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European Commission,
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Subject: Declaration of interest concerning the European Commission's call for proposals, Fintech: Support to experimentation frameworks and regulatory compliance, ICT-35-2018

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Bank of Greece has been approached by Prof. Veni Arakelian, as a representative from Panteion University, regarding the project proposal 'FIN-TECH: A FINancial TECHnology training platform' that will be submitted by 27 Universities and FinTech companies (along with Panteion University) in response to the European Commission's Call for proposals on Fintech: Support to experimentation frameworks and regulatory compliance, ICT-35-2018.

To our understanding, the aforementioned team of Universities and FinTech companies is proposing the development of a research based educational program in the areas of Cyber risk management, Machine Learning, Distributed Ledger Technology, Cryptoassets, Artificial Intelligence, that the staff of the Bank of Greece (BoG) could take free of charge. The technological areas mentioned are of interest to BoG.

We thus endorse such knowledge transfer, from academic institutions and FinTech companies to public service entities, like BoG, and confirm that we would be interested in participating and benefiting from the proposed educational program.

We hereby confirm that we will assign the necessary time in the proposed education program, and participate in the project related workshops whenever possible.

Yours sincerely,

Yannis Stournaras