

The National Hellenic Research Foundation, one of the largest Research Centers in Greece, with a strong tradition in EU Marie Skłodowska-Curie activities during the last decades, is interested in participating as a host organization in the following Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions:

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships (IF-EF) MSCA-IF-2015-EF Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships (IF-GF) MSCA-IF-2015-GF

MSCA IFs take the form of European Fellowships (EF) and Global Fellowships (GF). An application must be developed jointly by the researcher and supervisor. The project proposals are submitted by this host organization, which is represented by the supervisor, in liaison with the researcher. The applicants can submit their proposals to one of the 8 main evaluation panels: 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).

For European Fellowships the applicants can submit their proposals as Standard EF to one of the 8 main evaluation panels [1] or to one of the 2 multidisciplinary panels: Career Restart Panel (CAR) and Reintegration Panel (RI). The CAR panel provides financial support to individual researchers who want to resume research in Europe after a career break, while the RI panel is dedicated to researchers who want to return to Europe to reintegrate in a longer term research position. Global Fellowships GF are composed of an outgoing phase during which the researcher spends 1 to 2 years on secondment to a partner organization in a Third Country, plus a mandatory 12-month return period to a host organization (the beneficiary) located in a Member State or Associated Country.

Researchers who wish to cooperate with NHRF for the submission of a project proposal under the aforementioned actions should check that they fulfil the respective eligibility criteria and then send an expression of interest, consisting of a short CV and a two-page summary presentation of their research proposal indicating the host Institute and potential supervisor (optional) suitable to their expression of interest. NHRF consists of the following Institutes, as presented in the NHRF web site <u>www.eie.gr</u>

- Institute of Historical Research (IHR/NHRF)
- Theoretical and Physical Chemistry Institute (TPCI/NHRF)
- Institute of Biology, Medicinal Chemistry and Biotechnology (IBMCB/NHRF)

Expressions of interest must be submitted to NHRF by July 15, 2015 to mkont@eie.gr

NHRF welcomes project proposals relevant to all 8 abovementioned panels, however, priority will be given to those projects that fit best with research interests in the three Institutes of NHRF, and gain the support of at least one NHRF senior researcher. Proposals are pre-selected on the basis of internal evaluation and the availability of suitable supervision. Candidates will be informed of the results of the pre-selection by <u>August 1, 2015</u>. Please note that the deadline for submission of proposals to the Commission is <u>September 10, 2015</u>.

The latest call for this action was published on 23 July 2014. Detailed information on the eligibility criteria and further information can be found below: <u>http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/opportunities/h2020/calls/h</u> 2020-msca-if-2015.html

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