



Mobility Funding Opportunities & Postdoctoral Fellowships

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Agenda

- ◆ Fellowships – An overview Antoinette Musard
- ◆ Fellowships for young researchers Delphine Julien
- ◆ Successful application – Golden tips Delphine Julien
- ◆ Q&A Session

EPFL's Research Office



Mission

- ◆ Transmission belt between research and funding
 - ◆ Support researchers in their funding applications
 - ◆ Assist with the operational management of large projects
 - ◆ Coordinate the acquisition of scientific equipment
 - ◆ Safeguard EPFL's interests and reputation in research



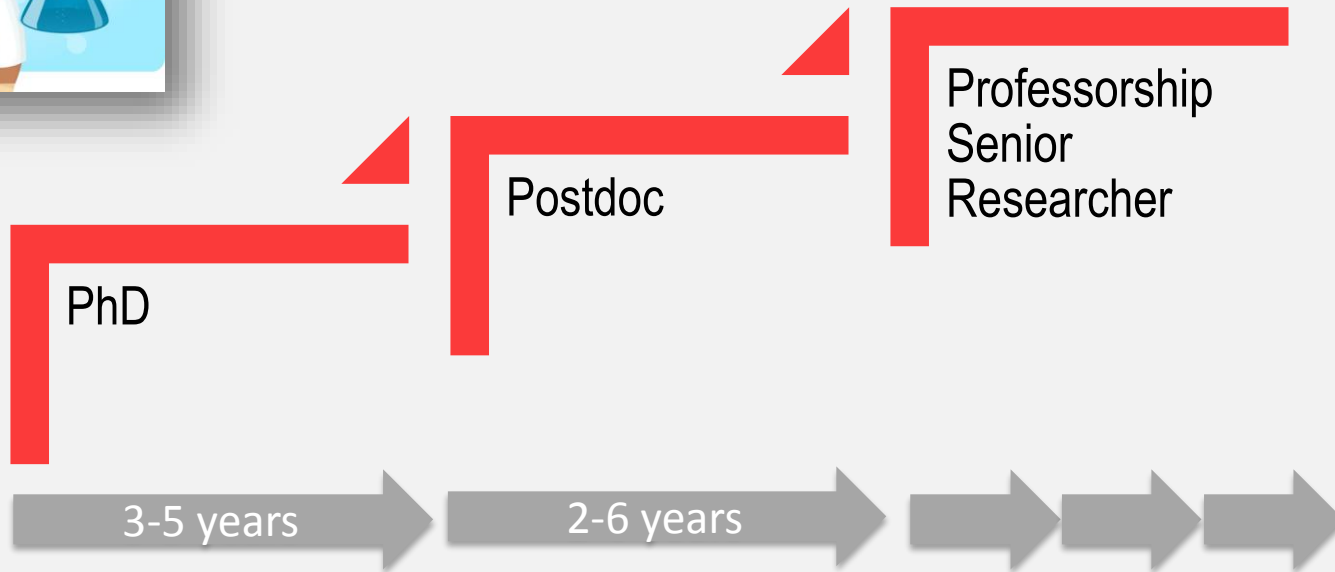
Goal

- ◆ Make EPFL increasingly successful in competitive funding
- ◆ Contribute to EPFL's attractiveness for top researchers

Fellowships – An overview

By Vanessa Terrazzoni / Antoinette Musard

The Academic Path



How to fund a postdoc?

Fellowship programs

Research network

Job offers



Application to fellowship programs

- Swiss National Sciences Agency - SNSF
- European Commission - Horizon 2020 - MSCA
- Other national science agencies
- Foundations
- Academic Institutions
- Industries

