

## Project:

# PREFIT - Training Engineers for Remote Handling in Nuclear Fusion



## Client:

European Commission

## Organisation & Management:

Oxford Technologies Ltd organised & co-ordinated the PREFIT partnership, Tampere University & VTT (Finland) and CEA List (France), utilising 7 professional staff on this 3 year project.

## Aim:

Funded by the European Commission the training scheme is aimed at identifying and training the next generation of remote handling engineers for ITER.

PREFIT combines ITER relevant research projects with training activities related specifically to remote handling for fusion.

## Implementation:

PREFIT comprises an integrated programme of PhD level research projects with periods of classroom and on-the-job training.

Participants conduct their research projects at their employers site.

Classroom training is delivered by experts from each of the partners during an intensive two week period convened annually and hosted in rotation by each of the partners. On-the-job training is delivered during 6 month periods at each partner site in rotation. At successful completion the participants are awarded a PhD by the University of Tampere.