

Partnering Opportunity

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Research & Development Request

Career-FIT PLUS - Experienced researchers sought for Career Development Fellowships in National Technology Centres and Gateways Programme

Summary

Following the success of Career-FIT, a new CO-FUND programme has been launched entitled Career-FIT PLUS which aims to enhance the training and mobility of experienced researchers through the undertaking of individually driven, market-focused research projects in Ireland which will be centred around the domain areas of designated Technology Centres and Technology Gateways. Experienced researchers are sought for industry-focused collaborative projects in those domain areas.

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Details

Description

Following the success of Career-FIT, a new CO-FUND programme called "Career-FIT PLUS" has been launched.

Two calls for proposals will award a total of 50 Fellowships to highly skilled researchers to conduct a research project of 36 months in Ireland, including a secondment opportunity in an enterprise partner of the Technology Centre/Gateway.

The Career-FIT PLUS Fellows will have the unique opportunity to carry out research in areas of clear industry focus and gain first-hand experience in a company.

Researchers awarded a Fellowship will be hosted and employed by a Third Level Institution associated with a Technology Centre/Gateway in Ireland.

Fellows will be guided by an experienced Academic mentor as well as a Company mentor who

are concerned not just for their scientific progress but also their training and development in line with the agreed career goals. They will further benefit from participation in a structured development training programme that targets enhancement of personal effectiveness as well as competencies relating to innovation management.

Like its predecessor, it is envisaged to recruit 50 Experienced Researchers (PostDocs or similar) to work on industry-focused research collaborative projects in Ireland for three years.

Each Fellow will receive an attractive salary and training package and will have the opportunity to be seconded to the partner company for up to 12 months.

They will further benefit from exposure to the Technology Centre / Gateway's (www.technologygateway.ie) activities in the R&D and innovation field as well as other opportunities provided by the host academic institution and partner company.

Having both an academic mentor and a company mentor will also provide ample career guidance to the Fellows.

The deadline for EOI's will be the 19th of Dec 2019 and deadline for the call will also be the 19th of Dec 2019.

Advantages and Innovations

1. Unique opportunity to carry out research in areas of clear industry focus and gain first-hand experience in a company.
2. Researchers awarded a Fellowship will be hosted and employed by a Third Level Institution associated with a Technology Centre/Gateway in Ireland.
3. Fellows will be guided by an experienced Academic mentor as well as a Company mentor who are concerned not just for their scientific progress but also their training and development in line with the agreed career goals.
4. They will further benefit from participation in a structured development training programme that targets enhancement of personal effectiveness as well as competencies relating to innovation management.

Stage of Development

Project in negotiations - urgent

Keywords

Technology

11002 Education and Training

Market

09004008 Other manufacturing (not elsewhere classified)

Network Contact

Issuing Partner

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Open for EOI : **Yes**

Dissemination

Relevant Sector Groups

Aeronautics, Space and Dual-Use Technologies
Agrofood
Bio Chem Tech
Creative Industries
Environment
Healthcare
ICT Industry and Services
Intelligent Energy
Maritime Industry and Services
Materials
Mobility
Nano- and Microtechnologies
Retail
Sustainable Construction
Textile and Fashion
Tourism and Cultural Heritage
Women entrepreneurship

Client

Type and Size of Organisation Behind the Profile

Other

Year Established

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Already Engaged in Trans-National Cooperation

Yes

Languages Spoken

English

Client Country

Ireland

Partner Sought

Type and Role of Partner Sought

Experienced researchers are sought that are post-docs or that have at least 4 years full-time experience in one or more of the following domains:

- Wireless solutions.
- Precision engineering & manufacturing.
- Medical and engineering technologies.
- Applied biotechnology.
- Intelligent mechatronics & RFID (radio-frequency identification).
- Innovation through light.
- Embedded computing and software systems.
- Engineered materials.
- Pharmaceuticals & healthcare.
- Mobile services.
- Applied design.
- Bio diagnostics.
- Coatings innovation.
- Connected media.
- Polymer technologies.

Type of Partnership Considered

Research cooperation agreement

Program - Call

Framework Program

H2020

Call title and identifier

MSCA CO-FUND. Career-FIT PLUS call1

Submission and evaluation scheme

CO-FUND

Coordinator Required

No

Deadline for EOI

19 Dec 2019

Deadline of the Call

19 Dec 2019

Project Duration

156 week(s)

Weblink to the Call

<https://www.horizon2020.ie/career-fit-plus/call-for-proposals/#>

Project Title and Acronym

Career Development Fellowships in National Technology Centres and Gateways Programme