



IMIBIC-P²Med CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Application Deadline:
10th of January 2020 at midnight CET

Programme Web:
<https://p2med.imibic.org>

Online Application Platform:
<https://imibic.slideroom.eu>

Introduction

IMIBIC Fellowship Programme for Personalised and Precision Medicine is a new Marie Skłodowska-Curie COFUND Fellowship Programme at the Maimonides Biomedical Research Institute of Cordoba (IMIBIC), Córdoba, Spain.

The Fellowships provide research and training to improve the employability and career prospects of experienced researchers in the field of Personalised and Precision Medicine. The selected fellows will perform forward-looking research in a field which is set to become the standard of medical practice, situating them in an advantaged position to continue their research careers.

The programme is targeted to Recognised Researchers (R2) and welcomes applications from wide range of researchers working in the biomedical field; basic researchers, clinical researchers, as well as computational biologists and bioinformaticians. Researchers of any nationality may apply.

Call Calendar:

- ✓ Call Opening: 1st of October 2019
- ✓ Application deadline: 10th of January 2020 at midnight CET
- ✓ Evaluation and Selection: January – May 2020
- ✓ Fellowships start date: June – September 2020

Fellowship Characteristics

Duration:

Applicants may propose a fellowship between 12 and 36 months, depending on their research and training plan and career development needs.

Funding:

The Annual Gross Salary ranges between 34.850 € and 38.930 € depending on the Fellow's family status. All Fellows will also receive 6.360 € per year for research and training costs.

The researchers awarded with the fellowships will be employed for the entire duration of the Fellowship, with full Social Security coverage, including full health insurance and unemployment benefits.

Research Areas:

Applicants may propose a research projects in the areas corresponding to the five scientific programmes of IMIBIC:

- ✓ Active aging and Frailty
- ✓ Nutrition and endocrine and metabolic diseases
- ✓ Infectious and immunological diseases and organ transplantation
- ✓ Cancer (Oncology and Oncohematology)
- ✓ Chronic and Inflammatory Diseases.

Host groups:

Fellows will be hosted by one of the Consolidated or Emerging research groups of IMIBIC: <https://p2med.imibic.org/host-groups/>

Partner Organisations:

The IMIBIC-P²Med Partner Organisations that offer hosting to Fellows during optional Research Stays and/or provide additional training, are:

- ✓ Instituto Superiore di Sanità - ISS (Italy)
- ✓ European Research Infrastructure for Translational Medicine - EATRIS (European)
- ✓ Bioinformatics Barcelona Association - BIB (Spain)
- ✓ Health Research Institute of Santiago de Compostela IDIS (Spain)
- ✓ Research and Innovation Programme on Chronicity, Digital Health and Systems – CROSADIS (Spain)

Detailed description of the Research Stay host groups can be found at: <https://p2med.imibic.org/partner-organisations/>

Eligibility Rules

The Fellowships are targeted to **Recognised Researchers (R2)** of any nationality. Researchers in possession of a PhD or researchers with experience equivalent to holding a PhD, i.e. **researchers with more than 4 years of full-time equivalent postgraduate research experience**, are eligible.

In addition, eligible applicants shall **not have resided or carried out their main activity**, such as work or studies, in Spain for more than 12 months in the 3 years immediately prior to the deadline of the call.

Evaluation and Selection

The evaluation and selection of the IMIBIC-P²Med Fellows follows an **open, transparent, and merit based** procedure based on peer review by a panel including **external and international** experts in the field.

The evaluation and selection process includes a remote evaluation of the applicants' researcher profile and of the proposed research and training plans. The most highly ranked applicants will also be interviewed.

The applicants will be informed about the results of the evaluation in June 2020, and selected fellows will incorporate to IMIBIC between June and September 2020.

How to apply

The application deadline is on **10th of January 2020**. Interested researchers should ensure their eligibility before applying.

Applying requires registration and submission of the application via the Online Application Platform: <https://imibic.slideroom.eu>

The Guide for Applicants and application documents can be downloaded from: <https://p2med.imibic.org/application-templates/>

The programme's Helpdesk answers at imibic.p2med@imibic.org