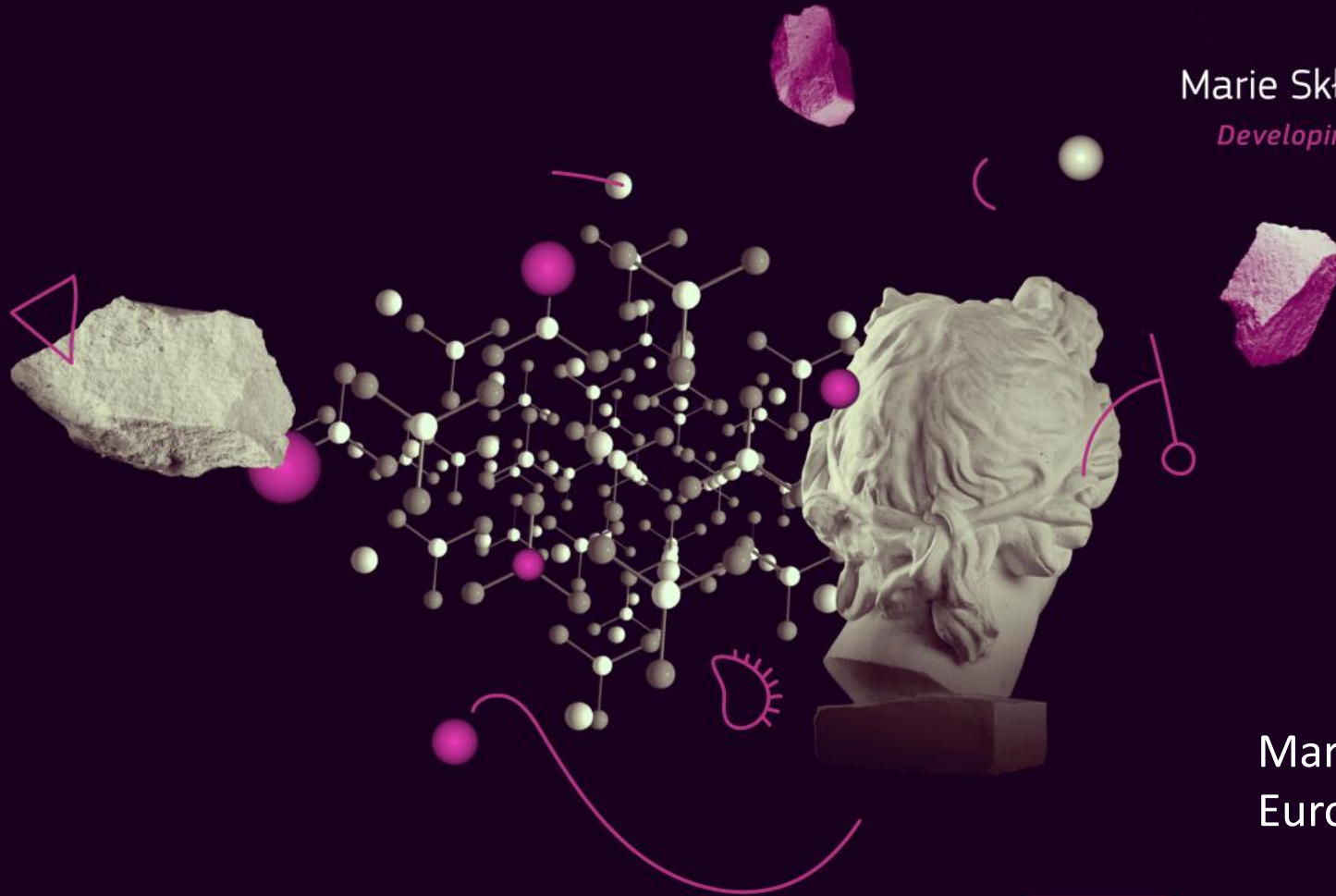




**MSCA**

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions

*Developing talents, advancing research*



# Overview of EU-funded research opportunities

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# Horizon Europe

## EURATOM

### EU FRAMEWORK PROGRAMME FOR RESEARCH & INNOVATION



**Pillar I**  
EXCELLENT SCIENCE

European Research Council

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions

Research Infrastructures



**Pillar II**  
GLOBAL CHALLENGES &  
EUROPEAN INDUSTRIAL  
COMPETITIVENESS

Clusters

- Health
- Culture, Creativity & Inclusive Society
- Civil Security for Society
- Digital, Industry & Space
- Climate, Energy & Mobility
- Food, Bioeconomy, Natural Resources, Agriculture & Environment

