MINUTE OF JURY SELECTION

Call for a postdoctoral fellowship
Project 101099654 - RT-SuperES - HORIZON-EIC-2022PATHFINDEROPEN-01

On 14 December 2024, at 17:00, the jury selection formed by Ricardo Henriques, Bruno Saraiva e Estibaliz Gomez de Mariscal, responsible for analysing the applications for a postdoc fellowship, in the scope of the project 101099654 - RT-SuperES - HORIZON-EIC-2022PATHFINDEROPEN-01, funded by the European Union Horizon Programme.

The call was open from 28 of November 2023 until 13 of December 2023. The jury analysed the documents in the attached applications to these minutes.

The call received 1 eligible application that was classified with the following way:

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<th>Name</th>
<th>Full application</th>
<th>CV and previous experience (70%)</th>
<th>Motivation letter (30%)</th>
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<td>Daria Aristova</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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Considered that the candidate fulfilled all the criteria for the application, the jury bypassed the need to further interview prospective candidates.

The jury unanimously decided to recommend hiring candidate number 1 based on the following evaluation:

1. Directly relevant PhD research and expertise. Her doctoral work centered on developing new fluorescent probes for microscopy, giving her highly relevant hands-on experience with advanced imaging techniques. This included expansion microscopy and single molecule localization microscopy.

2. Strong publication record. With 3 first-author papers published in quality journals, she has demonstrated the ability to produce influential research. This bodes well for her future research productivity.

3. Breadth of technical skills. Beyond microscopy expertise, she has experience with various techniques like spectroscopy, immunocytochemistry, and bioimage analysis. This technical versatility is valuable for interdisciplinary collaborations.

4. Presentation experience. The fact that she has presented her work at multiple international conferences indicates excellent communication skills. This will be useful when collaborating and sharing results.

5. Motivated and collaborative. Based on her statement, Daria seems genuinely excited about learning new techniques and working in an interdisciplinary team. Her adaptability and collaborative spirit suits the environment.

6. Vision aligned with project. She specifically expresses enthusiasm for contributing to advancements in super-resolution microscopy and stem cell research. This alignment with the project’s goals is promising.
The candidate was informed of the deliberations of the Jury on 14 of December 2024. As there are no further eligible candidates, the decisions herein communicated will be considered as effective.

There being no further matters to discuss, the meeting for which these minutes were drawn up was closed and signed by all the members of the Jury.

Oeiras, 14 of December 2024

Chair of the Jury (Ricardo Henriques) __________________________(signature)

Jury member 1 (Estibaliz Gomez de de Mariscal)______________________(signature)

Jury member 2 (Bruno Saraiva)____________________________________(signature)