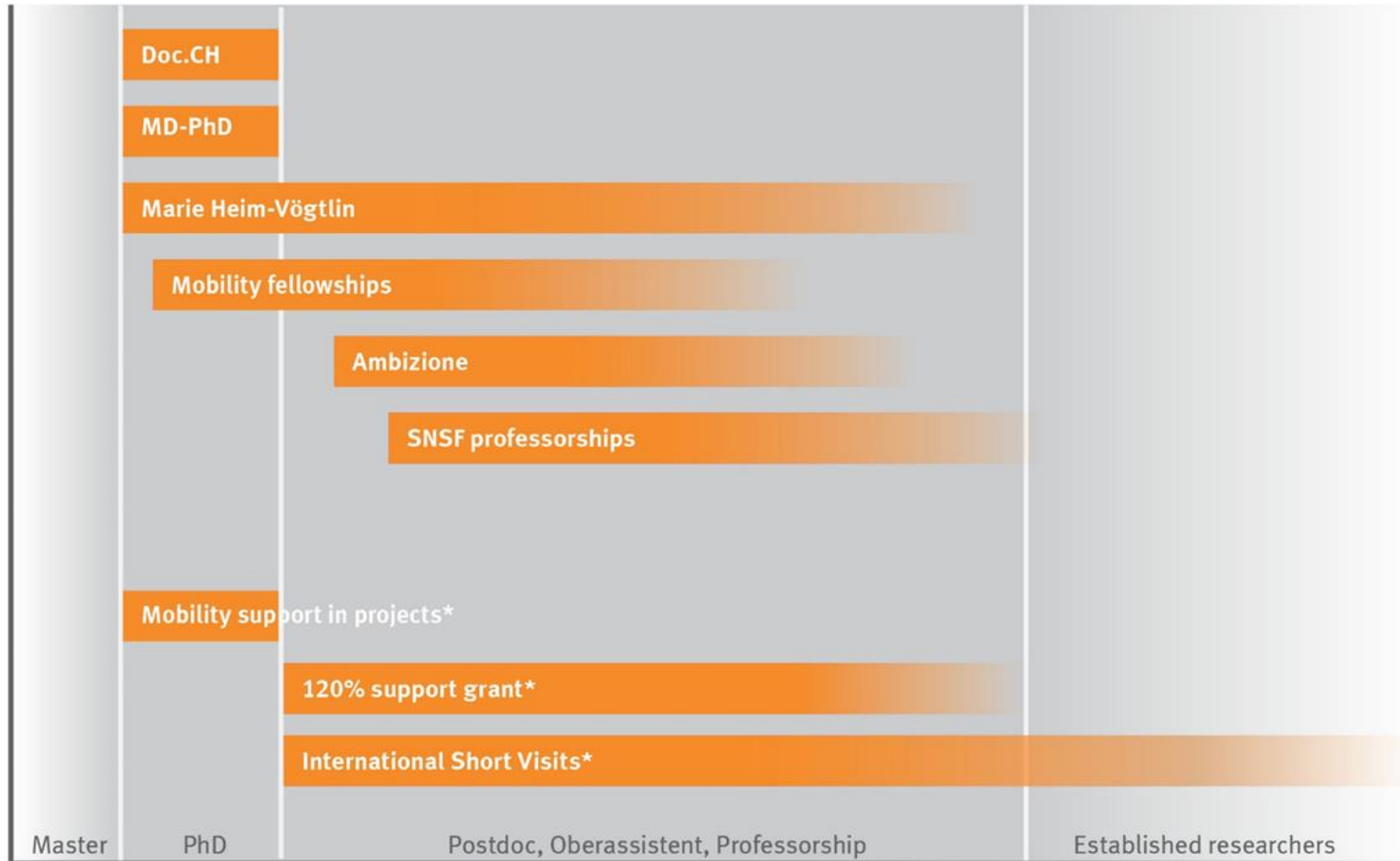
Find a lab which will fund your postdoc

- Employing you on its lab funds
- Including you on a research project

Examples

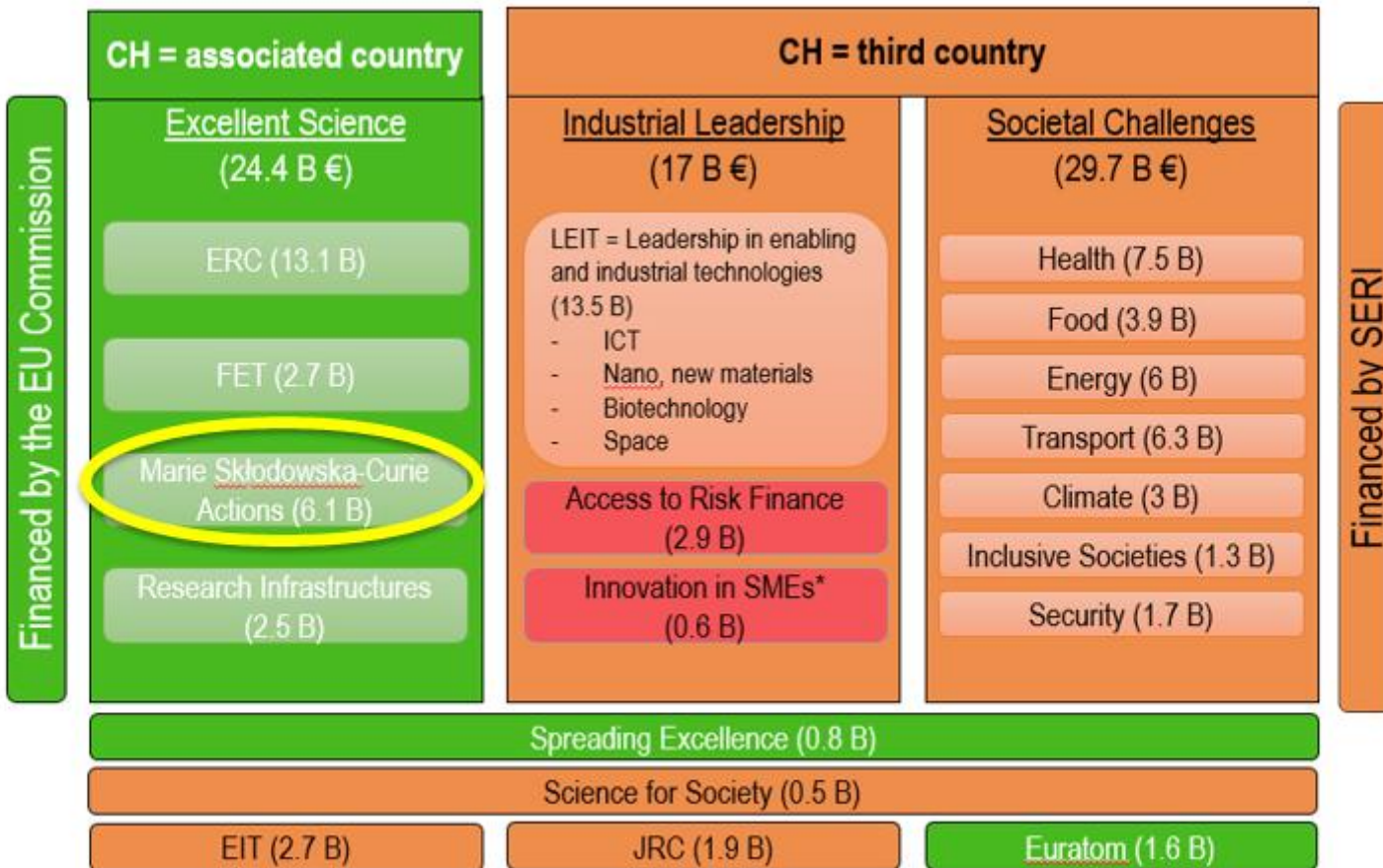
- Euraxess website
- University websites
- Nature.com
- Myscience.ch
- Researchgate.net
- Academicpositions.eu
- Jobs.sciencecareers.org

SNSF career funding schemes



* Career promotion measures

H2020 & Status of Switzerland

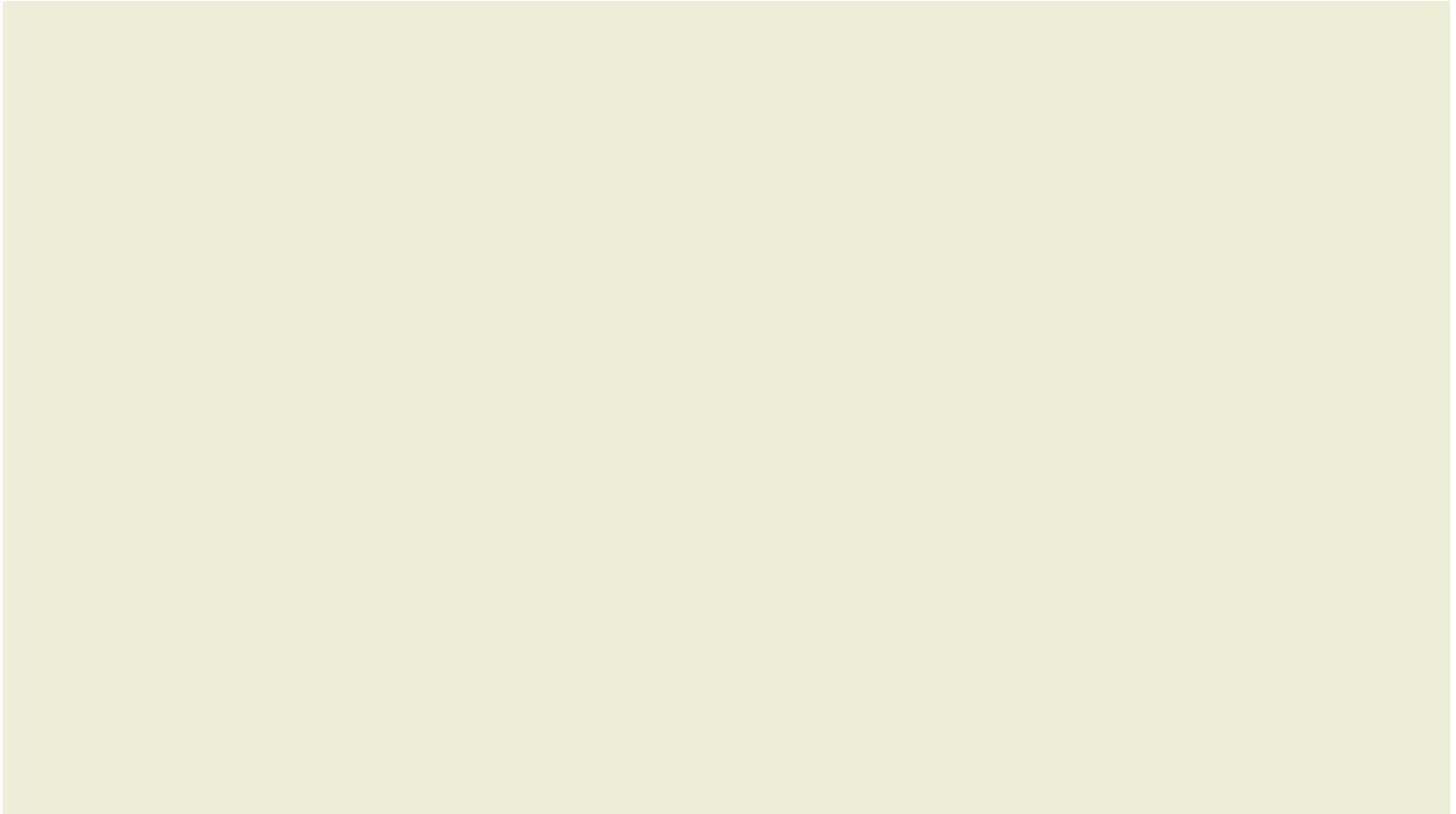


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MSCA Overview



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S-fDoxerKeA>

Overview of some opportunities

uicc
global cancer control
A MEMBERSHIP ORGANISATION
FIGHTING CANCER TOGETHER

MS
National Multiple Sclerosis Society

EMBL
European Molecular Biology Laboratory

CANCER RESEARCH INSTITUTE

EMBO
excellence in life sciences

EPFL FELLOWS
Deepen your research experience at EPFL

FEBS

Durham University

AIRC

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION MALAYSIA
Malaysian International Scholarship (MIS)

