Attract talent to your company
Financial support for hiring experienced researchers (up to 100%) to develop applied research projects, through 2-year employment contracts with Catalan companies and TECNIO entities.

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (COFUND) - H2020, EU

- 72 contracts
- 11 M€ (50% EU)
- 3 calls in 5 years
Who can participate

- A company located in Catalonia
  or
- A TECNIO entity
- A Catalan Technology Centre

An experienced researcher

EXPERIENCE:
1. PhD + 2 years of experience in research
2. 6 years research experience

MOBILITY:
Mobility rule (< 12 months in the 3 years prior to the deadline)
Types of projects

Incoming

✓ 2 years company / TECNIO entity
✓ Secondment (1-3 month)

Outgoing + Return

✓ 1st year abroad + 2nd year company / TECNIO entity
✓ Secondment (1-3 month)

Sectors

Food Industries
Industrial Systems
Sustainable Mobility
Cultural and experience-based industries
Chemistry, energy and resources
Design Industries
Health and Life Science

Technologies

ICT
Nanotechnology
Advanced Materials
Photonics
Biotech
Advanced Manufacturing

!! Remember, only applied research projects
Financial grant

- **RESEARCH COSTS**
  - 15,240,00 €

- **OPEN ACCESS**
  - 3,000,00 €

- **MOBILITY COSTS**
  - 1,920,00 €

- **SALARY COSTS**
  - 58,500,00 €/year
    - 70% payment in advance
    - 1 payment period (end of the project)
Tecniospring is a MSCA CO-FUND. The Marie Skłodowska-Curie actions support researchers regardless of age and nationality. The MSCA also support cooperation between industry and academia and innovative training to enhance employability and career development.

Proposals must include a training plan for researchers

Support and guidance

Entity’s Supervisor

ACCIÓ will offer trainings on Technology Transfer for the researchers
Upcoming Calls

June 2020: Terms of the Calls

2020

- SEPTEMBER: Call Opens
- NOVEMBER: Call closes
- From MARCH: Projects Start

2021

- APRIL: Call Opens
- JUNE: Call closes
- From OCTOBER: Projects Start

Each call:

- 3,291,840 €
- 24 contracts
Checklist before applying

- Researcher
- Eligibility
- Strong proposal

Post your vacancies on our website

Dissemination through ACCIÓ’s offices around the world and EEN Network

Publish your offer on Linkedin, Euraxess and Research Gate

PUBLISH YOUR OFFER!!!

Requirements

- PhD + 2 or 6 years research experience
- Mobility rule (< 12 months in the 3 years prior to the deadline)
- European nationality or long-term residence for outgoing phase in 3rd countries
- Former TECNIOspring fellows: company without a previous Tecniospring grant as a host
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Requirements
- Companies’ Legal status: SRL; SL; SA; SCCP
- No permanent contract with the candidate
- Compliance with the European Charter & Code for Researchers
- Different supervisor for multiple applications
- Mandatory secondment in a company for TECNIO entities and Catalan Technology Centres

Application Procedure:
- All Applications will be submitted electronically.
- You will find all links on our website.
- Remember to always use the right templates.

Secondments are short stays (1-3 months) in other institutions (Companies, Universities or Technological centre) in any part of the world.

They are very positively evaluated, we encourage you to add them to your proposal.

ACCIÓ’s International Offices can help you identifying partners for secondments.
Checklist before applying

- Researcher
- Eligibility
- Strong proposal

- Projects must focus on applied research and Technology Transfer
- The minimum grade for funded projects is 350/500

Evaluation Criteria

RESEARCHER EXCELLENCE (150)
- Education, research and tech transfer experience
- Geographical and sectorial mobility
- Team management, other merits

IMPLEMENTATION CAPACITIES OF THE HOST(S) (100)
- Scientific and technological trajectory of the hosts. Supervisor CV
- Practical and administrative arrangements
- Training and mentoring plan

PROJECT QUALITY (100)
- Working plan and expected results
- Originality of the project. Match between project and researcher
- Research costs estimation

TECH TRANSFER AND IMPACT (150)
- Exploitation plan and market approach
- Career impact of the researchers
- New collaborations and secondments
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