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Area: Advanced Materials for Energy Applications Head of the Area: Prof. Joan Ramon Morante Group: Energy Storage, Harvesting and Catalysis Head of Group: Prof. Joan Ramon Morante

Position: R2 consolidated researcher. Position in synthetic fuels

The Energy Storage, harvesting and catalysis group at the Advanced Materials for Energy Area of IREC, announces a permanent position for an R2 consolidated researcher available for a highly motivated candidate to work in the field of synthetic fuel production.

We are looking for a candidate to cover activities in chemical energy storage and CO2 valorization. Therefore, candidate with expertise and skills on several of the following activities are within the scope of the position:

- Developing materials, components and systems based on thermo-conversion processes. Expertise and skills on heterogeneous catalyst will be welcome, in particular, on CO2 or CO hydrogenation to gaseous or liquid products.

- Developing strategies for upscaling innovative reactor technologies and pilot plant with skills on simulation tools both at process level and physico-chemical model (ASPEN, COMSOL, ANSYS,...)

- Conducting techno-economical assessments to evaluate feasible scenarios for synthetic fuel projects.

- Leading and Writing projects and technical reports.

- Promoting and participating in the scientific and technological outputs of the group.

Proved experience in the following aspects will be positively evaluated:

- Mentoring and team leading (phD thesis, master/bachelor thesis)

- Participation or leading technology transfer activities and innovation actions

- Funding searching - Internationalization

- Involvement in industrial projects, demonstrators and pilot plants.

Proposed Jury:

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