Marie Skłodowska-Curie Action - MSCA

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Marie Skłodowska-Curie Action (MSCA)

- In the Excellence Science Pillar
- Funds ALL RESEARCH AREAS (no thematic calls or priorities)
- Bottom-up
- Implemented via Annual Calls for Proposals
• Innovative Training Networks

• Research & Innovation Staff Exchange

• Co-financing fellowship or doctoral programmes with transnational mobility

• European Researchers’ Night

• Individual Fellowships
Funding for PIs

- **ITN** • Innovative Training Networks
- **RISE** • Research & Innovation Staff Exchange
- **COFUND** • Co-financing fellowship or doctoral programmes with transnational mobility
- **NIGHT** • European Researchers’ Night
- **IF** • Individual Fellowships
Individual Fellowships (IF)

• A personal fellowship to support a period of **mobility**
• For **Experienced Researchers**
  • Post-PhD or equivalent
  • No upper experience limit
  • No age limits
• **Fully-funded** fellowships
• Supports **Career Restart** and **Reintegration** into Europe
• Optional **secondment** during fellowship
Individual Fellowships (IF)

European Fellowship (12-24 months)
- Standard
- Reintegration
- Career Restart
- Society/Enterprise

Global Fellowship (24-36 months)
Individual Fellowships (IF)

Mobility Rule

• Can not apply for a fellowship in a country where you have lived or worked/studied for > 12 months in the 3 years prior to the Call deadline

• For Reintegration/Career Restart/Society-Enterprise: no more than > 3 years in the 5 years prior to the Call deadline
European Fellowships

1 – 2 years
1. Standard
2. Reintegration
3. Career Restart
4. Society/Enterprise

Global Fellowships

2 – 3 years
(incl. 12 months back in Europe)
Adjusted with a country correlation coefficient

Living allowance is gross salary cost. Net salary comes from deducting all direct taxes and social security contribution

Host organisation may pay a top-up
Application

**Part A**
- Forms
- Choose scientific area (8 different)
- Summary
- Descriptors
- Keyword
- Ethics
- Resubmission

**Part B1**
- Excellence
- Impact
- Implementation

Maximum 10 pages

**Part B2**
- CV (maximum 5 pages)
- Capacities of organisations
- Ethical aspects
- Letter of commitment (only GF)
Evaluation

- Operational capacity
- Award criteria
  - Excellence (50%)
  - Impact (30%)
  - Implementation (20%)
Evaluation

• Chemistry (CHE)
• Social Sciences and Humanities (SOC)
• Economic Sciences (ECO)
• Information Science and Engineering (ENG)
• Environment and Geosciences (ENV)
• Life Sciences (LIF)
• Mathematics (MAT)
• Physics (PHY)
# IF Calls 2018/2019

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**Success rates: ~ 20%**
Do you know a promising candidate? Could you host a Fellow? Could you be a Fellow?
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