**Application form**

**MSCA POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS 2024**

**Section 1 | Eligibility information**

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| **Applicant First Name** | |  | | | |
| **Applicant Last Name** | |  | | | |
| **Nationality** | |  | | | |
| Passport/ID number (that you will use for the application) | |  | | | |
| **Date (or expected date) of PhD award**  *Please note that if the doctoral degree is still to be awarded, applicants must have successfully defended their doctoral thesis before September 11th, 2024.* | |  | | | |
| **Institution that awarded (or will award) the PhD** | |  | | | |
| **PhD thesis Title** | |  | | | |
| **Name of potential Supervisor** | |  | | | |
| **Laboratory of potential Supervisor** | |  | | | |
| **Estimated duration of the project (provisional) in months** | |  | | | |
| **Country/countries of residence between September 12th 2021 and September 11th 2024 (More entries can be added if needed):** | | | |
| Period from  DD/MM/YYYY | | Period to  DD/MM/YYYY | Country |
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| **If any career break after the award of the PhD** (maternity or paternity leave, long-term illness, National service etc.)  *All these circumstances will need to be properly documented.* | | *From DD/MM/YYYY to DD/MM/YYYY* | |
| **Total full-time postdoc research experience: number of years** | |  | |

**Section 2 | Cover letter (2 pages maximum)**

1. **Description of your project (1 page max.)**
   * + the state-of-the-art in your research field and the knowledge gap/problem you are going to address
     + the objectives of your project
     + your added value on the project
2. **Why did you choose this laboratory and/or supervisor?**

*Briefly describe:*

* + - the rationale for choosing the host organization to develop your research project

1. **Potential for enhancing your future career prospects after the fellowship**

*Briefly describe:*

* + - the new knowledge and new skills (including transversal skills) you would like to acquire during the fellowships
    - how the new competences and skills will have an impact on your future career prospects after the fellowship
    - the previously acquired knowledge and skills that you will transfer to our host organization.
    - your medium- and long-term professional objectives (Explicitly outline your career goals)

In accordance with the French Law and regulations, by signing this application form, I hereby:

* apply for the Announcement for expressions of interest - Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA) Postdoctoral Fellowships 2023 at the University of Angers, Nantes Université or Le Mans University, France.
* self-declare under my own responsibility that I fulfill the eligibility criteria for the MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships or will fulfill the eligibility criteria by the MSCA Postdoctoral fellowships 2024 call deadline (September 11th 2024).
* self-declare under my own responsibility that all what is stated in this application form and in all the other attachments to this application (Curriculum Vitae, One-page Proposal, ID/passport etc.) is true.
* authorize to process my personal data in compliance with the EU General Data Protection Regulation (<https://www.univ-nantes.fr/cookies>)
* acknowledge that all the information provided in this form and in the other attachments will be treated confidentially and will be processed for the sole purpose of the applications to the MSCA PF 2024 Announcement at the University of Angers, Nantes Université and Le Mans Université.
* commit to submit a postdoctoral fellowship project if my profile is selected. The payback of my potential mobility to Angers, Nantes or Le Mans will be effective only if the project is submitted.

**Date:**  **Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**