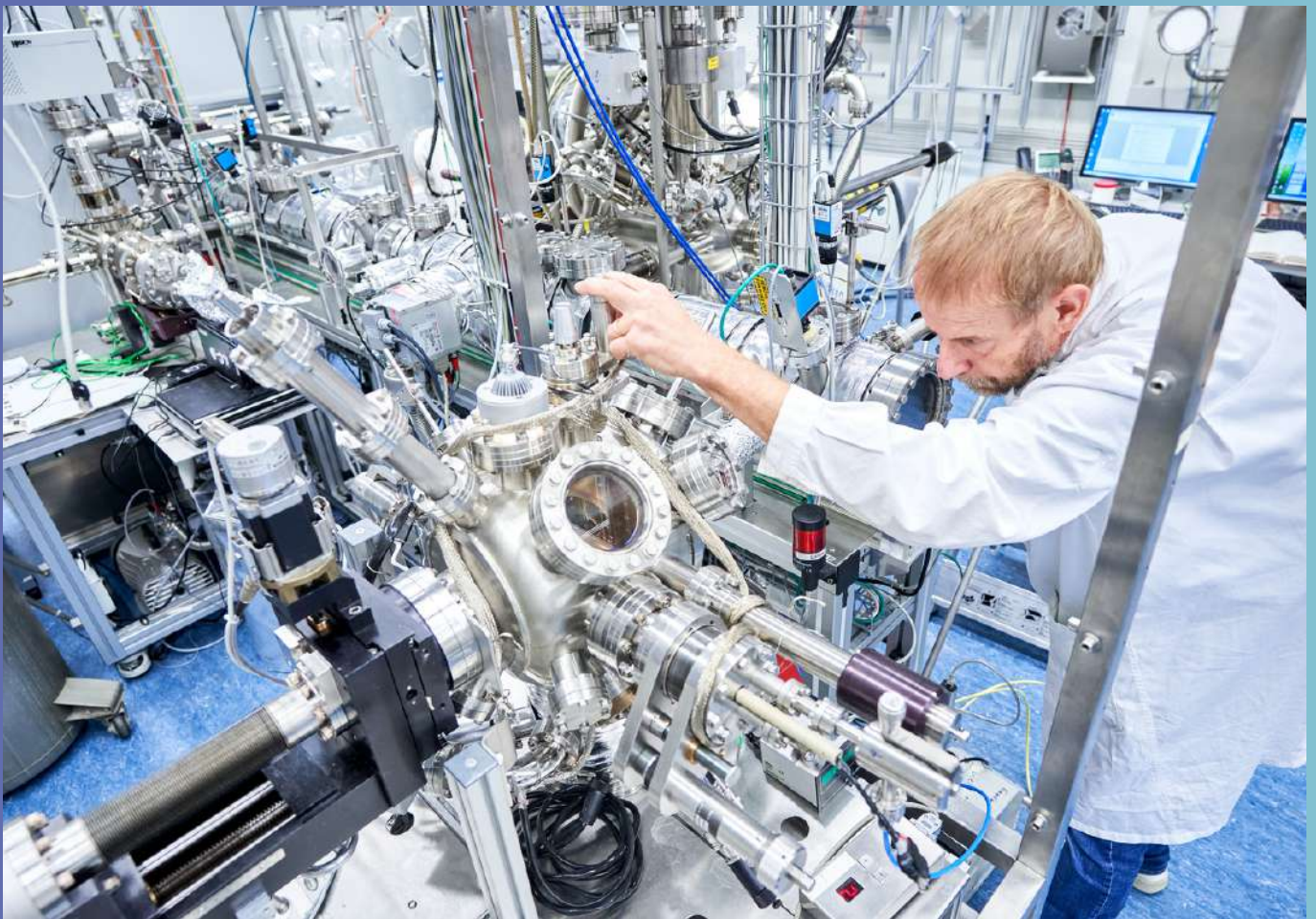


Call for Expression of Interest

Surface Science Laboratory Station Acquisition



Quick Start Guide

Check the Main Requirements



APPLICANTS COMPRISE THAT THEY:



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are EU Scientific or educational organisations, such as university, research institute or other educational organisations, which are public entities or controlled by public entities;



