



## **Job Openings: Post-Doctoral Researcher and Ph.D. Student Positions at the Institute of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology in Heraklion Crete, Greece**

The **Laboratory of Disease Vector Biology** at the **Institute of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology (IMBB)**, located in **Heraklion, Crete, Greece**, is seeking passionate and talented individuals to join our dynamic research team.

### **About the Lab**

Our laboratory is dedicated to understanding the molecular interactions between ticks, their hosts, and the pathogens they transmit. By combining molecular biology, bioinformatics, and immunology, we aim to uncover novel insights into vector-host-pathogen dynamics and drive the development of innovative strategies for disease prevention and control.

For more information, visit our website:

<https://www.imbb.forth.gr/imbb-people/en/kotsyfakis-research>

### **Post-Doctoral Researcher Position**

#### **Duration:**

- Two years, with the possibility of a one-year extension based on performance.

#### **Responsibilities:**

- Conduct high-quality research in alignment with the lab's objectives.
- Design, execute, and analyze experiments.
- Prepare manuscripts for publication in peer-reviewed journals.
- Collaborate with team members and contribute to ongoing projects.

#### **Requirements:**

- Ph.D. in Molecular Biology, Biochemistry, Immunology, Epidemiology, Molecular Ecology, or a related field.
- Strong publication record, including impact factor (IF) metrics.
- Experience in molecular biology techniques, bioinformatics, or immunology is highly desirable.

### **Ph.D. Student Position**

#### **Eligibility:**

Applicants must secure acceptance into a graduate program at one of the following:

- The [University of Crete](#) Graduate Programs.
- The [Hellenic Mediterranean University](#) Postgraduate Programs.
- Another relevant graduate program.

## Responsibilities:

- Engage in cutting-edge research under the guidance of **Dr. Michail Kotsyfakis**.
- Contribute to collaborative projects and lab publications.

## Requirements:

- A strong background in biology, molecular biology, or a related field.
- Motivation and dedication to pursuing innovative research.

## Application Process

Interested candidates are encouraged to submit the following:

1. A CV, including a detailed list of publications with impact factors (IF).
2. A brief statement of research interests (required for Post-Doctoral applicants).
3. Contact information for at least two referees.

**Submit applications and inquiries to: Dr. Michail Kotsyfakis**

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**Review Process:** Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until the positions are filled. Early submissions are strongly encouraged.

## Why Join Us?

Be part of a leading research team at the forefront of vector biology. Enjoy the vibrant scientific environment of IMBB, set against the stunning backdrop of **Heraklion, Crete, Greece**.

Join us and make a difference in the fight against vector-borne diseases!