University of Colorado Boulder

HARVARD Kennedy School
MOSSAVAR-RAHMANI CENTER
for Business and Government
Sustainability Science Program

NSF

Banting
Postdoctoral Fellowships

society in science
The Branco Weiss Fellowship

HOSEI University

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FNSNF
SWISS NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

FCT
Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia
MINISTÉRIO DA CIÊNCIA, TECNOLOGIA E ENSINO SUPERIOR

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

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ERS
EUROPEAN RESPIRATORY SOCIETY

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Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung/Foundation

Wallonie - Bruxelles International.be

HFSP

NIH
National Institutes of Health

I R P
International Foundation for Research in Paraplegia
Fondation internationale pour la recherche en paraplégié
Internationale Stiftung für Forschung in Paraplegie

ETH zürich

california alliance
BERKELEY UCLA STANFORD CALTECH

National funding opportunities: Canada

Banting postdoctoral fellowships	
What	Areas of research: Health research, Natural sciences and/or engineering, social sciences and/or humanities
How much	http://banting.fellowships-bourses.gc.ca/en/app-dem_elig-adm.html
How long	2 years (non-renewable)
Main eligibility rules	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PhD• Any nationality: Canadian citizens or permanent residents of Canada, who obtained their PhD from a Canadian university may hold their Banting Postdoctoral Fellowship at either a Canadian institution or an institution outside of Canada; others may only hold their Banting Postdoctoral Fellowship at a Canadian institution
When to apply	September 2017
When to start	April – October 2018
Link	http://banting.fellowships-bourses.gc.ca/en/app-dem_overview-apercu.html http://banting.fellowships-bourses.gc.ca/en/app-dem_elig-adm.html

National Funding opportunities: United States

Fulbright Visiting Scholar Program	
What	Flagship international educational exchange program sponsored by the U.S. Government, designed to increase mutual understanding between the United States and the people of other specific countries.
How much	Award benefits vary according to the specific country program details, but all include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• a monthly stipend• a one-time settling-in allowance• a one-time professional allowance• limited accident and medical coverage provided by the Department of State
How long	3-10 months
Main eligibility rules	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Citizenship from a Fulbright Program participation country (http://www.cies.org/vs_scholars/vs_awards/vs_countries.htm)• PhD• A detailed project statement or proposed activity at a U.S. institution• English proficiency appropriate to the proposed teaching and/or research project
How to apply	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Contact your country's Fulbright commission or the public affairs section of the U.S. Embassy
Link	http://www.cies.org/program/core-fulbright-visiting-scholar-program

National Funding opportunities: Netherlands

Innovation Research Incentive Scheme - Veni	
What	Veni allows researchers who have recently obtained their PhD to conduct independent research and develop their ideas for a period of three years in the Netherlands.
How much	Max. 250'000 euros
How long	3 years
Main eligibility rules	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Excellent researchers with a striking and original talent as well a considerable fascination for doing challenging and pioneering research• Any nationality• PhD within the last 3 years
When to apply	10 January 2017
Link	http://www.nwo.nl/en/funding/our-funding-instruments/nwo/innovational-research-incentives-scheme/veni/index.html

Foundations: Branco Weiss Fellowship

Branco Weiss Fellowship	
What	Generous personal research grant for research projects having an important impact on the society
How much	The amount granted is CHF 100'000/year. It may be used to cover all legitimate cost of research (i.e. salary and/or equipment, travel cost, consumables, personnel etc.).
How long	5 years (non-renewable), pioneer and exploitation phase
Main eligibility rules	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PhD completed by January 16 of the year of the submission• Record of outstanding scientific achievement• Demonstrate in the proposal the willingness to engage in a dialogue on relevant social, cultural, political or economic issues across the frontiers of your particular discipline
When to apply	January 15, 2017
Link	http://www.society-in-science.org/about-us.html

Foundations: AXA Post-doctoral Fellowships

AXA Post-doctoral Fellowships	
What	Post-Doctoral fellowship for projects in basic sciences dedicated to developing a better understanding of global risks in the following fields: environmental, life, socio-economic and 4 th industrial revolution
How much	Up to 130'000 euros
How long	18-24 months
Main eligibility rules	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Applicants without a permanent academic position• PhD obtained max. 3 years before the submission deadline; eligibility period may be extended for up to 6 years in the event of documented career breaks
When to apply	30 May 2017
Link	https://www.axa-research.org/en/page/post-doctoral-fellowships

Other COFUND Actions (non-exhaustive)



Other COFUND Actions (non-exhaustive)	
LEaDing Fellows	Postdoctoral research of 2 years at Leiden University, Delft University of Technology, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Leiden University Medical Center and Erasmus Medical Center. Next deadline: February 2017 http://www.leiden-delft-erasmus.nl/en/research/leading-fellows-postdoc-programme
WIRL	University of Warwick Interdisciplinary Research Leadership Programme Next deadline: 16 December 2016 http://www2.warwick.ac.uk/fac/cross_fac/ias/wirl/
COFUNDfellows DTU	All fields, Technical University of Denmark (DTU) Next deadline: 23 February 2017 http://www.dtu.dk/english/Research/Research-at-DTU/HC-Oersted-Postdoc-COFUND
RIFP	Rutherford International Fellowship post-doctoral programme to work within Science and Technology Facilities Council (STFC) departments and facilities, as well as the Diamond Light Source. Next deadline: October 2017 http://www.stfc.ac.uk/funding/fellowships/rutherford-international-fellowship-programme/

→ Check more details on Cordis platform: http://cordis.europa.eu/projects/home_en.html

How to prepare your fellowship?

Step 1 – Be aware of the eligibility criteria

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA	
MOBILITY	The researcher must move in another country or have recently moved to EPFL
RESEARCH TOPIC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bottom-up approach: defined by the Researcher• Top-down approach: defined by the Funding Agency
HOST INSTITUTION	Eligibility of the host institution: country, partnerships, etc.
FELLOW	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Experience - PhD degree• Publication• Previous contact with the host institution• Nationality



Step 2 – Your strategy to get a fellowship



1. Networking

- Identification of potential faculty mentors
- Identification of potential fellowship opportunities
- First contact with potential mentors

2. Eligibility

- Mobility
- Relevance to the fellowship mission
- Eligibility of the researcher and host institution

3. Writing

- According to the applicant guidelines
- Criteria of the reviewers must be taken into account
- Collaboration with the mentor is highly recommended

4. Submission

- Support letter from the host institution/mentor may be required

For more details

www.researchprofessional.com

http://research-office.epfl.ch/fellowship-mobility-funding

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Show me opportunities that are closed Match all criteria Match any criteria Search

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Closing date		Max amount
June 16		
03 Jun 16 (Forecast)	SCAR Antarctic research fellowships International Council for Science, FR	\$15,000
05 Jun 16 (Forecast)	Fellowships European institutes for Advanced Study, FR and other funders	Not specified
30 Jun 16 (Forecast)	International fellowships and grants International Federation of University Women, CH	SFr.10,000
30 Jun 16	Research fellowships in heart failure	€60,000

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Daphne Jackson Trust

The Daphne Jackson Trust is the UK's leading organisation dedicated to realising the potential of scientists and engineers returning to research following a career break.

