

## PhD Fellowship in Chemistry and Biomaterials Science

A PhD Fellowship in Chemistry is available (in the group of Dr. Clara García-Astrain) at the Basque Center for Macromolecular Design and Engineering, POLYMAT Fundazioa (<a href="www.polymat.eu">www.polymat.eu</a>).

Applicants must have a BSc and MSc in Chemistry, Materials Science or Biomedical Engineering with a strong background in biomaterials characterization and previous experience in polymer functionalization. Knowledge on cell or bacteria cultures will be also considered.

Good command of written and spoken English is a must (if preselected, a telephone interview will be carried out before any other appointment is made). The selected candidate is expected to conduct research, write papers, and deliver a PhD thesis.

Applications should be addressed to Dr. Clara García Astrain and sent via email in one single PDF to <a href="mailto:clara.garciaastrain@polymat.eu">clara.garciaastrain@polymat.eu</a> before the 31<sup>th</sup> of July 2024 (applications will be considered upon arrival) including:

- (i) a cover letter highlighting their interest in the position.
- (ii) curriculum vitae.
- (iii) a short description of previous research (1-2 Pages).
- (iv) the names and contact addresses (e-mail) of two academic referees.

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