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Announcement of Competition for the Position of Post-Doc at the Polish Centre of Mediterranean Archaeology, University of Warsaw

The project manager of NCN project no. 2021/41/B/HS3/01155, titled "REM: Roman Military Economy," announces a competition for the position of assistant professor (post-doc) at the Kazimierz Michałowski Centre of Mediterranean Archaeology, University of Warsaw.

Competition Type: OPUS

- **Position Title:** Assistant Professor (Post-Doc)
- **Number of Positions:** 1
- **Scientific Discipline:** Archaeology
- **Employee Group:** Research Staff
- **Planned Duration of Employment:** 13 months (from 1.12.2024 to 31.12.2025), with the possibility of extension.

Competition Requirements:

Candidates must meet the requirements specified in the Higher Education and Science Law (Journal of Laws 2024, item 742, as amended) and must also have:

1. A Ph.D. degree in archaeology or a related discipline.
2. Documented experience in petrographic and chemical analysis of ancient ceramics, evidenced by scientific publications.
3. Proficiency in performing archaeometric analysis of ceramics and interpreting the results.
4. Experience working with a polarizing microscope and using the XRF method.
5. Fluent English language skills, both spoken and written, to actively participate in international scientific discourse.

Job Description:

Participation in the following research tasks planned within the NCN project no. 2021/41/B/HS3/01155, titled "REM: Roman Military Economy." The project, funded by the National Science Centre, is carried out by a team from the Kazimierz Michałowski Centre of Mediterranean Archaeology, UW. The project aims to analyze ceramics from the Roman fort at Apsaros. The project manager is Dr. Paulina Komar.

Primary Tasks:

1. Chemical analysis of ceramic samples using XRF.
2. Petrographic analysis of ceramic samples using a polarizing microscope.

3. Integration of results and participation in the preparation of publications on the origin of ceramics imported to Apsaros.

Required Documents:

1. Application to the Competition Committee and a cover letter detailing scientific interests and competencies justifying the applicant's suitability for the position.
2. Academic CV with information on scientific achievements and participation in research projects.
3. Personal questionnaire (available [here](#)).
4. Copy of the document confirming the Ph.D. degree.
5. Other documents that may be relevant to the competition.
6. Statement on personal data protection, along with the attached information clause and consent clause for personal data processing (available [here](#)).
7. Statement acknowledging and accepting the rules for conducting competitions for academic positions.

Terms of Employment:

1. Full-time employment contract, with a salary funded by the National Science Centre at 10,000 PLN gross per month for a period of 13 months from 1.12.2024 to 31.12.2025.
2. The post-doc will be selected through a competition, the rules of which are defined in the Regulations for Awarding Funds for Tasks Funded by the National Science Centre in the scope of research projects.
3. Applications should be submitted electronically to j.k.szczepkowska@uw.edu.pl and paulina.komar@uw.edu.pl.
4. Application deadline: 22 September 2024, 23:59.
5. Competition results announcement: by 30 September 2024, 23:59.
6. Planned start of work in the project: 1 December 2024.

Evaluation of Applications:

1. The Competition Committee reserves the right to contact only selected candidates.
2. Only applications containing all elements mentioned in the announcement will be considered.
3. Selection criteria will be based on the expectations of the candidates as described in the announcement. If necessary, selected candidates will be interviewed by the project manager. Candidates will be informed individually about the interview dates.
4. The Committee reserves the right not to select any candidate.
5. The Committee reserves the right to extend the decision deadline without providing reasons.