Click here for further information on our Fellowships and how to apply

Deadlines approaching for Medical Research Scotland sponsored and Biochemical Society sponsored Fellowships

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Fellowship & Mobility Funding

Most popular fellowship and mobility funding

- For PhD
- For Postdoc

PhD Fellowship & Mobility Funding

SNSF Doc.CH (HSS)
Upcoming Call Deadline: September 10, 2016

- SNSF Doc.CH EPFL Instructions
- SNSF Doc.CH Webpage

SNSF Doc.Mobility
Upcoming Call Deadline: September 1, 2016

- SNSF Doc.Mobility EPFL Instructions
- SNSF Doc.Mobility Webpage

SNSF Marie Heim-Vögtlin Grants I For women only
Upcoming Call Deadline: August 2, 2016

- SNSF Marie Heim-Vögtlin EPFL Instructions
- SNSF Marie Heim-Vögtlin Webpage

Postdoctoral Fellowship & Mobility Funding

Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships
Upcoming Call Deadline: September 21, 2016

- Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships Webpage

EMBO Long-term Fellowships I Life & Molecular Sciences
Upcoming Call Deadline: August 12, 2016

- EMBO Long-term Fellowships Webpage

How to fund a postdoc?

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Application to fellowship programs

- Swiss National Sciences Agency - SNSF
- European Commission - Horizon 2020 - MSCA
- Other national science agencies
- Foundations
- Academic Institutions
- Industries

Find a lab which will fund your postdoc

- Employing you on its lab funds
- Including you on a research project

Examples

- **Euraxess website**
- University websites
- Nature.com
- Myscience.ch
- Researchgate.net
- Academicpositions.eu
- Jobs.sciencecareers.org

https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu

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EURAXESS - Researchers in Motion is a unique pan-European initiative delivering information and support services to professional researchers. Backed by the European Union and its Member States, it supports researcher

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Fellowships for young researchers

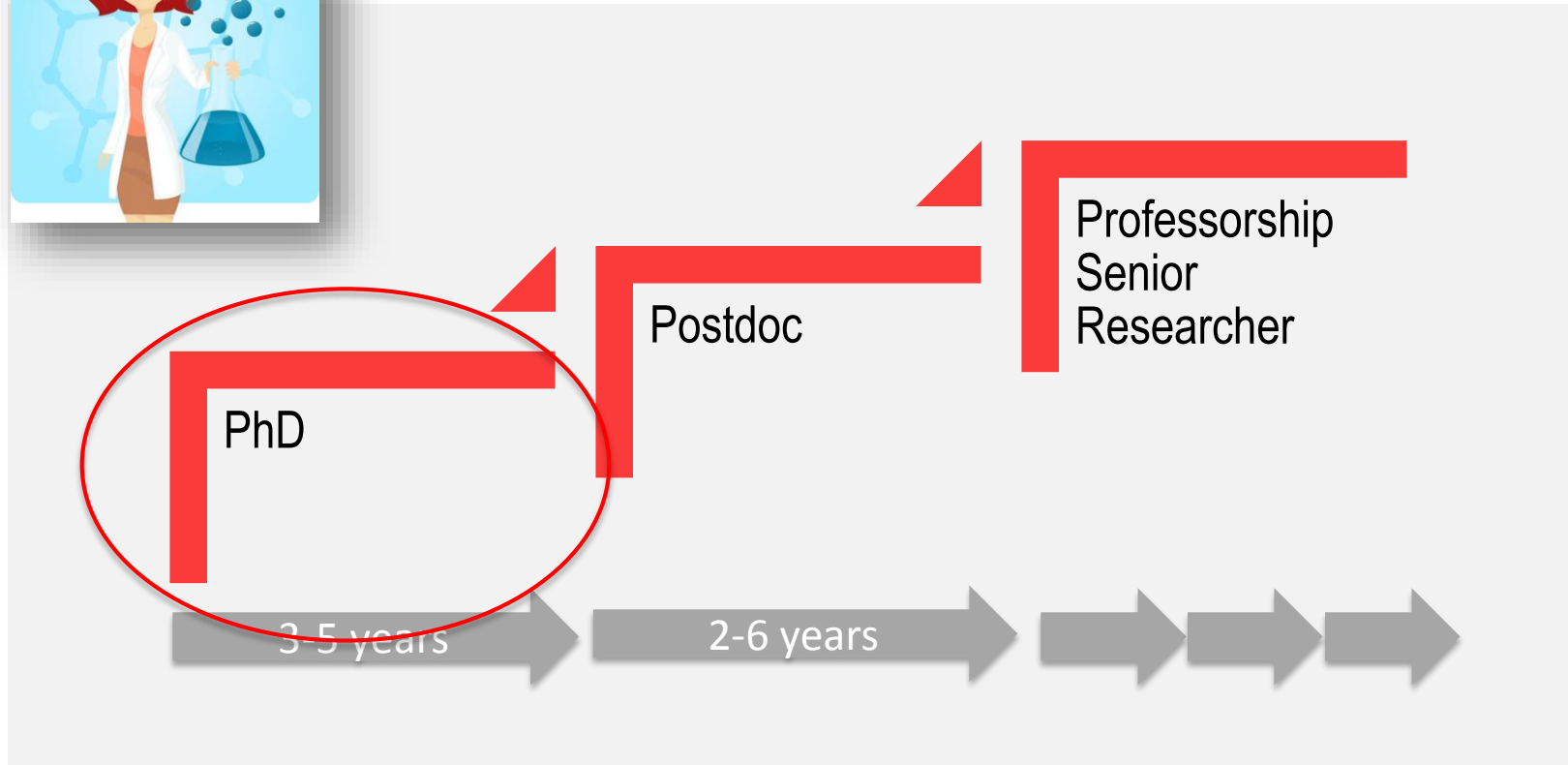
By Delphine Julen

Why do I need mobility?

