

Objectives of the call

The **Individual Fellowships** are actions for the recruitment and training of Experienced researchers of any nationality who wish to make a temporary stay (from one to two years) in a European/Third Country research institution.

It aims to support the development of the research career, with special emphasis on improving the capabilities of the researcher promoting education through international, interdisciplinary and intersectoral mobility experiences.

Eligibility requirements

These actions are addressed to **Experienced Researchers (ER)** which at the call closing date (12 September 2018) can prove evidence of having a minimum of four years of research experience full time equivalent and/or held a PhD award.

Furthermore the researcher must comply with the following **Mobility rules**:

➤ **Global Fellowship (to UPM's ER who wants to make a temporary stay in a Third Country and return to UPM-Spain):**

It is composed of an outgoing phase during which the ER undertakes mobility to a host organisation in a Third Country (non EU Member States/ Associated Countries to EU) for a period of between 12 and 24 months, followed by a mandatory 12-month return period to UPM-Spain. The ER must not have resided or carried out their main activity (work, studies, etc.) in the country of the Third Country host organisation where the outgoing phase takes place for more than 12 months in the 3 years immediately before the call deadline (12 September 2018). Moreover the ER must be a national or long-term resident of a Member State or Associated Country of EU.

➤ **European Fellowship (to attract ER to be recruited by UPM-Spain)**

- **Standard:** The ER must not have resided or carried out his/her main activity (work, studies, etc.) in Spain for more than 12 months in the 3 years immediately before the call deadline (12 September 2018).
- **Reintegration:** It is dedicated to ER who wishes to return and reintegrate in a longer term research position in Spain. The ER must **move or have moved directly from a Third Country to Spain** and must not have resided or carried out the main activity (work, studies, etc.) in Spain for more than 36 months in the 5 years immediately before the call deadline. Moreover the ER must be a **national or long-term resident of a Member State or Associated Country of EU**.
- **Career Restart:** The ER must not have resided or carried out the main activity (work, studies, etc.) in Spain for more than 36 months in the 5 years immediately before the call deadline (12 September 2018). Moreover the ER must have had a **career break in research**, i.e. they **must not have been active in research for at least 12 months immediately prior to the deadline** for submission of proposals (corresponding to the period 13 September 2017 to 12 September 2018).

Planned schedule of UPM support to the call H2020-MSCA-IF 2018

- **21-21 May 2018:** Writing Days UPM MSCA-IF-2018 (Cercedilla, Spain). To fulfil the **application form** to participate in the Writing Days and the **concept note template**
- **From May to September 2018:**
- Progress in the writing of the proposal.
 - Interactions with the UPM's European Project Office at the request of the Experienced researcher and his/her UPM's supervisor.
 - Review of 10 previously selected proposals by a consultancy company.
- **12 September 2018:** Deadline Call H2020-MSCA-IF-2018