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FG IV - Scientific Project Officer - Food Contact Materials

<p>Position for:</p> <p>FGIV – Scientific Project Officer</p>	<p>As the science and knowledge service of the Commission, the mission of DG Joint Research Centre is to support EU policies with independent evidence throughout the whole policy cycle.</p> <p>The JRC is located in 5 Member States (Belgium, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands and Spain). Further information is available at: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/</p> <p>The current vacancy is with the Food and Feed Compliance Unit. The unit supports the harmonisation of the implementation of food and feed legislation through the provision of reliable measurement solutions and standards for evidence based decision-making related to the safety of the food chain. The unit is also hosting the European Union Reference Laboratories for GMOs, feed additives and food contact materials.</p> <p>We propose a Contractual Agent position in the food contact material group in Ispra, Italy.</p> <p>The successful candidate will co-ordinate the development of a database of substances authorised to be used in food contact materials. This database will include all relevant information for the identification of a substance, such as spectra from different analytical techniques.</p> <p>The candidate will also set up and carry out homogeneity and stability studies for proficiency tests. The proposed position has a strong laboratory component.</p> <p>Qualifications:</p> <p>The candidate shall have a background in analytical chemistry, food science, environmental science, or a similar discipline. At least 3 years' experience in laboratory research methodologies and analytical measurements (with an emphasis on chromatographic techniques e.g. GC-MS, LC-MS) is required. Knowledge of food contact materials and statistics are an advantage.</p> <p>Ability to work in an international team, creativity, consensus-building skills, positive spirit and proactivity are essential.</p> <p>A very good level (C1) of written and spoken English is essential</p>
<p>Directorate Unit</p>	<p>Health, Consumers & Reference Materials Food & Feed Compliance</p> <p>Further information: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/eurl/food-contact-materials</p>

Indicative duration	36 months initial contract with possible renewals up to maximum 6 years
JRC Site Country	Ispira Italy
Rules and eligibility	<p>The candidate must be on a valid EPSO reserve list for Function Group IV contract staff.</p> <p>If you are not in any valid EPSO reserve list for Function Group IV contract staff, you can still apply by following these steps.</p> <p>You express your interest by applying to the CAST Permanent or to the permanent JRC Call for researchers.</p> <p>1. CAST Permanent: open-ended selection procedure to create a pool of candidates from which the institutions, bodies, offices and agencies of the European Union (EU) can recruit contract agents. https://epso.europa.eu/documents/2240_en</p> <p>2. JRC Call COM/1/2015/GFIV – Research: open-ended selection procedure to create a pool of candidates from which mainly the JRC can recruit contract agents FGIV as researchers. Details available at the link below: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/vacancies/function-group-IV-researchers</p> <p>Only then you can apply for this specific position, through http://recruitment.jrc.ec.europa.eu/?type=AX</p> <p>Auxiliary contract staff: https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/working-with-us/jobs/temporary-positions/contract-staff-members</p> <p>Article 3b of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union applies: the actual period of employment within the Commission under this type of contract, including any period under renewal, shall not exceed 6 years.</p> <p><i>Please note that in case a high number of applications is received only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.</i></p>