



Fellow	Host Institution No.1: City, University of London		Country: United
			Kingdom
DC9	Supervisor:	Prof. Abdulnaser Sayma	WP No: 3
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**Title:** Fundamental studies to enhance off-design performance of megawatt scale sCO<sub>2</sub> compressors

**Research Objectives:** (1) To explore the optimisation of the overall compressor flow path including inlet, impeller, diffuser, volute, and secondary flow paths to maximise performance of the compressor. (2) To validate the different compressor flow path modules numerically and experimentally. (3) To investigate design modifications and operational strategies to enhance part-load control such as inlet guide vanes.

**Applicant - specifications:** in addition to the general specifications (eligibility criteria) listed above, the applicant must feature the following requirements:

- Earned degree:
  - MSc in Mechanical Engineering (or related area). Preference will be given to candidates with a major in energy or related areas
- Background (mandatory):
  - o Thermodynamics
  - o Turbomachinery design and analysis
  - o Optimisation techniques in engineering systems
  - Matlab/Python programming
- Additional background that will be valued in the selection process:
  - Simulation of thermal systems
  - o Turbomachinery and heat exchanger design and analysis
  - o Matlab Simulink
  - Materials science and engineering
- English language:
  - An IELTS qualification of minimum 6.5

## Scheme:

• M1-M36: the applicant is hired by City, University of London

## Locations (place of work):

M1-M36: the applicant will be employed by City, University of London:
Northampton Square, London EC1V OHB Google Maps: link

**Planned secondments:** No planned secondments but will be revised according to career development plan.

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**How to apply:** apply online via the City, University website:

https://www.city.ac.uk/about/jobs/apply/details.html?jobId=2828&jobTitle=Marie%20Curie%20Doctoral%20Position%3A%20Control%20of%20sCO2%20Power%20cycles

The Application Package is comprised of:

- CV
- Letter of motivation
- Copy of transcripts and of their degree, and a copy of a thesis or any other publication (if available)

## Contract:

- Start date (estimate): September 2023
- Type: full-time exclusive
- Gross salary: £36,386
- An additional (family) allowance is available for candidates who have family obligations (applied from and until this condition applies)

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