



### **Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowship – OPEN CALL**

**Marie Skłodowska- Curie Actions support career development and training of researchers through worldwide and cross-sector mobility. National Institute of Chemistry, Ljubljana, Slovenia, encourages researchers to apply for a grant with National Institute of Chemistry as Host Institution.**

National Institute of Chemistry, Ljubljana, Slovenia, is a leading Slovenian research institution in the field of chemistry and related disciplines. Close to 300 employees publish more than 250 scientific papers yearly and are strongly involved in EU funded projects.

Currently, approximately 50 graduate students are being trained at the Institute within the national Young Researchers Program for the acquisition of their PhD degrees. The young researchers represent about 20% of the Institute's staff members, making National Institute of Chemistry one of the leading Slovenian organizations for graduate-level education and training.

**NIC research is focused on life sciences, materials, engineering and analytics:**

#### **LABORATORIES:**

##### **LIFE SCIENCES**

- L01 Laboratory for Biocomputing and Bioinformatics
- L03 Laboratory of Chemometrics
- L11 Laboratory for Molecular Biology and Nanobiotechnology
- L12 Laboratory of Biotechnology
- L14 Laboratory of Biomolecular Structure
- L15 Slovenian NMR Centre
- L17 Laboratory for Molecular Modelling

##### **MATERIALS, ENGINEERING AND ANALYTICS**

- L04 Laboratory for Analytical Chemistry
- L05 Laboratory for Environmental Sciences and Engineering
- L06 Laboratory for Food Chemistry
- L07 Laboratory for Polymer Chemistry and Technology
- L09 Laboratory for Inorganic Chemistry and Technology
- L10 Laboratory for Materials Chemistry
- L13 Laboratory of Catalysis and Chemical Reaction Engineering
- L16 Center for Validation Technologies and Analytics

National Institute of Chemistry offers state-of-the-art facilities, including the new AR-STEM microscope, which offers the best resolution in the region and the best local chemical analysis; and NMR centre for Central and South-East Europe. Specialized facilities and equipment for individual fields of research are also available.

**International Project Office at National Institute of Chemistry will provide applicants with all necessary support with drafting the proposal. In case the Marie Skłodowska Curie grant is granted, the applicant will be employed with a full time contract for the duration of the project (up to 24 months).**

In case of interest, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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## **INFORMATION ON MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE ACTIONS, INDIVIDUAL FELLOWSHIPS CALL**

**WEB page:**

<http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/opportunities/h2020/calls/h2020-msca-if-2014.html>

**Deadline:** 11<sup>th</sup> of September, 2014

The goal of Individual Fellowships is to enhance the creative and innovative potential of experienced researchers wishing to diversify their individual competence in terms of skill acquisition at multi- or interdisciplinary level through advanced training, international and intersectoral mobility.

**Scope:**

Support is foreseen for individual, trans-national fellowships awarded to the best or most promising researchers for employment in EU Member States or Associated Countries, based on an application made jointly by the researcher and host organization.

European Fellowships are held in EU Member States or Associated Countries and are open to researchers currently within and outside Europe.

A Career Development Plan should be established jointly by the supervisor(s) and the researcher. In addition to research objectives, this plan comprises the researcher's training and career needs, including training on transferable skills, planning for publications and participation in conferences.

**Eligible researchers:**

- Holding a doctoral degree or have at least four years of full-time equivalent research experience
- Have not resided or carried out their main activities in the country of their host organization for more than 12 months in the last 3 years

**Financial support:**

Flat-rate financial contribution for the entire duration of the project applies (*indicative table*).

<b>Living allowance</b>	<b>Mobility allowance</b>	<b>Family allowance</b>
4,003.65 EUR	600	500