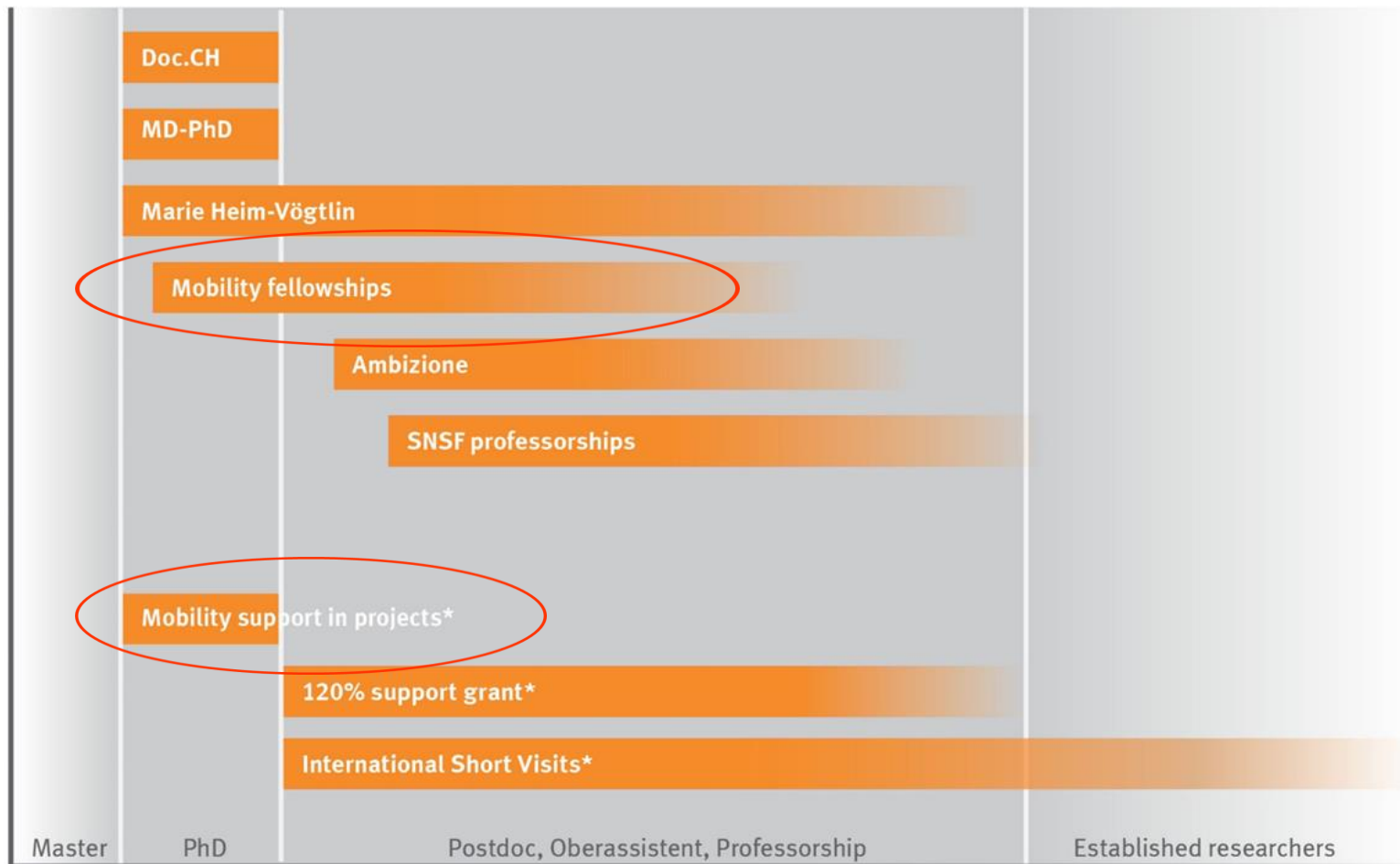
“Mobility is often presented as an indispensable element in the career trajectories: A stay – or multiple stays – abroad at other universities or research institutes is today often considered as a normative requirement of a successful academic career, in Switzerland or beyond.”

Transnational Mobility of Academics in the Early Stages of their Careers: Transforming or Reproducing Gender Regimes? Project funded by the SNSF
Prof. Janine Dahinden, Dr. Alina Toader, Martine Schaer, University of Neuchâtel, Switzerland

The Academic Path



SNSF career funding schemes



* Career promotion measures

Aim: Research stay abroad for **PhD students** during their thesis

Requirements:

- Matriculation as a doctoral student for **at least 12 months**
- Swiss nationality, or if foreign nationality a valid residence or cross-border commuter permit, or marriage /registered partnership with a Swiss; **permit must be valid on the submission deadline**
- For persons with foreign nationality, **at least 1 years of research** activity at a Swiss research institution

Duration: 6-18 months

Deadlines: **March 1 and September 1**

Submission: Via mySNF

Evaluation: Local SNSF Research Commission of the University where the applicant immatriculated

Start of the project: Earliest 4 and latest 16 months after the submission deadline

** Exceptions are possible in justified cases, e.g. family care duties, long illness*

Doc.Mobility – annual contribution

Basic amount	CHF 42'000 – 66'500 (depending on country & family status)
Child allowance	CHF 12'000 per child
Travel allowance	Outward and return journey (incl. partner/children)
Registration fees	75% or max. CHF 15'000 (only if justified)
Congress costs	Max. CHF 2'000
Research costs	Max. CHF 3'000 (only exceptionally)
Gender equality grant	Max. CHF 1'000 (for career development measures, only for female fellows)

Mobility in SNSF Project

Aim: Research stay abroad for **PhD students employed in an ongoing SNSF research project**

Requirements:

- The doctoral students are **employed in a research project funded by the SNSF**
- The stay abroad takes place **within the time-frame of the SNSF project**
- **Written confirmation from their supervisor/grantee** of the SNSF research project stating their support for the mobility and guaranteeing the employment of the doctoral student during the stay abroad;
- **Written confirmation from the host institution**

Duration: 6-12 months

Deadlines: **all year round**

Submission: Via mySNF as a supplementary grant for ongoing SNSF project.

At the latest 9 months before the end of the SNSF project

Evaluation: SNSF on a first come first serve basis

Start of the project: Earliest 3 months after the submission deadline

** Exceptions are possible in justified cases, e.g. family care duties, long illness*

Mobility in SNSF Project – financial contribution

Living costs

EPFL PhD salary maintained

Mobility allowance

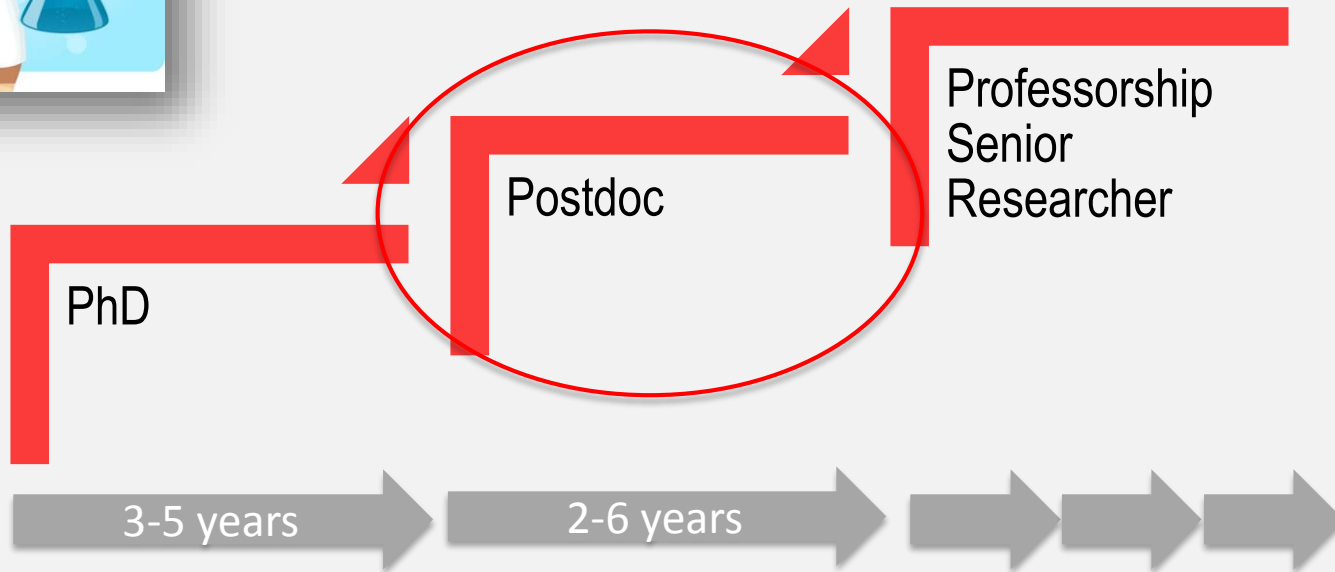
Max. 20'000 + CHF 5'000 per additional family member

What can be covered with the mobility allowance?

