International project on
FOODBORNE ZOONOTIC TREMATODE INFECTIONS AND INTEGRATED
CONTROL IN VIETNAM (FOODTINC)

OPENING CALL FOR THREE PHD AND ONE MSC POSITIONS

In the frame of an international project between Vietnam and Belgium (ARES-CCD), three PhD positions and one MSc position are available from 1st January 2018. This integrated project is dealing with the control of Foodborne Zoonotic Trematode Infections (FZTi) in humans and will be performed in two difference provinces of North Vietnam (Yen Bai and Thanh Hoa). The PhD positions will be available for a four year fulltime contract and MSc position will be available for one year fulltime contract. The PhD degree will be given by Belgian University. The MSc degree will be given by Vietnamese University.

For the PhD positions, the following criteria will be taken into account:

- Vietnamese citizens.
- Under 45 years old.
- Proficiency in English: B2 level according to the international standard.
- Candidates are expected to travel abroad for four months per year in Belgium and the rest of the time will be spent in field work in Vietnam.
- Previous experiences in laboratory and field work will be an advantage.
- Selected candidates will start on January 1st 2018.

PhD position number 1: Research on FZTi in humans in selected areas.
This work will require a MSc. diploma in Medicine. The candidate will be based in the National Institute of Malariology, Parasitology and Entomology (NIMPE), Ha Noi and in the Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB).
For additional information, please contact Dr. Do Trung Dung (NIMPE), Email: dotrungdung.nimpe.vn@gmail.com.

PhD position number 2: Research on snails and vegetables (intermediate host of FZTi and source of infection for Fasciola) in selected areas.
This work will require a MSc. diploma in Biology, Parasitology, Veterinary Medicine or any diploma considered equivalent. The candidate will be based in the Institute of Ecology and Biological Resources (IEBR), Ha Noi and in the Université de Liège (ULg). For additional information, please contact Dr. Bui Thi Dung (IEBR), Email: btdung@iebr.ac.vn.
PhD position number 3: Research on fish (intermediate host of FZTi) in selected areas. This work will require a MSc. diploma in Biology, Parasitology, Aquaculture or any diploma considered equivalent. The candidate will be based in the Research Institute for Aquaculture No. 1 (RIA1), Bac Ninh and in the Université de Liège (ULg). For additional information, please contact Bui Ngoc Thanh (RIA1), Email: bnthanh@ria1.org

For the MSc position, the following criteria will be taken into account:
- Vietnamese citizens.
- Diploma in Sociology, Public health (Sociology) or any diploma considered as equivalent.
- Proficiency in English: B1 level according to the international standard.
- Selected candidate is expected to spend four months in field work in Vietnam.
- Previous experiences will be an advantage.
- Selected candidate will start on January 1st 2018.

The grant will be paid according to ARES-CCD rules (http://www.ares-ac.be).

Required documents (in English, both electronic and paper copy):
- Full CV.
- Motivation letter
- 2 Recommendation letters.
- Scanned certified Diplomas, grade record.
- English certificate.

Deadline for Application: 17pm, July 31st 2017

Application and Contact information:
Please indicate clearly the position you are interested in.
Application documents (both electronic and paper copy) send to:
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