CINI – National Interuniversity Consortium for Informatics

Call for Applications

Public selection notice based on academic qualifications and an interview for no. 1 III level researcher position, with a 21-month fixed-term employment contract, for the seat of Naples, CINI Item “Carlo Savy” National Laboratory, within the TRAPEZE GA 883474 project and the funded projects

REF.CINI: CINI_TRAPEZE/01/2021

ART. 1
(Object of the selection)

The National Interuniversity Consortium for Informatics (CINI) announces a comparative assessment procedure based on academic qualifications and an interview aimed at selecting no. 1 III level researcher position, with a 21-month--fixed-term employment contract as foreseen by the Italian National Collective Labour Agreement (C.C.N.L.) in relation to the personnel for the Education and Research sector for the 2016-2018 period, into force upon the signature of the contract, in order to carry out the activities of the TRAPEZE project.

The required profile is a researcher with informatics and/or mathematical logic skills, with particular reference to Software engineering, Knowledge representation and Automated reasoning. The required assignments will result into the production of TRAPEZE deliverables through theoretical and/or implementation contributions.

The workplace is the CINI separate branch at the “Carlo Savy” National Laboratory of Naples.

The employment contract shall be effective from 15.07.2021, in any case from the date of its signature. It shall have duration of 21 months. The date of termination of the contract shall not be later than 31.08.2023. The contract can be extended in relation to the duration and the requirements of the above-mentioned project and also to further potential extensions.

ART. 2
(Admission requirements)

In order to be admitted to the selection, candidates, under penalty of exclusion, shall possess the following requirements at the latest date of the deadline for the submission of the applications:

- PhD degree in Information Technology or Informatics or Knowledge representation and Automated reasoning related disciplines.
- Not to be subordinate employees of public or private institutions.

Candidates who have been excluded from the right to vote cannot participate. In order to have access to the selection EU Member States citizens shall possess the following requirements too:

- Enjoyment of the civil and political rights also in the home state or country of origin.

- For candidates with similar academic qualifications but with other academic titles, the equivalence for the purpose of the current selection shall be unquestionably established by the Examination Board as stated in the Article 4, preemptively in compliance with the assessment of the qualifications. Candidates are admitted to the comparative assessment
procedure under reserve. At any stage of the proceedings, in case of lack of the mandatory requirements, CINI can decide to exclude candidates from the selection.

| ART. 3  |
| (Submission of applications) |

The application form for participation to the selection, drawn up on plain paper in accordance with the illustrative form attached in Annex 1 of the present notice and accompanied by a Curriculum Vitae, shall be addressed to CINI, Via Ariosto 25, 00185 Roma, and it shall be delivered electronically to the e-mail address \texttt{ciniroma@consorzio-cini.it} or to the PEC address \texttt{consorzio.cini@legalmail.it} no later than the 5th of July, 2021. The application, sent via e-mail with return receipt, must be converted into electronic format after the candidate has affixed the handwritten signature. All the notices related to the proceedings will be communicated via e-mail. CINI does not take responsibility for the dispersion of notices due to incorrect submissions, or due to a failure or a delay of the submission of the application, or possible problems due to e-mail service disruptions, or third parties, unforeseeable circumstances or force majeure. Under penalty of exclusion, each candidate shall indicate in the application:

- Surname, name, birth date, citizenship, residence address and e-mail address at which he or she wishes to receive the notices relevant to the present selection;
- To have a PhD degree in one of the disciplines indicated in the Article 2;
- Not to be a subordinate employee of public or private institutions.

The following documents shall be attached to the application:

- A photocopy of a valid ID, duly signed;
- Curriculum Vitae.

The statements in the application form and in the Curriculum Vitae are intended as a substitute to the regular certificates in compliance with the applicable rules concerning self-certification. The Examination Board, as stated in Art. 4, reserves the right to request candidates the electronic copy of the qualifications listed in the Curriculum Vitae. The submission of the application to the selection, as stated in the present notice, involves the full acceptance of the general conditions set out in it, and full awareness of the autonomous nature of the employment relationship.

| ART. 4  |
| (Examination Board) |

The Examination Board shall be composed of 3 experts appointed by the President of the Consortium. The Board shall have the possibility to work electronically too. The Board’s judgment on the matter is unquestionable.

| ART. 5  |
| (Selection methods and criteria) |

The selection of the applications shall occur through a competition based on academic qualifications and an oral examination according to the procedure indicated in the clauses below. The assessment of the qualifications ascertains preliminarily the possession of the admission requirements through the elements stated by the candidate in the submitted Curriculum Vitae, and on the basis of controls where necessary and/or appropriate. The reasons for the exclusion to the continuation of the selection shall be explained to the candidates for whom the Examination Board evaluates the non-possession of the admission requirements.
On the basis of the assessment of the qualifications indicated in the application, an evaluation score shall be subsequently assigned by the Examination Board to each candidate in possession of the admission requirements.

