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TraceoLab and **OBiACHEM**, University of Liège, Belgium, announce two open fully funded PhD positions in the framework of a collaborative research project (ARC).

We seek candidates with an excellent track record, good writing skills, and proficiency in English. Candidates should be available for travelling and longer research stays in South Africa.

- We seek **one candidate with a Master's degree in Archaeology** or equivalent field (with a Master's thesis topic related to prehistory). Previous experience with technological and/or functional analysis of stone tools is desirable. The PhD research will deal with a topic in functional analysis of stone tools with a particular attention to residue analysis and experimental archaeology. Applications including a CV and motivation letter should be sent to Veerle Rots at veerle.rots@uliege.be. Two letters of recommendation from university professors or researchers with a permanent position should be sent directly to Veerle Rots.
- We seek **one candidate with a Master degree in Chemistry**, Archaeological Chemistry, or equivalent. Experience in applied analytical chemistry is desirable, with particular interest in separation science, gas chromatography, mass spectrometry and chemometrics. The PhD research will permit to develop analytical strategies for the characterization of organic residues on archeological artifacts. Applications including a CV and motivation letter should be sent to Jean-François Focant on JF.Focant@uliege.be. Two letters of recommendation from university professors or researchers with a permanent position should be sent directly to Jean-François Focant.

You will be able to evolve in an international research environment. The perfect place to develop new skills and establish a strong professional network.

Deadline for application: 5 July 2021

Starting date of PhD scholarship: 1 October 2021

If you require more information, please contact us.