Joint Research Centre



**Pillar III**  
INNOVATIVE EUROPE

European Innovation  
Council

European Innovation  
Ecosystems

European Institute of  
Innovation & Technology\*

Fusion

Fission

Joint  
Research  
Center

### WIDENING PARTICIPATION AND STRENGTHENING THE EUROPEAN RESEARCH AREA

Widening participation & spreading excellence

Reforming & Enhancing the European R&I system

EUR 6.6  
billion

2021-2027

**Budget: EUR 95.5 billion**

# The MSCA have **5** main actions

## Doctoral Networks

**implement doctoral programmes** (including joint doctorates and industrial doctorates) **by international partnerships** of organisations from different sectors. They train highly-skilled doctoral candidates, stimulate their creativity, enhance their innovation capacities and boost their employability in the long-term.

## Postdoctoral Fellowships

**support researchers' careers and foster excellence in research and innovation.** Researchers holding a PhD can carry out their research activities, acquire new skills and develop their careers abroad, whilst developing competences in non-academic sectors and working within interdisciplinary teams.

## Staff Exchanges

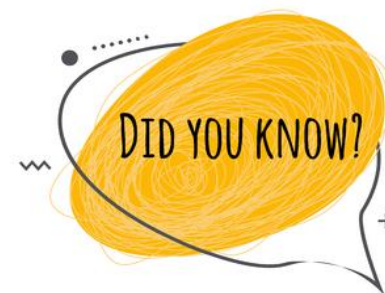
**encourage short-term international and inter-sectoral exchanges of research and innovation staff** through sustainable, collaborative projects in Europe and beyond. By doing so, they enhance knowledge and skills transfer and increase organisations' research and innovation capacities.

## MSCA and Citizens

**brings research and researchers closer to children, families and the public at large** through the European Researchers' Night - the annual research communication and promotion event taking place at the end of September across EU Member States and Horizon Europe Associated Countries.

## COFUND

**co-finances regional, national and international doctoral and postdoctoral programmes for researchers' training and career development.** The COFUND action spreads MSCA's best practices by setting high standards and excellent working conditions, and boosts training and international, interdisciplinary and inter-sectoral mobility.



**12 Nobel Prize winners** involved in the MSCA between 2012 and 2020

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# Key features



**Researchers' training, skills and career development (all stages of career)**



**Excellent research in all domains (bottom-up approach)**



**International, cross-sectoral & interdisciplinary mobility**



**Attractive working and employment conditions**



**Structuring impact on organisations through excellent programmes**



**Strong collaboration beyond academia**

# Are you an individual

... interested in doing a PhD?

... already holding a PhD and looking for postdoc opportunities?



# MSCA Doctoral Networks



## For early stage researchers

- Doctoral candidates not already in possession of a doctoral degree at the date of recruitment
- No age restriction
- Any nationality



## Mobility rule

- Must not have resided or carried out their main activity (work/studies) in the country of the recruiting beneficiary for more than 12 months in the 36 months immediately before the recruitment date

