

UNIVERSITY OF CYPRUS - DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGY

VACANT POSITION FOR RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Title: Research Assistant

Number of positions: One (1)

Category: Full – time contract for one year with possibility for renewal

Place of Employment: University of Cyprus, Nicosia

The Department of History and Archaeology of the University of Cyprus invites applications for a Research Assistant at the Maritime Archaeological Research Laboratory, Nicosia, Cyprus. The position is externally funded by the Honor Frost Foundation, United Kingdom.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:

- Postgraduate degree in Maritime Archaeology or relevant field with an emphasis on digital applications in archaeology and cultural heritage.
- Previous participation in underwater archaeological investigations.
- Good knowledge and fluency in computer-aided design (CAD) and 3-D imaging and modelling software (knowledge of database systems will be considered an advantage).
- Good knowledge of Greek and English.

Open water diver certification will be considered an advantage.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

The successful candidate is expected to work on and contribute to the digital documentation of MARELab's field projects. More specifically, the duties of such a person include, but are not limited to:

- (i) the coherent organization and completion of the Mazotos' shipwreck 3D digital model and its formulation as a research tool, including a thorough account of all finds
- (ii) the reconstruction and validation of a 3D model of the Nissia shipwreck excavation;
- (iii) assist with the organisation of MARELab fieldwork projects;
- (iv) conduct training sessions for the MA students on the different applications used in MARELab projects

## TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT

The monthly gross salary is up to €1837,34 and from this amount employee and employer contributions will be deducted. There is no provision for medical coverage.

Interested applicants are requested to submit (2) TWO COPIES of the following:

1. a letter expressing their interest in the position,
2. a full CV with description of previous experience,
3. copies of degrees or diplomas,
4. the names of 2 academics from whom references may be sought.

Applications that do not contain two copies of each of the above documents WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

All applications must be submitted to Human Resources Service, University of Cyprus, Council/Senate Anastasios G. Leventis Building, P.O. Box 20537, 1678 Nicosia, Cyprus by Friday, September 4, 2015, 2:00 p.m. Alternatively, applications can be send by post, but will only be considered valid provided that the post-office stamp date indicated on the envelope is not later than September 4, 2015, and that it reaches the Human Resources Service by September 11, 2015, at the latest. The sole responsibility for the latter falls upon the interested applicant. For detailed information about this post, interested candidates should contact Assistant Professor Stella Demesticha, Email: [demesticha@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:demesticha@ucy.ac.cy).

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