The highest score that can be achieved in the assessment of the qualifications is **60 out of 100**.

A higher score will be given with the following academic qualifications:

i. A professional scientific CV (PhD degree, postgraduate specialization degrees, certificates of attendance of postgraduate advanced courses obtained in Italy or abroad, research activities carried out in public and private institutions, fellowships or assignments both in Italy and abroad)

ii. Expertise in the area or field of research required in the call for applications

iii. Publications in scientific journals.

To determine the score that will be assigned to each candidate after the assessment of the academic qualifications by the Examination Board, reference shall be made to Table 1.

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Academic qualifications shall be assessed before the interview. Only candidates who receive a **score of at least 36/60** will be admitted to the interview. Candidates will be notified about the results of the assessment before the interview via publication on the Consortium's website [www.cnsorzio-cini.it](http://www.cnsorzio-cini.it).

Candidates shall be interviewed on **the 8th of July 2021 at 2:30 pm** at the Item “Carlo Savy” Laboratory of Naples. If necessary, the oral discussion shall be carried out online.

The interview shall focus on the subject matters related to the required profile.

The highest score obtainable in the assessment interview is **40 out of 100 points**.

The interview shall be considered passed if the candidate obtains a score of **at least 24/40 points**.

At the end of the assessment process the Examination Board shall announce the final ranking list on the basis of the sum of the individual scores obtained in the oral discussion and based on academic qualifications.

The final ranking list shall be published on the website [www.cnsorzio-cini.it](http://www.cnsorzio-cini.it).

The candidate at the top of the final ranking list shall be the winner of the selection.
Within the peremptory deadline of 10 days from the date of receipt of the notice via e-mail (to the e-mail address communicated in the submitted application) through which the results of the selection shall be announced, the winner shall communicate to CINI, under penalty of loss, the notice of acceptance of the assignment.

In case of revocation, the following candidates in order on the ranking list shall be considered. It does not affect the right of the administration to proceed with the ascertainment of the truthfulness of the self-certifications or affidavits submitted by the candidate. Therefore, the candidate shall provide all the necessary elements to allow the Administration to carry out the appropriate controls.

Rome, 15 June 2021

President of CINI
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I, the Undersigned __________________________________________________________,
Born in _______________________________ (Province: _____) on ___________________
Residing at ____________________________________________________________ (province: ___)
In _________________________________________________________Street
Zip Code ___________________
Tel. ____________________________ e-mail _____________________________________

HEREBY REQUEST
To participate to the selection process based on academic qualifications of no.1 III level researcher position - REF.CINI: CINI_TRAPEZE/01/2021

I, the Undersigned, aware of the penal sanctions pursuant to the Presidential Decree no. 445/2000 resulting from false statements, training and/or use of false documents, declare under my own responsibility:

1) To be born in the place and on the date aforementioned;
2) To be resident in the country aforementioned;
3) To be a citizen;
4) To be in possession of the of the following qualification: degree of ___________ (enter the exact wording of the academic qualification) obtained in the year ____ at __________________________;
5) To be in possession of the following qualification: PhD in ___________ (enter the exact title and the SSD\(^1\)) obtained in the year ____ at __________________________;
6) And that the possession of the academic qualifications and anything mentioned in the CV and the other annexes to the present application form are true.

e, for Italian citizens:
7) To be entered on the electoral roll in the municipality of ______________________;

\(^1\) Scientific discipline sector
For citizens of other EU Member States:

8) To fully enjoy the civil and political rights also in the home state or country of origin;

9) To have an adequate knowledge of the Italian language

I, the undersigned declare to fully accept the clauses listed in the public notice to tender for the assessment process, and to be fully aware of the autonomous nature of the employment relationship;

I, the undersigned hereby express my consent for the processing of my personal data for the purpose of the selection process and the reporting requirements of the project activities.

Date, Signature

To the present application form I attach the following documents:

1. My Curriculum Vitae, duly signed

2. The photocopy of a valid identity document and if available, Italian fiscal code.

Information concerning the processing of personal data, in accordance with the article 13 of the Legislative Decree no. 196 of 30.6.2003: the above data are collected for the purpose of the procedure for which they are released and they shall be exclusively used for this purpose, and in any event, within the activities of CINI, being the data controller. The interested party is entitled to the rights according to the article .7 of the Legislative Decree no. 196/2003.