# EU funding

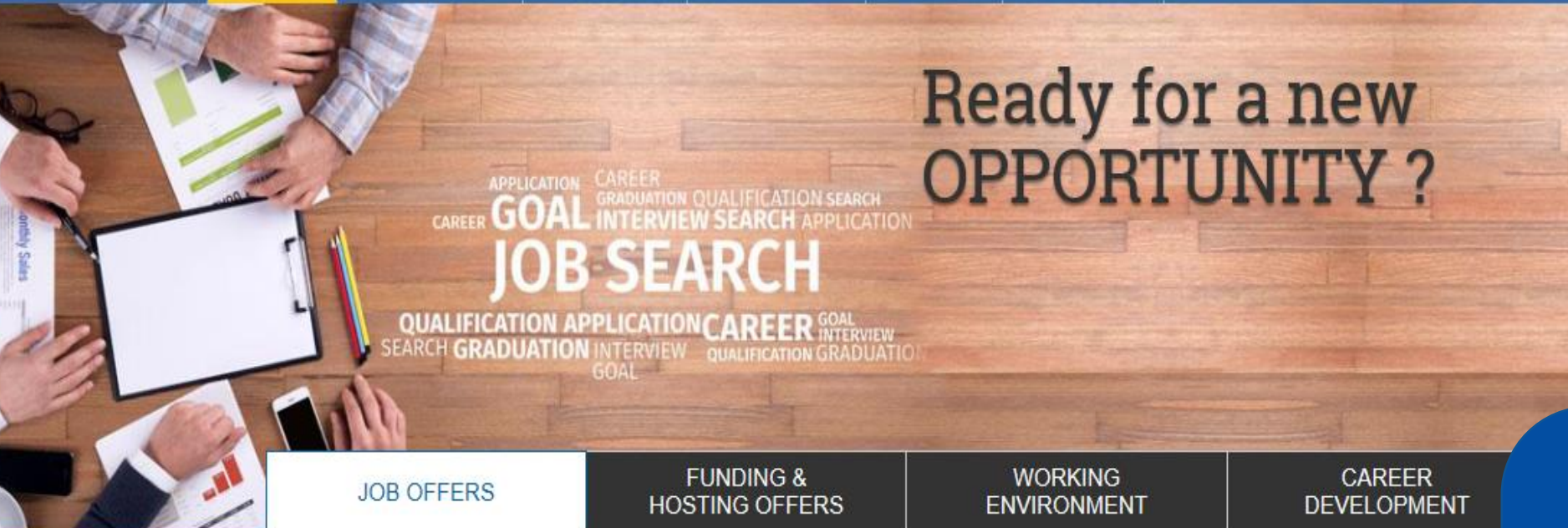
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=  
1 person/month



Researcher unit cost	Institutional unit cost	
"top-up allowance"	Research, training and networking	Management and indirect costs
<b>3400€</b> (living allowance)* <b>600 €</b> (mobility allowance) <b>660 €</b> (family allowance)**	<b>1600 €</b>	<b>1200 €</b>

\* adjusted through the application of a country correction coefficient

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- Not funded by an EU programme (7957)

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# Your search results (49)

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## Innovation and Engineering position in Paris

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**APPLICATION DEADLINE** 31/12/2021 12:00 - Europe/Brussels  
**RESEARCH FIELD** Engineering > Electronic engineering  
**LOCATION** France  
**COMPANY/INSTITUTE** Elvsys

30/11/2021



## Early-Stage Researcher (PhD candidate) in Quantum Information Processing

[READ MORE](#)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE** 22/12/2021 17:00 - Europe/Brussels  
**RESEARCH FIELD** Computer science > Informatics  
Physics > Quantum mechanics  
Technology > Quantum technology  
**LOCATION** Poland  
**COMPANY/INSTITUTE** University of Warsaw

30/11/2021



## 4 PhD positions in the EU Horizon 2020 Marie Skłodowska-Curie Project AUTOBarge on Autonomous... (# of pos: 4)

[READ MORE](#)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE** 29/01/2022 16:07 - Europe/Brussels  
**RESEARCH FIELD** Engineering > Systems engineering  
Engineering > Electrical engineering  
Engineering > Mechanical engineering  
Engineering > Control engineering  
Engineering > Computer engineering  
**LOCATION** Multiple Locations  
**COMPANY/INSTITUTE** KU Leuven

Click on the programme and apply directly!

# MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships



## For experienced researchers

- Have obtained a PhD at the date of the call deadline
- No age restriction
- Maximum 8 years (full-time) research experience since award of the (first) doctoral degree



## Nationality

- European Fellowship (coming to Europe): any nationality
- Global Fellowship (going to third country): national or long-term resident of EU MS or HE AC (5 years)

## Mobility rule

- Must not have resided or carried out their main activity in the country of the beneficiary (for European Fellowships) or associated partner (for Global Fellowships) for more than 12 months in the 36 months immediately before the call deadline

# How does it work?



## Open to all domains of research

- Bottom-up approach



## Find a host institution

- For European Fellowships: beneficiary from EU MS or HE AC
- For Global Fellowships: beneficiary + 1 associated partner from a third country, e.g. US

## Find a supervisor

Senior researcher appointed at the beneficiary to supervise the researcher

# European Fellowship

For researchers from  
Ukraine going to EU  
MS / HE AC

or

fellows moving within  
EU MS / HE AC  
(intra-European)

12-24 months



# Global Fellowship

12-24 months



12 months

For fellows from  
Europe  
**going to third  
country**

and then  
**returning to Europe**

**+ 6 months**  
in non-academic  
sector in MS/AC  
(optional)

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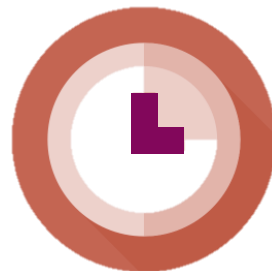
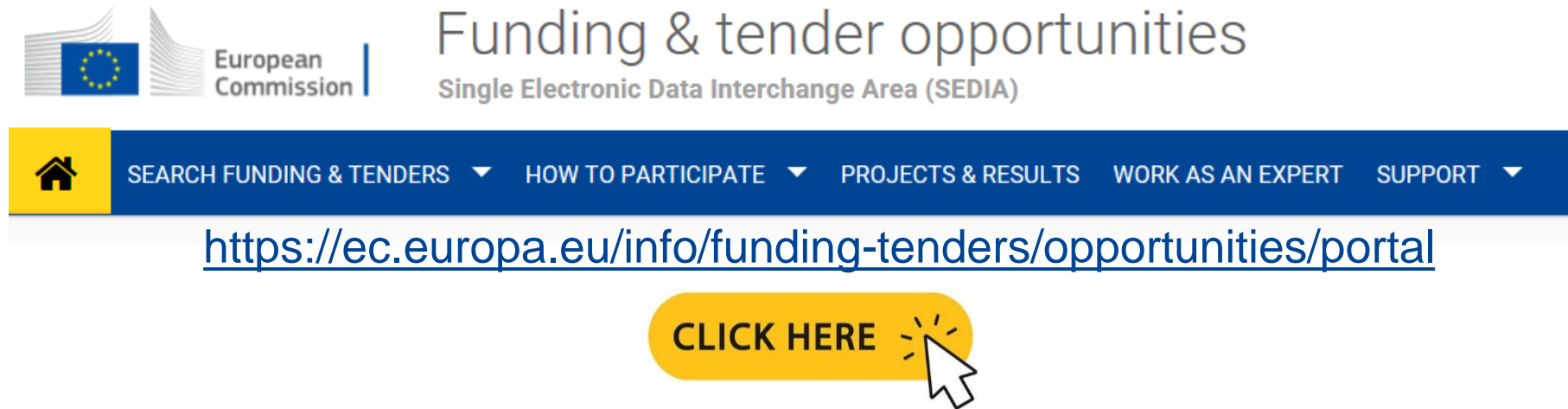


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# Where to apply?



## Next call for applications

Opened: 12 April 2023

Closing: 13 September 2023

# Summary

Researchers from Ukraine can participate in all MSCA actions

MSCA	Position	Where to find vacancies	Where to apply	Deadline
Doctoral Networks	PhD	<a href="#">EURAXESS</a>	Directly to programme	Programme specific
Postdoctoral Fellowships	Postdoc	Find host organisation	<a href="#">Funding &amp; Tenders Portal</a>	13 Sep 2023
COFUND	PhD Postdoc	<a href="#">EURAXESS</a>	Directly to programme	Programme specific



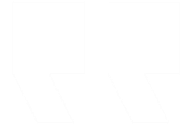
# Other opportunities

## ERA4Ukraine

- Support researchers of Ukraine by providing them with an overview of all existing actions at European and national levels.
- [More information](#).

## Horizon4Ukraine

- Opportunities in Horizon-funded research & innovation projects
- Announced by beneficiaries in such projects
- [More information](#)



# Thank you!

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