the advertised position and the research activity of the group or the Institute, candidates are asked to contact Professor Efthimios Zervas, tel: +30 2610 367 566, e-mail: [zervas@eap.gr](mailto:zervas@eap.gr).

**General Protection Data Regulation**

FORTH is compliant with all legal procedures for the processing of personal data as defined by the Regulation EU/2016/679 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data.

FORTH processes the personal data and relevant supporting documents that you have submitted to us. Processing of that data is carried out exclusively for the needs and purposes of this specific call. Such data shall not be transmitted to or communicated to any third party unless required by law.

FORTH retains the above data up to the announcement of the final results of the call, unless further process and reservation is required by law or for purposes of exercise, enforcement, prosecution of certain one's legitimate legal rights' as defined in the Regulation EU/2016/679 and/or in national law.

We inform you that under the Regulation EU/2016/679 you have the rights to be informed about your personal data, access to, rectification and erasure, restrictions of process and objection to as provided by applicable regulation and national laws.

We acknowledge also to you, that you have the right to file a complaint to the national Data Protection Authority. For any further information regarding exercise of your personal data protection rights, you may contact the Data Protection Officer at FORTH at [dpo@admin.forth.gr](mailto:dpo@admin.forth.gr). You have the right to withdraw your application and consent for the processing of your personal data at any time. We inform you that, in this case, FORTH shall destroy such documents and/or supporting documents submitted and shall delete the related personal data.

For FORTH/ICE-HT,

Vasilis Burganos  
Director

ANNEX

**DECLARATION OF INTEREST (DOI)\***

Please answer each of the questions below. If the answer to any of the question is “yes”, please briefly describe the relevant interest and circumstances as appropriate.

Failure to describe relevant interests makes your DOI incomplete and, therefore attracts exclusion from being involved in the project.

Please sign with ink the last page of this document and initialing each page.

“Tobacco industry” refers to manufacturers and importers/exporters of tobacco products (conventional cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, heated tobacco products, novel tobacco products, herb products, etc.) and is applied to both devices/parts/accessories and consumables (tobacco, e-liquids, etc.).

**1. Employment consultancy and legal representation**

Within the past five years, were you employed or have had any other professional relationship with company(ies) within the Tobacco industry or held any remunerated post in a legal entity or other body with an interest in favor of profit for companies in the Tobacco Industry?

If yes, please cite.

YES	
NO	

**2. Membership of Managing Body, Scientific and Advisory Body or Equivalent Structure.**

Within the past five years, have you participated in the internal decision-making of a legal entity or other body with an interest to favor profits for a company or group of companies in the Tobacco Industry, or have you participated in the works of a scientific Advisory Body with voting rights on the outputs of any company within the Tobacco Industry?

If yes, please cite.

YES	
NO	

**3. Research Support**

Within the past five years, have you or the research entity which you belong or affiliated to, received any support from a company or companies with an interest in the Tobacco Industry?

If yes, please cite.

<b>YES</b>	
<b>NO</b>	

#### 4. Financial Interest

Do you have current investments in a company(ies) with an interest in in Tobacco Industry, including holding of stocks and shares, and which amounts to more than 1,000 EUR per company or entitling you to a voting right of 1% or more in such company.

If yes, please cite.

<b>YES</b>	
<b>NO</b>	

#### 5. Intellectual Property

Do you have any intellectual property rights related to the Tobacco Industry that might be affected by the outcome of the work carried out by this project?

If yes, please cite.

<b>YES</b>	
<b>NO</b>	

#### 6. Public Statement and Position

Within the past five years, have you provided an expert opinion or testimony capable or represented interests or defended an opinion capable of promoting the activities of the Tobacco Industry either for a fee or free that you deem would compromise your objectivity to partake in this project?

If yes, please cite.

<b>YES</b>	
<b>NO</b>	

**7. Interests of other family members**

To your knowledge are there any interests of your immediate family members which could be seen as undermining your independence in the tasks of this project?

If yes, please cite.

<b>YES</b>	
<b>NO</b>	

**8. Other Relevant Information**

Are there any other elements that could be seen as undermining your independence when providing service and executing your task in this project?

If yes, please cite.

<b>YES</b>	
<b>NO</b>	

<b>NAME</b>	
<b>DATE</b>	
<b>SIGNATURE</b>	

\* This declaration is a result of the application of WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (introduction and article 5.3). Scientist in Charge: E. Zervas