- outward and return journey
- Accommodation abroad
- Matriculation and infrastructure fees at host institution
- Conference and workshop fees

A detailed budget must be submitted.

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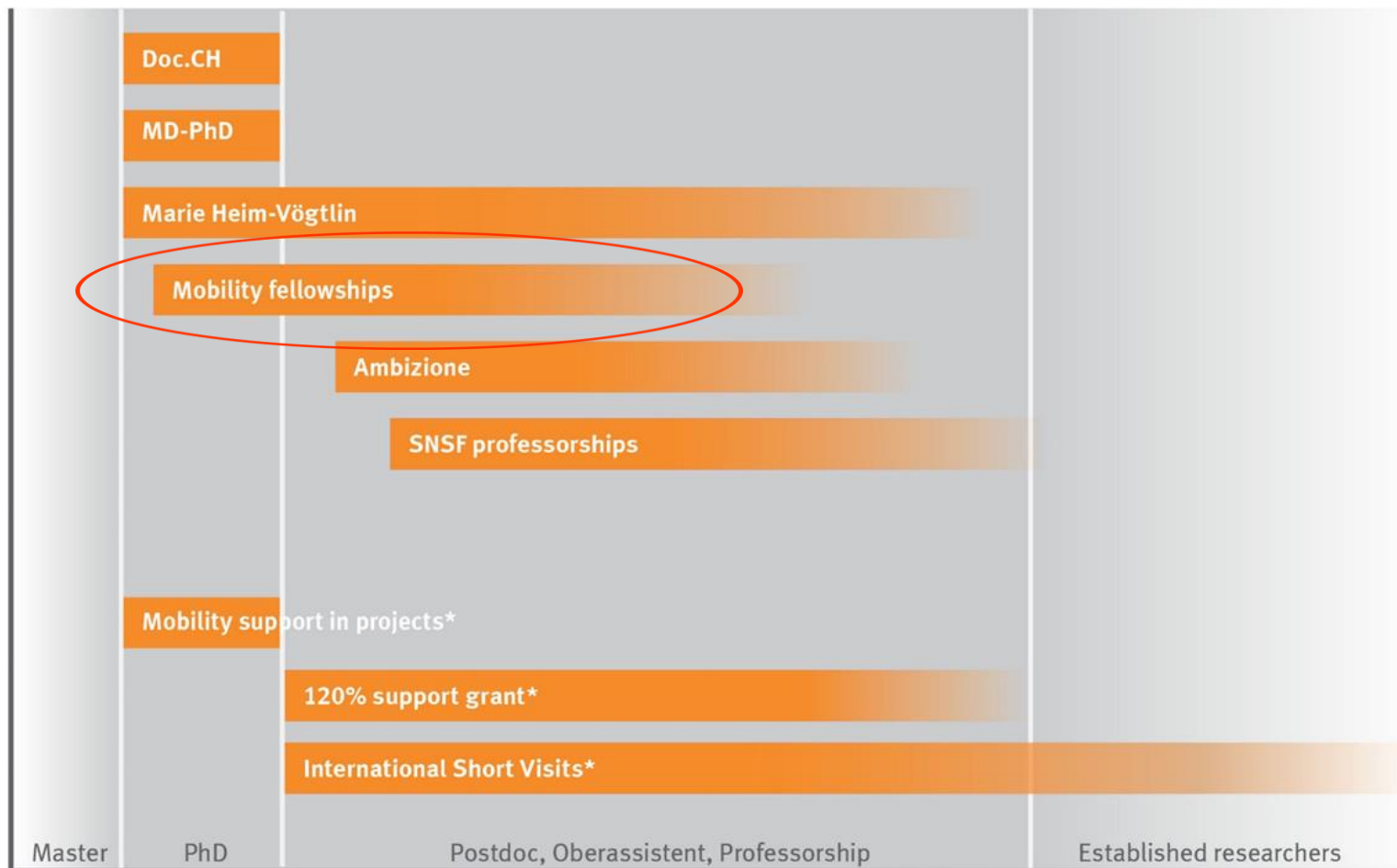


Postdoctoral Fellowships Programmes

	Switzerland	Abroad
SNSF Ambizione	X	
SNSF Early Postdoc.Mobility		X
SNSF Advanced Postdoc.Mobility		X
H2020 MSCA Individual Fellowships	(X)	X
H2020 MSCA Co-FUND	(X)	X

- *Swiss Funding Body*
- *European Funding Body*

SNSF career funding schemes



* Career promotion measures

Mobility fellowships

Three different funding schemes:

Doc.Mobility – PhD students

Early Postdoc.Mobility – Postdocs starting their career

Advanced Postdoc.Mobility – Experienced postdocs

Aim: Research stay abroad for **postdocs starting their career**

Requirements:

- **Doctorate** (PhD) already obtained or obtainment within 9 months
- Doctorate obtained **no more than 2 years prior to the deadline***
- Swiss nationality, **valid permanent residence**, residence or cross-border commuter permit, or marriage resp. registered partnership with a Swiss; permit must be **valid on the submission deadline**
- For persons with foreign nationality, **at least 3 years of research** activity at a Swiss research institution

Duration: 18 months (12 months in justified cases)

Deadlines: **March 1 and September 1**

Submission: Via mySNF

Evaluation: Local SNSF Research

Commission of the University where the applicant obtained or will obtain the doctorate

Start of the project: Earliest 4 and latest 16 months after the submission deadline

** Exceptions are possible in justified cases, e.g. family care duties, long illness*

SNSF Advanced Postdoc.Mobility (APM)

Aim: Research stay abroad for **experienced postdocs** with the option of a return phase at a Swiss higher education institution

Requirements:

- Doctorate (PhD) and **at least 1 year's experience as a postdoc** (earlier submission is possible for holders of an EPM fellowship)
- Submission **up to 5 years after the doctoral exam**
- Swiss nationality, **valid permanent residence**, residence or cross-border commuter permit, or marriage resp. registered partnership with a Swiss national; permit must be **valid on the submission deadline** (except for holders of an EPM fellowship)
- For persons with foreign nationality, **at least 3 years of research** activity at a Swiss research institution

Duration:

- **Fellowship abroad:** 12 - 36 months; max 36 months for the combined mobility fellowships (EPM + APM) may not be exceeded
- **Possible return phase:** 3 - 12 months (in general 1/3 of the duration of the fellowship abroad)

Deadlines: February 1 and August 1

Submission: Via mySNF

Evaluation: National Research Council of the SNSF

Start of the project: Earliest 6 and latest 18 months after the submission deadline

** Exceptions are possible in justified cases, e.g. family care duties, long illness*

SNSF Mobility Fellowships – annual contribution

1. Outgoing phase

Basic amount	CHF 42'000 - 71'500 (depending on country & family status)
Child allowance	CHF 12'000 per child
Travel allowance	Outward and return journey (incl. partner/children)
Registration fees	75% or max. CHF 15'000 (only if justified)
Congress costs	Max. CHF 2'000
Research costs	Max. CHF 3'000 (only exceptionally)
Gender equality grant	Max. CHF 1'000 (for career development measures, only for female fellows)
2. Return phase (APM only)	Salary with social security contributions

Grant – annual contribution

Montants de bourses 2016 (en CHF)

Le montant de la bourse (pour 12 mois) dépend de l'état civil, des obligations familiales et du coût de la vie dans le pays de séjour. Les montants des bourses correspondent à une période de 12 mois et sont uniquement valables pour les bourses qui sont octroyées en 2016.

