Your MSCA Individual Fellowship at UNIBS!

The University of Brescia welcomes researchers from all over the world and offers them a unique opportunity to work with highly qualified research groups in a wide interdisciplinary network of scientific areas within the Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships calls.
Who can apply?
If you are an experienced researcher from anywhere in the world and you are in possession of a doctoral degree or you have at least four years of full-time equivalent research experience, then you might apply for a Marie Skłodowska Curie Individual Fellowship at University of Brescia.

Two types of Grants
European Fellowships: spend 12-24 months at European institution (based in a Member State or Associated with the Horizon 2020 program) in a country where you have not been for more than 12 months in the last 3 years.

Global Fellowships: spend 12-24 months at a non-European institution of excellence (in a country where you have not been for more than 12 months in the last 3 years) plus a return period of 12 months in Europe, to transfer and consolidate the skills acquired.
 Possibility of tenure-track positions for researchers who have been awarded a three-year Global Fellowship if you choose UNIBS as host institution for your return period.

The topic of your research
You can freely choose the research topic of your research, in collaboration with the scientific supervisor of the host organization.

Financial Support
The fellowships covers 100% of the costs for the entire period. The average salary of a Marie Curie fellow in Italy is about 4000 euros per month (excluding taxes). The fellowship budget includes the following unit costs:

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<th>Living allowance*</th>
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* A country correction coefficient applies to the living allowance.

Top reasons to choose University of Brescia
- One of the **best University under 50 in Italy** and in the world according to The Times Higher Education World University Ranking 2019
- **World class research groups**: University of Brescia is among the best Universities in Italy for the **high number of citations** received by its published works and for playing a leading role in disseminating new knowledge according to The Times Higher Education World University Ranking 2019, and for its **research intensity** based on the number of papers output relative to the university’s size, according to 2019 QS World University Rankings
- UNIBS is in the top 300 Universities according to Times Higher Education Ranking 2019 for marking itself out as a global pioneer thanks to its **social and economic impact** against the United Nations’ Sustainable Development Goals, and it is ranked 228 among more than 700 other universities by the UI GreenMetric World University Rankings for its dedication and action towards going green and **environmental sustainability**.
- **Highly skilled supporting staff** (VISA, mobility issues, health insurance, accommodation, managing of your research project)
- **Excellent quality of life**, in a city of art and culture (recognized by UNESCO), in one of the most important industrial and productive regions in Italy
- Close to many **important cities** (Milan, Verona, Venice) and to Garda Lake, the biggest lake in Italy.

To apply with University of Brescia
Check our page (click here) and send us your CV, together with a one-page abstract of your project and the indication of the research group you are interested to work with to servizio.ricerca@unibs.it

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After a PhD in Denmark and a post-doc in Germany, the Marie Curie individual fellowship allowed me to reach scientific independence and acquire an academic position at the University of Brescia. It has been a crucial step into my research career and provided me the opportunity to turn from a “brain drain” to a “brain gain” for my own country.

Francesco Negro
MSCA Fellow at UNIBS