

# H2020 MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE ACTIONS

## INNOVATIVE TRAINING NETWORKS

### HOW TO WRITE A COMPETITIVE PROPOSAL

09:00	REGISTRATION	Monday 1 October 2018
09:15	INTRODUCTION	
09:30	<b>MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE ITN PROGRAMME</b>	
	‣ Call requirements and Templates for 2019 submissions	
09:45	<b>HOW TO PLAN YOUR MSCA-ITN APPLICATION</b>	
	‣ Project idea to one-page proposal	
	‣ Building a credible network	
	‣ Proposal planning and scheduling	
	‣ EC portal registration and Part A Forms	
10:30	TEA / COFFEE BREAK	
10:45	<b>HOW TO WRITE THE EXCELLENCE SECTION</b>	
	‣ The research programme	
	‣ The training programme	
	‣ The supervisors	
	‣ The organisations – contribution, synergies, infrastructure	
12:00	<b>HOW TO WRITE THE IMPACT SECTION</b>	
	‣ Impacts for researchers in the network	
	‣ Impacts for doctoral/early research training	
	‣ Exploiting and disseminating the project results	
	‣ Communicating the project activities	
13:00	LUNCH BREAK	
14:00	<b>HOW TO WRITE THE IMPLEMENTATION SECTION</b>	
	‣ The work plan	
	‣ Management structure and procedures	
	‣ Infrastructure on offer	
	‣ About the consortium	
15:00	<b>AN EVALUATORS PERSPECTIVE</b>	
	‣ Who are the EU evaluators?	
	‣ How does the evaluation process work?	
	‣ Typical evaluator feedback for MSCA ITN proposals	
	‣ How to become an evaluator	
15:45	COFFEE BREAK	
16:00	<b>OPEN DISCUSSION</b>	
16:30	CLOSE OF WORKSHOP	

#### BOOKINGS

To book a place, please send an email to  
**Dr Jozef Turok** at: [turok@tuzvo.sk](mailto:turok@tuzvo.sk)

#### ► OVERVIEW OF THE WORKSHOP

This one-day MSCA-ITN workshop will be held in-house at the **Technical University in Zvolen (TUZVO)**, Slovakia on **Monday 1 October 2018**.

The workshop will provide **practical tips** on how to write a competitive proposal for the **Marie Skłodowska-Curie** funding Call for **Innovative Training Networks (ITN)** in 2019.

At the end of the workshop, the applicant coordinators, supervisors, collaborators, research teams and support staff will have gained insights into proposal writing from an evaluators' perspective and will be ready to start writing a competitive ITN proposal.

#### ► WHAT IS MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE ITN FUNDING?

MSCA ITN funding provides support for **doctoral and early-stage training** with three possibilities: European Training Networks (ETN), European Industrial Doctorates (EID), and European Joint Doctorates (EJD). It supports competitively selected joint research training and/or doctoral programmes, implemented by **partnerships** of universities, research institutions, research infrastructures, businesses, SMEs, and other socio-economic actors from different countries across Europe and beyond.

#### ► WHEN IS THE MSCA-ITN CALL OPEN?

The next MSCA-ITN Call is scheduled to open on **13 September 2018** with a deadline of **15 January 2019 17:00:00** (Brussels time).

#### ► WHO SHOULD ATTEND THE WORKSHOP?

Research Supervisors, Researchers, Principal Investigators, Research Group Leaders, Collaborators from academic and non-academic sectors, Heads of Colleges, Schools, Faculties and Departments, and Research Managers and Administrators.

**THE WORKSHOP WILL BE PRESENTED BY DR. CATHERINE HALBERT OF HALBERT RESEARCH.**

Catherine is an experienced EC Evaluator and has been involved in scientific research management for over 20 years.