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### Invitation for Expression of Interest:

**Postdoctoral Research Assignment** "Synthesis and characterization of Graphene-Related Materials through eco-friendly processes"

The Institute of Chemical Engineering Sciences, Foundation of Research and Technology - Hellas, (FORTH/ICE-HT) is seeking applicants for one postdoctoral research assignment in the context of the research project "GREEn ENdeavor in Art ResToration», Grant Agreement number: 101060941 — GREENART, which is implemented under the European Research Executive Agency – Horizon 2021 - 2027.

### Job Description

To conduct research, under a work or a fixed-term employment contract, in the framework of the aforementioned project "GREENART". The main objective of GREENART is the synthesis of Graphene-Related Materials through eco-friendly processes and exploitation of them to produce green protective coatings and the characterisation and evaluation of the protective effect of the synthesised coatings.

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

**Duration:** up to 8 months with the potential of renewal or extension according to the needs of the project

**Salary:** up to approximately 3000 € per month depending on qualifications (total cost of the employer, including social security and taxes)

**Envisaged starting date:** 1/2/2025

### Requirements and Qualifications

BSc in materials science or related field and MSc in Chemical Engineering & PhD studies in Physics, with these relevant to the subject of the current Assignment. Candidates must be fluent in Greek and English (at least B2 level), in order to meet working conditions. The appropriate candidate should have experience in the preparation of carbon- and graphite-based materials especially with the spin-coating method and doctor blade technique, and scientific background in materials, especially in nanomaterials.

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



Qualifications	Weight	Evaluation criteria
PhD thesis	30	PhD thesis relevant to production and characterization of carbon- and graphite-based materials: strong relevance: 30 points, medium relevance: 15 points, weak relevance: 5 points
BSc in Materials Science	25	Grade X 2.5 points
MSc in Chemical Engineering	25	(1) MSc Grade X 1 point (2) MSc thesis relevant to the synthesis of carbon- and graphite-based materials: strong relevance: 15 points, medium relevance: 10, weak relevance: 5 points
Proven lab experience in: (i) Synthesis of carbon- and graphite-based materials, (ii) Characterisation of carbon- and graphite-based materials	20	(1) Criterion is the proven research experience in research groups, 2 points / year, maximum score 10 points. (2) Publications in related peer-reviewed international journals & in conference proceedings: 2 points per publication, maximum score 10 points
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	

### Application Submission

Interested candidates who meet the aforementioned requirements should submit their applications, no later than 3/1/2025 by email to Kleanthi Zacharopoulou: [kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr](mailto:kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr), cc: c.galiotis@iceht.forth.gr  
In order to be considered, the application must include:

- Application letter
- CV
- Scanned copies of academic titles & English language certificate
- Copies of publications in peer-reviewed international journals & in conference proceedings
- Copy of PhD thesis
- Copy of MSc thesis
- Employer's certificate and any other official documentation of the required experience

**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. If necessary, certain candidates will be invited to a personal interview with the committee.

Interview Criteria:

(a) Background in the objective of the assignment (5 points). (b) Organizational and communication skills (5 points). (c) Team-spirit and self-motivation (5 points). (d) Commitment to achieving the goals (5 points)

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

In case of titles and qualifications awarded by foreign Higher Education Institutions, the provisions of the Law 55/2023 (article 36) and 4957/2022 (article 304) are implemented.

### Selection Announcement



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

Candidates have the right to appeal the selection decision, by addressing their written objection to the FORTH/ICE-HT Research Secretariat, e-mail: [kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr](mailto:kleanthi@iceht.forth.gr), within five (5) days after the results announcement on the web.

#### 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 Costas Galiotis, tel: +30 2610 965266, e-mail: [c.galiotis@iceht.forth.gr](mailto:c.galiotis@iceht.forth.gr).

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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.

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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,

Theophilos Ioannides, Director

