One (1) Graduate Student Position  
[Ref # ORZ-0367]

The research group of Systems Neuroscience of IMBB under the European Program H2020-MSCA-IF, entitled “Neural Pathways from Recognition to Perception” with acronym “Neuroception” (Program Coordinator Dr. Emmanouil Froudarakis) invites applications for one (1) motivated graduate student to assist with the experiments of the H2020, EU-funded, Marie Skłodowska-Curie Action.

Position Description:
The graduate student is expected to assist with behavioral experiments for the project “Neuroception”. In doing so, s/he is expected to:

- Establish and refine a behavioral paradigm of a visual discrimination task for head-fixed mice in a virtual environment;
- Daily handle small animals (mice) and train them in behavioral tasks in virtual environments;
- Perform surgeries for implanting head-posts in mice;
- Analyse behavioral data with Python.

Qualifications:
- BSc in Life Sciences
- Currently enrolled in a graduate program (MSc) in Greece
- FELASA accreditation
- Experience with behavioral training of mice in virtual environments
- Excellent oral and written skills in English and Greek language

Contract Duration: 5 months with the possibility of extension according to the project needs

Total budget: 450,00 € monthly cost (scholarship)

Envisaged starting date: 1 March 2022

Application submission: Interested candidates should submit their application electronically by February 15, 2022 @ 13:00 (Greek time).

The application should consist of:
1. CV
2. Brief statement of purpose
3. The names and contact details 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 candidates 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.

Submission of applications: orz0367@imbb.forth.gr

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