Call for Interest on Nanomaterials and Bionanoscience for researchers in Europe and Japan to participate at the JEUPISTE Academic Workshop in Nanotechnology, 4-6 July, Thessaloniki, Greece

The European project JEUPISTE under the 7th Framework Programme, dedicated to promote the Japan-Europe Partnership in Innovation, Science and Technology, will participate to NANOTEXNOLOGY, the International Conferences and Exhibition on Nanotechnologies, Organic Electronics & Nanomedicine, held on 4-8 July 2016 in Thessaloniki, Greece. (http://www.nanotexnology.com/).

On this occasion, the JEUPISTE project will organise an Academic Workshop on Nanomaterials and Bionanoscience with the aim to facilitate partnership building towards new Europe-Japan projects. Thought-leading researchers from the academic sector from Japan and Europe will share knowledge, provide ideas and discuss future perspectives on potential cooperation.

The JEUPISTE project is looking for enthusiastic Japanese and European researchers on the topic of nanomaterials and/or bionanoscience, who are willing to present a research project with relevance for Europe-Japan cooperation in which they have worked or they are currently working, and who can suggest a collaboration theme in the field of
nanomaterials or bionanoscience. During his/her intervention, the researcher should present the scope of their project, activities, impact, lessons learnt and obstacles for cooperation.

**Benefits for participation:** Participants will be able to expand their network of international contacts as the Nanotexnology conference is the crossing point for the international community for nanomaterials, organic electronics and nanomedicine.

**Costs covered:**
- Transportation to/from the conference
- Accommodation
- Registration costs for the conference

Interested participants should submit a written 1-page abstract of their project and a concrete collaboration suggestion to the JEUPISTE organisers latest by 10 May 2016 together with a copy of their CV and a list of relevant publications. Applicants will be selected by the Organising Committee of the workshop, which consists of the following JEUPISTE partners: EU-Japan Centre for Industrial Cooperation (Japan), Kobe University (Japan), Tubitak (Turkey), FORTH (Greece).

Please note the proposed event will be conducted in English without simultaneous translation.

| Schedule of JEUPISTE Activities in Thessaloniki, Greece |
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| **4 July 2016** | Workshop: Future direction of Nanomaterials and Bionanoscience in Japan-Europe Cooperation |
| **5 July 2016** | JEUPISTE Academic Workshop: Nanomaterials and Bionanoscience in Japan-Europe Cooperation |
| **6 July 2016** | Participation to NANOTEXNOLOGY Matchmaking (B2B) Event |

**Conditions for participation:**
- Active researchers in nanomaterials and bionanoscience with at least 4 years of experience in their field
- Must be connected to a research organisation/university or company in Japan or Europe (EU28 + Associated Countries to Horizon 2020)

**How to participate?**
- Submit an abstract of 1-page on your project and collaboration suggestion (in English) before 10 May 2016, together with your CV, to jeupiste@eu-japan.gr.jp

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