

Technology Centre CAS, the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports and the European Commission take pleasure in inviting you to national information day on

**SUPPORT FOR MOBILITY, TRAINING AND CAREER
DEVELOPMENT OF RESEARCHERS**

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MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE ACTIONS

Recently Marie (Skłodowska)-Curie Actions (MSCA) have celebrated the 20th anniversary. Since 1996, M(S)CA have provided grants to train researchers at all stages of their careers – be they doctoral candidates or experienced researchers – while encouraging transnational, inter-sectoral and interdisciplinary mobility. MSCA are considered as the most international programme among H2020. The programme is named after the double Nobel Prize winner Marie Skłodowska-Curie to honour and spread the values she stood for. To date, almost 100,000 researchers have benefited from the programme – among them five Nobel laureates and an Oscar winner. Only during FP7 MSCA fellows produced more than 25 000 publications.

The aim of the national information day, which is organised at the premises of the Czech Academy of Sciences, is to present the programme as well as its achievements and impact. Successful MSCA applicants will present their research. Last but not least, practical advice how to submit and write a proposal will be given.

Date: **5 April 2017**

Venue: **Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic,
Národní 3, Prague 1 (room 206)**

Registration: http://geform.tc.cz/MSCA_infoday

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

09:30 – 10:00	Registration
10:00 – 10:10	Welcome Lukáš Levák, <i>Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic</i>
10:10 – 10:50	M(S)CA – Reflections on the vision and reality Alessandra Luchetti, <i>Research Executive Agency, Head of Department Excellent Science</i>
10:50 – 11:15	How to prepare a MSCA proposal and support to the applicants Petra Perutková, <i>Technology Centre of the Czech Academy of Sciences</i>
11:15 – 11:45	MSCA evaluation criteria – What makes the difference? Michal Straka, <i>Institute of Organic Chemistry and Biochemistry of the CAS</i>
11:45 – 12:00	Discussion
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch Break
13:00 – 14:30	My research and MSCA impact on my career (Experiences of Czech participants in H2020 Marie Curie projects) <i>ITN Grant Holder (tba)</i> Martin Nikl, <i>Institute of Physics CAS (RISE project participant)</i> Marek Stibal, <i>Charles University (European Fellowship Grant Holder)</i> Michael Doležal, <i>South Moravian Centre for International Mobility (Administrator of the COFUND project SoMoPro)</i> Jiří Jaroš, <i>Brno University of Technology (SoMoPro Fellow)</i> Discussion
14:30 – 14:50	EURAXESS services, the European Charter for Researchers and Code of Conduct for the Recruitment of Researchers Kateřina Svobodová, <i>EURAXESS CZ</i>
14:50 – 15:10	Gender aspects in MSCA Marcela Linková, <i>Institute of Sociology CAS, The National Contact Centre for Women and Science IV.</i>
15:10 – 15:30	Discussion and closing of the event

The information day will be held in English. Translations will not be provided.

The event is free of charge, however, a registration via http://geform.tc.cz/MSCA_infoday is required. The capacity is limited. Contact for more information about the programme: perutkova@tc.cz.

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