Pays	Doc.Mobility		Early Postdoc.Mobility		Advanced Postdoc.Mobility	
	célibataire	partenariat**	célibataire	partenariat**	célibataire	partenariat**
Afrique du Sud	40'000	49'500	42'000	51'500	45'000	54'500
Allemagne	42'500	54'500	44'500	56'500	47'500	59'500
Berlin/Francfort/Hambourg/Munich	43'000	55'500	45'000	57'500	48'000	60'500
Australie	48'500	66'500	50'500	68'500	53'500	71'500
Autriche	43'000	55'500	45'000	57'500	48'000	60'500
Belgique	42'500	54'500	44'500	56'500	47'500	59'500
Brésil	42'000	53'500	44'000	55'500	47'000	58'500
Canada*	CAD 45'500	CAD 61'000	CAD 47'500	CAD 63'000	CAD 50'500	CAD 66'000
Côte d'Ivoire	42'000	53'500	44'000	55'500	47'000	58'500
Danemark	46'000	61'500	48'000	63'500	51'000	66'500
Espagne	42'000	53'500	44'000	55'500	47'000	58'500
États-Unis*	USD 43'800	USD 59'000	USD 45'900	USD 61'100	USD 48'200	USD 63'400
Bethesda, Boston, Boulder, Cambridge, Chicago, New Haven, Seattle*	USD 46'000	USD 61'200	USD 48'100	USD 63'300	USD 50'400	USD 65'600
Hawaii, New York, California, Washington D.C.*	USD 47'000	USD 63'200	USD 49'100	USD 65'300	USD 51'400	USD 67'600
Finlande	43'500	56'500	45'500	58'500	48'500	61'500
France	42'000	53'500	44'000	55'500	47'000	58'500
Paris	45'000	59'500	47'000	61'500	50'000	64'500
Grande-Bretagne	43'500	56'500	45'500	58'500	48'500	61'500
Cambridge/Oxford	47'500	64'500	49'500	66'500	52'500	69'500
Londres	48'000	65'500	50'000	67'500	53'000	70'500

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Applications and Projects

Grant application 13

Personal data

- Responsible applicant
- Contact address CH
- Designated host institution
- Contact person of designated host institute

Application data

- References
 - Reference letter
 - Basic data I**
 - Basic data II
 - Return to CH
 - Follow-up project of EPM
 - Follow-up project of APM
 - Re-submission
 - Institutional declaration
 - Available or requested funds
 - Requested funding
 - Spouse/Partner
 - Children for whom you are obliged to support
 - Diplomas/certificates
 - General remarks on the project
- Annexed Documents (upload)
- Research plan
 - Curriculum vitae
 - Career plan

Data processing



Grant application 13

New application

Advanced Postdoc.Mobility

Start: -

In preparation

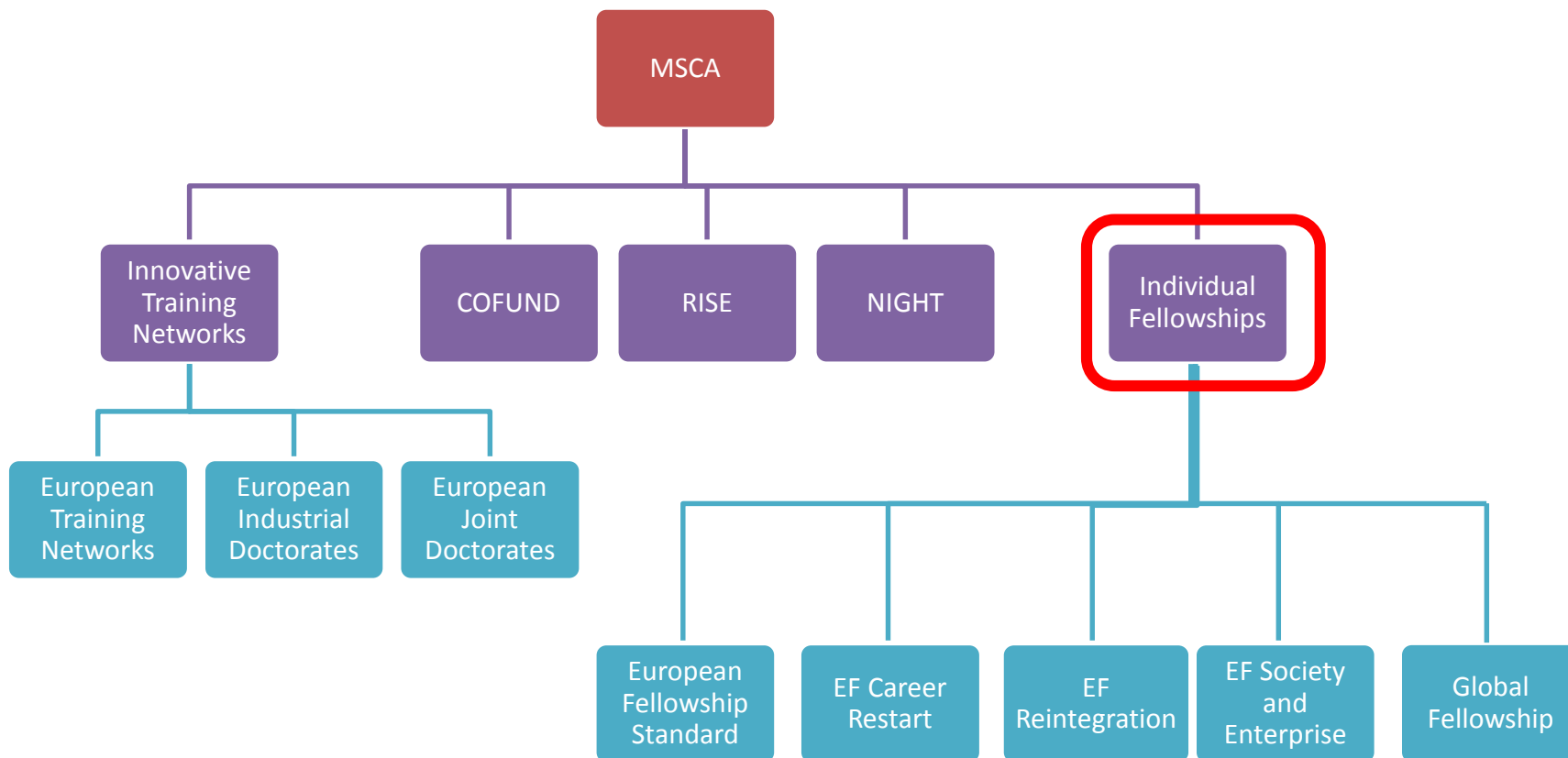
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Basic data I

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Research field *	- Please select -	?
Further research fields	<input type="checkbox"/> Human sciences <input type="checkbox"/> Social sciences <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics, natural sciences <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering sciences <input type="checkbox"/> Life sciences <input type="checkbox"/> Medicine	?
Main discipline *	- Please select -	?
Sub-discipline(s)	- Please select -	?

