

## NATIONAL INFORMATION DAY ON MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE ACTIONS (MSCA) SUPPORT FOR MOBILITY, TRAINING AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT OF RESEARCHERS

The MSCA are part of the EU's biggest research and innovation programme Horizon 2020. Since 1996 they 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. To date, over 110,000 researchers have benefited from the programme – among them 9 Nobel laureates and an Oscar winner. It is expected, that from 2014 to 2020 MSCA will support around 65 000 researchers including 25 000 PhD candidates. The aim of the event, which is organised by the Technology Centre CAS, is to present the programme, its achievements and impact on the researchers' careers as well as to encourage higher participation of Czech researchers and institutions. It is open to researchers, project managers, administrators as well as other stakeholders.

**Date: 2 April 2019**

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

**Registration: [http://geform.tc.cz/info\\_day\\_MSCA\\_2019](http://geform.tc.cz/info_day_MSCA_2019)**

### PROGRAMME

09:30 – 10:00	Registration
10:00 – 10:10	<b>Welcome</b> <i>tbc, Czech Academy of Sciences</i>
10:10 – 11:00	<b>MSCA Widening Fellowship</b> <i>Samy Bettiche, Project Adviser, European Commission - Research Executive Agency</i>
11:00 – 11:30	<b>How to prepare a MSCA proposal and support to the applicants</b> <i>Zuzana Čapková, MSCA and ERC National Contact Point, Technology Centre of the Czech Academy of Sciences</i>
11:30 – 12:00	<b>MSCA evaluation criteria – What makes the difference?</b> <i>Bohdan Růžička, MSCA Projects Evaluator, Institute of Scientific Instruments CAS</i>
12:00 – 12:15	<b>Discussion</b>
12:15 – 13:00	Lunch Break
13:00 – 14:45	<b>My research and MSCA impact on my career</b> <i>Milan Omasta, researcher participating in a RISE project RISEN, Brno University of Technology</i> <i>tbc, ITN project</i> <i>Lenka Bittová, Individual Fellowship grant holder, Biology Centre CAS</i> <i>Michael Doležal, COFUND Administrator, South Moravian Centre for International Mobility</i>
14:45 – 15:05	<b>What can EURAXESS do for you?</b> <i>Zuzana Galatíková, EURAXESS CZ</i>
15:05 – 15:25	<b>MSCA Seal of Excellence and its implementation in the Czech Republic: OP RDE Call International Mobility of Researchers – MSCA – IF</b> <i>Filip Týc, Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic</i>
15:25 – 15:45	<b>Discussion and closing of the event.</b>