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**Eligible Researchers**

Researchers shall be in possession of a doctoral degree or have at least four years of full-time equivalent research experience. At the time of the deadline for submission, they shall **not have resided or carried out their main activity (work, studies, etc) in the country of their host organisation for more than 12 months in the 3 years** immediately prior to the submission date.

**Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships** – 2 types of grants

**1.** [**European Fellowships**](http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/opportunities/h2020/topics/msca-if-2017.html) **(EF)**

* Held in the EU or associated countries.
* Open to researchers either coming to Europe or moving within Europe.
* Can help to restart research careers after a break such as parental leave.

Can also help reintegrate researchers coming back to Europe.

**2.** [**Global Fellowships**](http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/opportunities/h2020/topics/msca-if-2017.html) **(GF)**

* Fund periods of work outside Europe (12-24 mths) for researchers based in the EU or associated countries.
* Include a mandatory one-year return period in Europe

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**Proposal Information:** \*RequiredTop of Form

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| **Select the type of Marie Curie Action**: \* [ ]  European Fellowships[ ]  Global Fellowships | **Duration of the fellowship:** \*[ ]  12 months [ ]  24 months[ ]  36 months (for GF only) |
| **Research Proposal Title:** \* |
| **Free Key words** (maximum 6)\* |
| **Preferred Host University School/Department/Unit** |
| **Potential Cardiff Mentor** |
| **Research Proposal Abstract:** \* Provide a description of your research idea (up to 2 pages) |

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| **Researcher Personal Details\*** |
| **First name (s) \*** | **Last name (s) \*** |
| **Nationality\*** | **Current country of residence\*** |
| **Email address\*** |
| **Current Institution** | **Date of PhD Award** |
| **Profile \***Fill in a brief résumé (up to 2 pages) along with publications. Specify if you meet compulsory requirements for applying: 1. must have either a doctoral degree or at least 4 years’ full-time research professional experience, after obtaining a degree permitting you to embark on a doctorate.
2. you have not resided or carried out your main activity in the UK for more than 12 months in the last three years (European Fellowship) or have not resided or carried out your main activity in the country where the Global Fellowship secondment will take place.
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| **Reasons for selecting Cardiff University as a host institution** (please specify which department you best fit with and if you have already identified a potential mentor for your proposal or which skills/experience your mentor should have)  |