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Introduction and main description
<p>BCMaterials, Basque Center on Materials, Applications and Nanostructures, Leioa, Spain (www.bcmaterials.net), is an autonomous research center, belonging to Ikerbasque, the Basque Foundation for Science and the University of the Basque Country (UPV/EHU).</p> <p>BCMaterials offers up to 4 predoctoral positions for researching in different areas of expertise in Materials Science. In addition to carrying out their research, the selected candidates will have the option to pursue a doctoral degree at our institution in the framework of the University of the Basque Country Doctorate School.</p> <p>We are looking for highly motivated pre-doctoral researchers with degrees in Physics, Chemistry, Materials Science, Engineering, Energy, Biology, Biotechnology or Environmental Science.</p> <p>The work will be carried out at BCMaterials in close collaboration and coordination with different institutions from the Basque Scientific and Technological network as well as in cooperation with international leading research institutions. Short stays at collaborative partners will also be supported.</p> <p>For the successful candidates, the position represents an excellent opportunity to develop both collaborative and personal scientific research career, exploiting the capabilities of advanced functional materials and their applications.</p>

Skills and Requirements
<p>Master's degree or equivalent in Physics, Chemistry, Materials Science, Engineering, Energy, Biology or Environmental Science.</p> <p>Candidates should have a good verbal and written communication skills in English.</p> <p>Capacity for teamwork in an interdisciplinary and international environment.</p> <p>Self-motivation and willingness to perform independent research.</p> <p>Creativity in problem solving.</p> <p>Presentation skills and able to meet the deadline are also required.</p>

Work Program / Duties / Responsibilities
<p>The candidates will work in an ambitious research program. Materials will be designed, characterized, the functional properties evaluated and optimized and their integration into potential applications explored.</p>

Application Procedure

Apply by submitting a motivation letter and a CV (in English) using the "Contact" button at the corresponding offer, at the "Join Us" area on BCMaterials' portal (<https://www.bcmaterials.net/join-us>).
Your name and email address will be required for further contact too.

Other Relevant Information

Applicants have to fill the application form for this offer and must include their CV, academic records and motivation and reference letters. On motivation letter, it must be referred the areas of expertise on which the applicant is interested.