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CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE SCIENTIFIC
COUNCIL (SC)
OF THE HELLENIC FOUNDATION FOR RESEARCH AND INNOVATION (HFRI)

The Scientific Council of the Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation, according to the provisions of par. 8, article 8 of L. 4429/2016, calls, under Articles 8 and 13 of (A '199), scientists of international stature to express their interest to participate as a member [one (1) position] of the Scientific Council of the Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation (HFRI) in the area of mathematics and information science.

Scientific Council duties:

The HFRI is a private legal entity. The headquarters are located in Athens and it is supervised by the Alternate Minister of Education, Research and Religious Affairs.

The SC administrates the HFRI and has mainly the following duties:

- a. Ensures the achievement of the Foundation's objectives, based on the national policy on research and innovation;
- b. Accepts donations and any kind of funding;
- c. Establishes decision and appeals committees for the evaluation of proposals and selection of final beneficiaries;
- d. Selects the Director and Deputy Directors;
- e. Approves the budget of the Foundation, upon the Director's proposal;
- f. Recommends before the General Assembly collaborations and partnerships for the Foundation with public and private entities, from Greece and abroad;
- g. Recommends to the Minister the amendment of the Foundation's Internal Regulation;
- h. Approves the operation of services and offices of the Foundation in other cities of the Greek Territory, upon recommendation of the Director.

The members of the SC are entitled to compensation for their participation in the meetings, in accordance with the provisions of par. 3 of Article 22 of L. 4354/2015. Regarding the relocation of the members of the SC, the provisions of par. D of Article 2 of L. 4336/2015 are applied.

Scientific Council Members' Qualifications:

Under the Decision No.1/5.12.2016 of the Scientific Committee of HFRI, the members of the Scientific Council should be personalities of great scientific stature, internationally distinguished for their research work and have significant experience in scientific policy making issues.

The origin of the members of the Scientific Council should preferably cover the wider Greek scientific community coming from different institutions of the public or the private sector. Research experience in technologically advanced foreign countries is desirable.

The Members of the Scientific Council must:

- a. have a PhD;
- b. have participated successfully, as scientific supervisors, in research projects that were approved, following a competitive national or international procedure and ruling;
- c. have substantiated service and administrative experience in research management and its results, at Universities or Research Centers, within Greece or abroad;
- d. have extensive scientific work published in monographs or original scientific publications in journals of international standard, which should also have received international recognition, as evidenced, inter alia, by suitable bibliometric impact indicators or international awards and prizes;
- e. be acquainted with the Greek language;

A qualification which will be considered in favor of the candidates for the election of the Scientific Council Members is whether their candidacy is supported by institutions (Higher Education Institutions, Research Centers under Article 13a of L.4310/2014) which participate with their representatives in the GA of the Foundation. A proposal may be submitted by the Senate or the General Assemblies of the Departments of the Universities or the Executive Boards of the Research Centers or the Scientific Councils of the Institutes of the research centers, which participate with their representatives in the General Assembly of the Foundation. A proposal to support the candidacy may also be submitted by the members of the National Council for Research and Innovation (NCRI). The proposal to support the candidacy must be substantiated. Each body or each member of the NCRT may submit up to three (3) proposals.

Submission of applications:

The candidates or supported candidates should send an application and its attachments to the following email address: info@elidek.gr, indicating necessarily at the title of the message "Application for the participation in the SC of HFRI".

The application must be accompanied by:

- a) a brief statement in which the candidate outlines the reasons of his/her interest for the membership in the SC of the HFRI;
- b) a detailed curriculum vitae in which, inter alia, the following information should be mentioned: date of birth, marital status, website, studies, scholarships and prizes, experience and positions held in the academic - research sector (public /private, domestic/ foreign), participation in international committees, board of directors, professional organizations and competencies therein;
- c) an itemized list of scientific and other publications, patents and participations in conferences.

For any information an email must be sent to the following address: elidek@minedu.gov.gr

This call will be published on the websites of the HFRI (<http://www.elidek.gr/en/homepage/>), GSRT (<http://www.gsrt.gr/>) the Ministry of Education, Research and Religious Affairs (www.minedu.gov.gr, erevna.minedu.gov.gr), and Euraxess (<https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/>).

The deadline for applications expires on November 20th, 2017.

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