

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions at the University of Graz (Austria)

You are a highly qualified and motivated PostDoc looking for funding to do research abroad?

This is how the **University of Graz will help you** to apply for a **Postdoctoral Fellowship (PF)** within the **Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCAs)**:

- Attend a two-day **intensive workshop** on the application for MSCA – PFs and get reimbursed up to 600 € travel costs after submission of a PF application with the University of Graz as host.
- **Boost your chances** by getting to know your possibilities and your mentor in person.
- Receive **intensive support** throughout your submission including a **proposal check**.

Additional bonus if you apply with the University of Graz:

We will fund up to **three applicants** that got rejected but **received a Seal of Excellence** (score min. 85%) with an **up to one-year PostDoc position**. That way you can resubmit and have no gap of employment till you can (hopefully) start your fellowship a year later!

MSCA – PF (<https://ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/actions/postdoctoral-fellowships>):

- 12 – 24 months, working contract with the host institution.
- Extra funding for your mobility, family and training costs.
- Scholarship with high reputation and visibility.
- Additional support for max 6 months non-academic placement possible.

Eligibility:

- Approval of a mentor at the University of Graz
Search for groups active in your field here: https://online.uni-graz.at/kfu_online/wbForschungsportal.cbShowPortal OR send your CV and your publication list to Harald Kleinberger-Pierer (see contact data below).
- Fulfillment of the eligibility criteria for a PF
 - a. You have not lived in Austria for over 12 months in the past 3 years prior to the deadline.
 - b. You have successfully defended your PhD at the call deadline and not more than 8 years of fulltime equivalent in research since the PhD, with few exceptions.
- Attendance of the workshop (27th and 28th of May 2024 – places for participation are limited!) and submission of a proposal with the University of Graz as host organization in the 2024 call (deadline: 11th of September 2024)

Application and contact person:

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