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RESEARCH SCIENTIST IN COMPOSITE INTEGRITY

We seek a highly motivated Research Scientist to join our Technology Consortium, ENERCOMP. As a key member of our organization, you will play a pivotal role in managing research & technology projects in this consortium.

Responsibilities:

- Initiate the design, development, execution, and implementation of a portfolio of projects in the field of design and structural integrity monitoring of composite structures in the Energy sector.
- Lead the development of a state-of-the-art experimental platform in the field of testing composite materials for in-situ testing in conditions relevant to the energy sector (high pressure, high temperature, extreme environments).
- Lead the generation of a unique database of composite characterization in extreme conditions.
- Plan and execute research tasks, analyzing data, publishing findings in peer-reviewed journals, and presenting research at scientific conferences.
- Plans and executes applied research.
- Assist in formulating long-term plans for composite materials integration and choice in the Energy sector in collaboration with KAUST TTO and partners' business units.
- Maintains substantial knowledge of state-of-the-art principles and theories and may contribute to scientific literature and conferences.
- Participate in the development of patent applications.
- Coordinate interpartners activities and research efforts.

Qualifications:

- Experience as a researcher in Composite testing in extreme pressures and temperature.
- Experience in all standard mechanical testing of composite in static, fatigue, and aging conditions.
- Experience in materials for Energy, Oil & Gas, and/or Hydrogen is a must.
- Strong analytical and problem-solving skills.
- Effective team leadership and communication skills.
- Proficiency in preparation of research project proposals, execution of research projects, and project budget and schedule management.
- Proficiency in spoken and written English.









We invite you to apply for this exciting opportunity. Join us at ENERCOMP and contribute to ground-breaking advancements in the field of composite materials.

Application Requirements:

- Detailed CV.
- Cover letter.
- List of publications.
- Slides from a recent presentation in a conference or seminar.
- Three or more PDFs of recent publications considered by the candidate as being representative of his research work.
- List of three referees with complete contact information, including full details of last employer

Interested applicants should send their complete application package to Prof. Gilles Lubineau (gilles.lubineau@kaust.edu.sa) (With a systematic cc to khathijah.osman@kaust.edu.sa). PLEASE USE this as the subject of your email: **ENER_RS_COMPO**.

Only applications providing all requirements will be considered further.









Technology Consortium for Composites Performance in Energy Applications

ENERCOMP is a technology consortium on **Composite Asset Performance in Energy Applications**. It aims at increasing confidence and enabling further penetration of composite materials in the Energy sector by availing new technologies for integrity management. Its mission is to develop innovative integrity management solutions through collaborations with industry and academia by translating fundamental research into deployable technologies.



OUR VISION

To increase confidence and enable further penetration of composites materials in the Energy sector by availing new technologies for enhancing composite performance and integrity management.



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Open Positions

- Research Scientist in Composite Integrity
- Research Scientist in Computational Integrity of Composites
- Research Scientist in AI and Digital Twins of Composites
- · Research Scientist in NDT
- Research Technician in Composite Testing.
- Research Technician in NDT
- Research Technician in Sensing Devices for Composites
- Project Management Officer
- Admin Assistant









KING ABDULLAH UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (KAUST)

Established in 2009, King Abdullah University of Science and Technology (KAUST) is a graduate research university devoted to finding solutions for some of the most pressing scientific and technological challenges in the world as well as Saudi Arabia in the areas of food and health, water, energy, environment and the digital domain. **KAUST** is a curiosity-driven, interdisciplinary problem-solving environment, with state-of-the-art labs, distinguished faculty and talented students.

KAUST brings together the best minds from around the world to advance research. More than 120 different nationalities live, work and study on campus. KAUST is also a catalyst for innovation, economic development and social prosperity, with research resulting in novel patents and products, enterprising startups, regional and global initiatives, and collaboration with other academic institutions, industries and Saudi agencies.

ENERCOMP is located on the **Mechanics of Composites for Energy and Mobility** Laboratory **(MCEM)**. Building 4, Level 2.



