

# MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE DOCTOR- AL NETWORKS 2023

## MSCA-DN-2023



The MSCA Doctoral Networks is a four year doctoral programme, with up to 10 doctoral students, in a network of university beneficiaries, awarding the doctoral degrees, and industrial partners contributing with training and secondments. It is a training and mobility grant, based on a bottom-up research project. The main success criteria for a successful application is a strong research project, contributing to the next generation of researchers and highly skilled staff.

### At a glance:

4 year bottom-up research project  
10 doctoral students fellowships  
Deadline: November 28 2021

Budget: Fixed rates app 4.500€ per phd/m  
Research and training costs 1.600 per phd/m  
Overhead: 650€ per month  
Success rate: 5-9%



**The coordinator** The coordinator is the beneficiary and receive funding for the project management. The coordinator will lead the research project and be responsible for recruiting the doctoral students.



**Beneficiaries** Beneficiaries are participants in the project awarding the doctorate degree of the students. They will be responsible for the training and hosting of the students and will receive funding.



**Partners** A typical project will have several partners from industry, organizations, or other institutions. Partners will not get funding but will benefit through access to the Doctoral students in secondments and training.



**Doctoral Students** Eligible students must not have or defended a doctoral degree on the date of recruitment. They must not have lived, worked or studied in Denmark for more than 12 months within the last three years.



**Benefit** as participant As a coordinator or participant in a Doctoral Network you will expand your European Network, get access to promising doctoral students and gain experience with European funding.

The program emphasize the establishing of closer collaboration among participants through Joint Doctorates(JD) and Industrial Doctorates(ID).



**Duration** The MSCA DN is up to 48 months and each doctoral student is minimum 3 and maximum 36 months. For JD and ID the EU contribution can go up to 54 months.



**Budget** The budget is as follows, for the students: Living allowance €4.488<sup>1)</sup>, mobility allowance €600 and eventual Family allowance €660 per month. For the Institution €1.600 for research, training and networking, and €1.200 for management and indirect costs<sup>2)</sup> For PIs, further information on the budget and procedures can be found [here](#).



**Deadline** Deadline for applications in 2023 is November 28th



**Success rates** The average success rate has been between 9-5% in the previous 7 years. It is a competitive and rewarding programme.



**Applying** The application forms and submission of the applications happens through the Funding and Tender Portal - [here](#).



**Contact** There is support for planning and writing the application, with advice and feedback on the application. Contact Jan Andersen, External Relations Team [jande@sdu.dk](mailto:jande@sdu.dk) for further information.



<sup>1)</sup> €3.400 multiplied with the Danish Country Correction Coefficient of 132%

<sup>2)</sup> This contribution is normally partly redistributed among the participants to cover management costs of the coordinator.