

To the attention of:
Mr Carlos MOEDAS
European Commissioner for Research, Science and Innovation
European Commission
200 rue de la Loi
1049 Brussels
Belgium

Toulouse, October 13 th, 2017

Subject: Endorsement of the « European Charter for researchers and the Code of conduct for the recruitment of researchers » by the University Toulouse III – Paul Sabatier

Dear Sir,

The University Toulouse III – Paul Sabatier, represented by its President Professor Jean-Pierre VINEL, wishes to express its formal commitment to support the « European Charter for researchers and the Code of conduct for the recruitment of researchers ».

One of the heirs to the University of Toulouse founded in 1228, the University Toulouse III – Paul Sabatier was officially created in 1969 as the grouping of the faculties of Health, Pharmacy and Sciences. It is now a first-rank French university, thanks to the renown of its research laboratories as well as its undergraduate, graduate and doctoral programs in Sciences, Health, Sports, Technology and Engineering.

Education at the University Toulouse III – Paul Sabatier in few figures:

- about 31 500 students
- 57 Bachelor of Science, Engineering and Technology programs
- 22 Technology Diplomas (2-year program in the "Instituts Universitaires de Technologie")
- 29 Master of Science, Engineering and Technology programs
- Excellent rate of employment of students (> 90 % within the 30 months following their Master's degree)

Within the University Toulouse III – Paul Sabatier, research is organized into 5 committees: Biology, Agronomy Biotechnologies and Health; Mathematics, Sciences and Technologies of Information and Engineering; Sciences of Matter; Universe, Planets, Space and Environment; Social sciences and Humanities.

Research at the University Toulouse III – Paul Sabatier in few figures:

- 68 research structures
- 11 doctoral schools
- about 1750 doctoral candidates
- about 400 doctorates awarded each year
- about 2500 professors, associate professors and teachers
- 21 members of the "Institut Universitaire de France"

We agree with the general values, principles and requirements of the European Charter and Code and are committed to carry out the necessary steps of this evaluation process in our institution. We thereby wish to contribute towards a European Research Area with a Human Resources strategy for Research that supports excellence in research.

With best regards,



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President of the University Toulouse III- Paul Sabatier

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