



# MARMARA UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF ENGINEERING ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

## ENVE 4197/4198 ENGINEERING PROJECT PROPOSAL FORM FALL 2023-2024

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Project Title: Phosphoric Acid Production from Sludge Ash by Using Biotechnological

Methods

Proposal No.: 1

Number of Students: 2-3

Requirements (from students): -

#### **Scope of the Project:**

The aim of the project is the production of phosphoric acid from sludge ash by using bio-H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> that will be produced by using enriched sulfur oxidizing bacteria. Column bioleaching reactors will be conducted for phosphoric acid production from sludge ash. Also, nanofiltration for elimination of metals and heavy metals will be studied.

### Hardware/Software/Lab/Equipment Requirements:

- Spectrophotometer
- Peristaltic Pumps
- Phosphate and Sulfate Kits
- Oven 105 and 550 °C,
- pH and Conductiviy meter

#### **Development Plan:**

- Column Experiments
- Nanofiltration Membrane Experiments