UNIVERSITY OF CYPRUS
DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE
Research Assistant POSITION

Title: Research Assistant (Web Programmer / Software Engineer)
No. of Position(s): One (1) Position (Full-time)
Category: 10-months contract
Location: University of Cyprus, Nicosia

The Laboratory for Internet Computing (http://linc.ucy.ac.cy), Department Computer Science of the University of Cyprus comprises a small group of researchers and software engineers. We are looking to add one (1) Research Assistant to our team to undertake software design and development for the needs of the research project funded by the European Union under the title: MANDOLA «Monitoring and Detecting OnLine Hate Speech».

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES
The candidate will join the research team of the Laboratory for Internet Computing and his/her duties will include: i) design and develop a mobile application and related Web back-end software; ii) the successful completion of project work packages; iii) cooperation with both international groups and the rest of the research team of the Laboratory for Internet Computing; iv) producing high-quality software and technical reports in English as well as presentations at international scientific forums, and v) consistency in the timelines agreed and accountability in the management of all technical aspects of the laboratory and the research team.

NECESSARY QUALIFICATIONS
Skills/experience that we look for in a team member:
* Undergraduate studies in Computer Science.
* Excellent Web programming and mobile application programming (iOS, Android and Windows).
* Advanced programming skills in languages such as Java, Web Services, HTML/CSS stack, Javascript, and Database/SQL programming.
* Excellent knowledge of English. Candidates are expected to write and communicate in English with their project partners.
Characteristics that we look for in a team member:
* Loves to build bulletproof software.
* Enjoys learning and acquiring knowledge - quickly and independently.
* Dislikes complexity and strives to find simple and elegant solutions.
* Collaborative and team-oriented.

ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS
* A personal portfolio of developed software and Web applications.
* An active profile in stackoverflow and github.

- Python, Twitter API.

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT
The monthly gross salary will be in the range of €1000-€1200 depending on qualifications and experience. From this amount employer and employee contributions to the various Government Funds will be deducted. The contract is for 10 months. 13th salary and medical coverage are not provided.

APPLICATIONS
Interested parties are requested to submit:
- CV in English
- Cover letter (no more than 500 words) with justification-documentation of interest for the post in English
- Two (2) names of individuals and their contact information can give direct recommendation letter.

Applications should be sent to mpoveda@cs.ucy.ac.cy, with subject line MANDOLA-RA-201612. The applications received by 14 November 2016 will be considered in the first evaluation round. Selected candidates will be invited for a personal interview.