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One (1) Postdoctoral Researcher Position

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The research group of Molecular Entomology/ Pesticide Science Lab of IMBB under the European Program **H2020-ICT 2015-GA688207**, entitled: "Automated diagnostic platform, data management system and innovative communication tool, for improving the impact of malaria vector control interventions – **DMC-MALVEC**" (Program Coordinator Prof John Vontas) invites applications for one (1) Postdoctoral Research position.

Info about the project: www.dmc-malvec.eu

Position Description: The successful candidate will develop and validate molecular diagnostic assays to monitor species ID, infection status and insecticide resistance profile of mosquito vectors of human diseases.

Qualifications: PhD in Biology/Molecular Biology/Biochemistry; experience in molecular diagnostics and/or molecular entomology and/or mosquito-vector biology and/or insecticide resistance.

The successful candidate should also be adaptable and able to work under different conditions and with a range of people in a multicultural environment, as well as flexible to travel for short periods of time.

Key duties include: To develop and validate molecular diagnostic assays for mosquito vectors; to be responsible for data collection, analysis and reporting; to liaise effectively with the colleagues in the DMC-MALVEC project; to be responsible for working in a safe manner adhering to local and legal requirements; to carry out such other duties consistent with a research position of this nature

Contract Duration: 24 months, renewable based on the program's needs.

Total budget: Up to 2300 € monthly cost, depending on qualifications

Envisaged starting date: April or May 2016

Application submission: Interested candidates should submit their application electronically by March 2, 2016 @ 12:00

The application should consist of:

1. CV

- 2. Brief statement of interest
- 3. The names of two referees



Evaluation procedure

Applications will be evaluated by a three-member evaluation committee. In case of interview procedure, candidates will be invited to participate in person or teleconference.

The announcement of the results will be posted on the website of FORTH-IMBB.

This publication confers the right to object to the results within 5 working days of the date of the results announcement.

The selected candidate will be notified personally regarding the success of his/her application and will be requested to submit certified copies of his/her degrees. In the event that the documents submitted to not agree with the original application the candidate will be dismissed.

Information and submission of applications

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