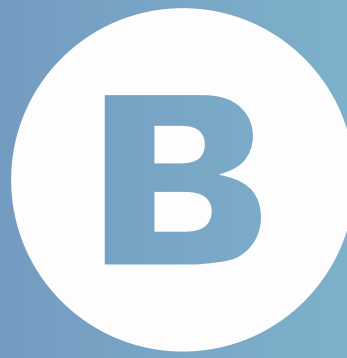
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having a nuclear licence for the work with natural uranium and thorium according to the specific laws of the site or/and country of the contractor



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having demonstrated experience in Surface Science (preferably in fields related to Basic Actinide Science and/or Chemistry of the Actinides and/or Radioactive Waste and Decommissioning).



Go to the eTendering platform. 



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Call for tenders' details

Title: Notice of Call for Expressions of Interest
Contracting authority: [European Commission, Joint Research Centre - Karlsruhe \(JRC-KRU\)](#)
Start date: 02/01/2024
Deadline to express interest: 30/04/2024 Status: Open

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	CEI Surface Lab Technical Specs - en
	SurfaceScience Lab CEI draft contract - en



01

“Invitation to candidate” summarises information from the tender specifications and gives an overview on the procedure.

02

Two tender specification documents -> for your information:
“CEI surface Lab Admin Specs” and
“CEI Surface Lab Technical Specs”.

03

“Surface Science Lab CEI draft contract” -> for your information, a commonly used draft for a donation contract.


04

Declaration on honour 1 and 2 -> to be filled and signed.

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Prepare your application before 30th April 2024

To express your interest in being on the list of pre-selected candidates you have to provide us with (by electronic mail via the functional mailbox or by mail to the postal address given in the invitation letter) the following three documents:

- 01 Motivational Letter 
- 02 Declaration on Honour 1 on exclusion and selection criteria
- 03 Declaration on Honour 2 on the use of the lab

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Motivational letter



Please consider to give details about:

- Destination and use of the equipment in your institution
- What is the benefit from the donation for your institution
- What resources your institution will make available for the commissioning and operation of the equipment institution will make available for the commissioning and operation of the equipment
- What kind of nuclear licence your institution possesses
- What access scheme you would envisage to allow the JRC Karlsruhe to use the donated equipment for own work and its Open Access programme
- What process can be implemented to verify if the donated equipment is used for the correct purpose.
- Existing Collaboration agreements with JRC or similar cooperation tools

Declaration on Honour 1 on exclusion and selection criteria

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- duly signed by the legal representative (paper or electronically). Be ready to present supporting evidence pieces (as stated in the Declaration Chapter A.VI and Chapter B.III/Administrative Specifications, Chapter 2.2.1 and Chapter 2.2.3) at any time throughout the process.

Declaration on Honour 2 on the use of the lab

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- exclusively for scientific and educational purpose, duly signed by the legal representative (paper or electronically) with a description of the planned use (include information on an existing nuclear licence). Be ready to present supporting evidence pieces (as stated in the Administrative Specifications, Chapter 2.2.3) at any time throughout the process.



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Deadline and Procedure



E Send your application latest on 30th April 2024 to

jrc-procurement-karlsruhe@ec.europa.eu



Attach Motivation letter and the two Declarations on Honour



Do not forget your full contact details (specify a contact person)





Final Remark

Keep in mind that the award committee will establish a list of candidates, based on the following award criteria

- Declaration about the intended use of the equipment. It shall be related to research in the field of Basic Actinide Science and/or Chemistry of the Actinides and/or Radioactive Waste and Decommissioning (including a short description of the candidates own work, competence and (educational) efforts in the relevant fields).
- Present collaboration agreements between the JRC and the candidate.
- Existing license or other adequate document allowing the use of natural uranium and thorium material as a minimum.
- Destination and use of the equipment (full use of the capacity of the SSLS)



Final Remark

- Benefits for the applicant
- Resources that will be made available for the commissioning (in year one and two after the contract signature) and operation (after year two of the contract signature) of the SSLS
- Plans to allow for JRC use (including Open Access) of the equipment for 5 years minimum after bringing the equipment into operation
- Measures to be taken to give visibility to JRC Karlsruhe and its Open access scheme
- Plans for verification if the donated equipment is used for the correct purpose during the minimum period of 7 years