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions





MSCA European Fellowships

Aim: Transnational fellowships for the best and most promising researchers in **EU Members States** (MS) or Associated Country (AC)

Requirements:

- **PhD** or at least 4 years of research
- Researcher from **any nationality** moving to or within EU
- **Mobility rule:** must not have lived in host country for more than 12 months in the 3 years prior to submission deadline

MSCA Global Fellowships

Aim: Transnational fellowships for the best and most promising researchers in **Third Country (TC) + mandatory return** of 12 months in MS or AC

Requirements:

- **PhD** or at least 4 years of research
- Researcher must be **national or long-term resident (5y)** of an EU MS or AC
- **Mobility rule:** must not have lived in TC for more than 12 months in the 3 years prior to submission deadline

!!! No return phase with EPFL as host institution

Horizon 2020 MSCA Individual Fellowships



Duration:

- European Fellowships– **12-24 months**
- Global Fellowships– **12-24 months in TC + 12 months return**

Includes:

- Costs of Researcher: Living, mobility, and family allowances
- Institutional Costs: Research, training, publication costs and networking costs + Management costs

Contribution: € 63'000 / year (depending on host country)

Secondment: possibility to do a short stay (max. 6 months) in a partner organization (industry or academia) in MS/AC

Next Deadlines: September 2017

...but status of Switzerland remains unclear for 2017

Submission: European Commission Research Participant Portal

Evaluation: 8 scientific panels – division by fields

Start of the project: 1st April 2018 (latest April 2019)

H2020 MSCA Individual Fellowships | Budget



EU Contribution – monthly amounts in Euro

Categories of eligible costs	Costs of researchers			Institutional costs	
	Living allowance	Mobility allowance	Family allowance	Research, training and networking costs	Management and indirect costs
IF (100%)	4 650	600	500	800	650

ALL Social charges are included

Country Correction Coefficients (applicable to Living Allowance):

CH: 113.1% (5'259€)

DE: 98.8%

FR: 111.0%

IT: 106.7%

UK: 120.3%


US: 99.4%

Other MSCA Opportunities

- **Career Restart (CAR):** To resume research in Europe after a career break (no research ≥ 12 months prior to the deadline due to parental leave, working outside research, etc.)
- **Reintegration (RI):** To return and reintegrate in a longer term research position in Europe
- **Society & Enterprise (SE):** Host organization from the non-academic sector according to its registration in the EC database

Submission via the Research Participant Portal





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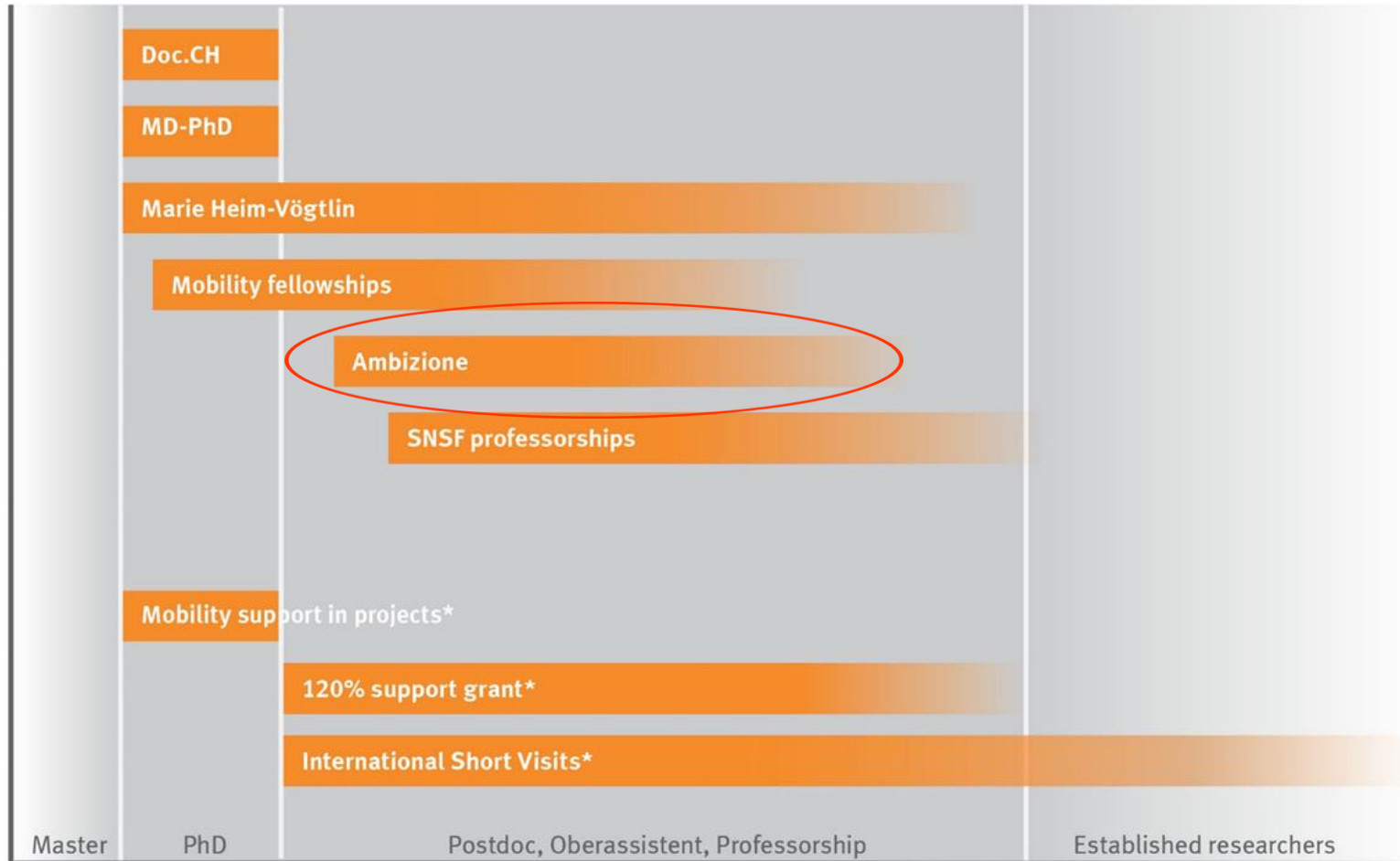
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Postdoctoral Fellowships Programmes

	Switzerland	Abroad
SNSF Ambizione	X	
SNSF Early Postdoc.Mobility		X
SNSF Advanced Postdoc.Mobility		X
H2020 MSCA Individual Fellowships	(X)	X
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- *Swiss Funding Body*
- *European Funding Body*

SNSF career funding: postdocs in Switzerland



* Career promotion measures

Aim: Create conditions for starting an independent academic career in Switzerland

Requirements:

- PhD and High level publications
- Postdoctoral research activities of **at least 12 months at a different university** from that of PhD
- Submission **up to 4 years** after PhD

Includes:

- Candidate's salary - optional
- Project funding (equipment, consumables, travel, etc.) – Max 400'000 over 4 years
- Personnel (candidates with sufficient experience may apply for a PhD student and in exceptional cases for postdocs)

Duration: 4 years

Next Deadlines: 13 January 2017

Submission: Via mySNF

Requirements: Institutional support letter (contact ReO for EPFL as host institution)

Evaluation:

- National Research Council of the SNSF
- Evaluation is in two phases with an interview

Start of the project:

1 September 2017 at the earliest

Successful application: golden tips

Golden tips

Read the Regulations
&
Follow the **Guidelines**

Don't just "**recycle**"
other grant
applications

Create an online
applicant account
early

Ensure the **QUALITY**,
ORIGINALITY and
FEASIBILITY of your
research project

Don't wait until the **last**
minute: start your
application early and
request help and advice

Pay attention to the
layout and avoid
spelling mistakes

Golden tips

Details, details, details!
Evaluators can only judge the information you give them

Explain your choices and their relevance for **YOUR** project and **YOUR** career development

Host institution is important: choose well and request institutional letters well in advance

Don't only rely on your good CV and publications, but **highlight quality of your training and productivity**

It is your task to make your text **comprehensible** for evaluators, not their task to search for information

Take **scientific integrity and ethical issues** seriously

For further requests and/or comments

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→ Don't miss the upcoming event organized by UNIL on **December 15, 2016**:
«Mobility and Fellowship Opportunities for PhDs and postdocs» on [UNIL Campus](#)