

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA) Doctoral Networks

Information For Applicants: Submission and Evaluation

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Agenda

1 Welcome

Introduction to UKRO - Dr Branwen Hide, UK MSCA NCP

2 UK Participation

-Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS)

3 MSCA Doctoral Networks

Submission and Evaluation – Dr Branwen Hide, UK MSCA NCP

4 Question and Answer

Moderator - Anne Nierobisch, UK MSCA NCP





Housekeeping



All participants will be muted for the duration of the webinar.



A chat function is available and will be monitored.



The session is recorded



Please use the Q&A function to submit questions. Up voting is available



About UKRO

We support UK organisations involved in EU R&I

- Maximise UK participation in Horizon Europe
- Provide a service to around 140 subscribers
- A Brussels-based team of advisors
- Part of UKRI's wider International team
- UK National Contact Point for <u>European</u>
 <u>Research Council</u> and <u>Marie Sklodowska-Curie</u>

 <u>Actions programmes</u>



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Upcoming Events

MSCA DN Information for Applicants Webinars

- Session 1: Overview and Eligibility Rules
 7 June 2022
- Session 2: Practical Matters 8 June 2022

MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships: Navigating the UK Immigration

Landscape

o 14 June 2022, 10:00-11:00 UK time

European Funding Opportunities for UK Businesses

o 14 June 2022, 14:00-15:00 UK time





UK's Relationship w EU

Participation on Horizon Europe



Horizon Europe participation

On 24 December 2020, the negotiations on the UK-EU Trade and Cooperation Agreement concluded

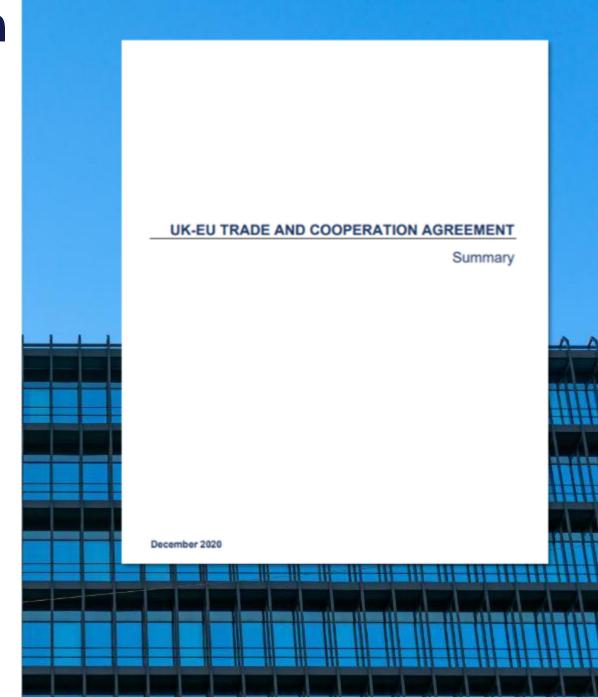
The <u>announcement</u> confirmed that the intention of the UK is to associate **to Horizon Europe**

This includes **full participation in the programme** (with the exception of the EIC Accelerator Investment Fund)

UK entities can participate in/coordinate projects and receive funding from Horizon Europe

UKRO <u>website</u> provides latest information on UK participation





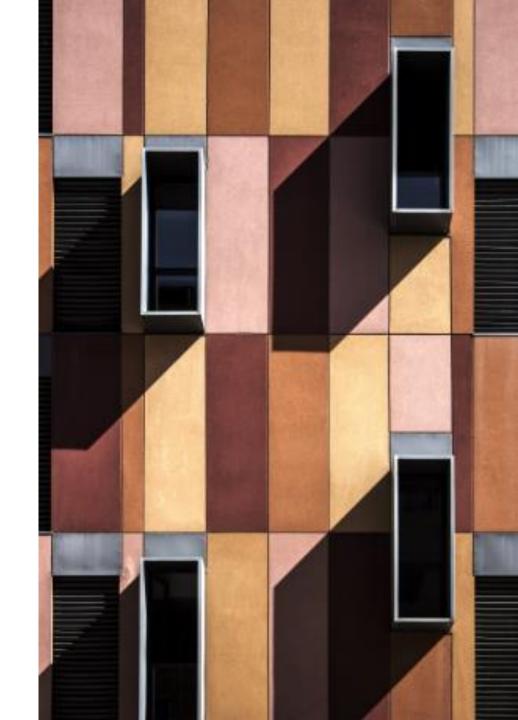
Commission Q&A

European Commission's Q&A confirms UK eligibility to apply:

"UK entities including universities, research centres, scientists, innovative businesses, industry, etc. can participate in the first calls for proposals of Horizon Europe as soon as they are published on the European Commission's website."

"...UK applicants are treated as if the UK is an associated country throughout the process, from admissibility and eligibility to evaluation, up until the preparation of grant agreements."



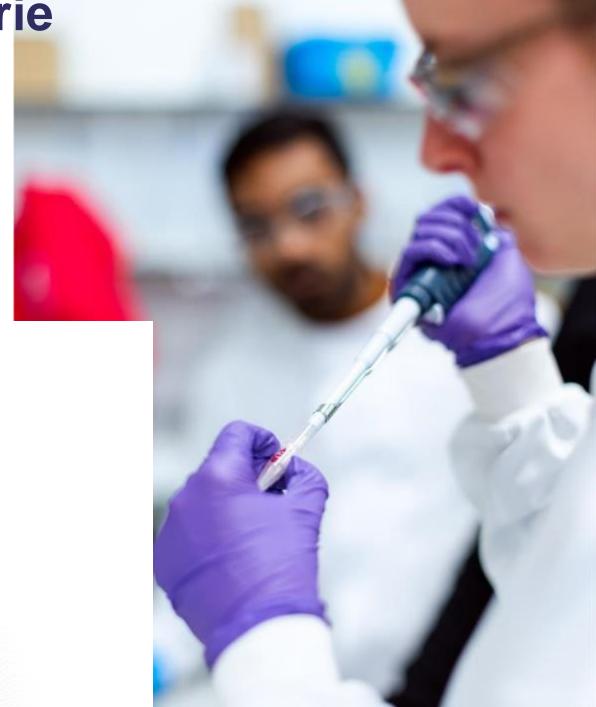


What Does this Mean for Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions?

In MSCA Doctoral Networks UK based organisations can

- Participate as beneficiaries
- Coordinate projects
- Recruit doctoral candidates
- Can award PhDs
- Host on secondments
- Recruited doctoral candidates count toward the total number of person months

https://marie-sklodowska-curieactions.ec.europa.eu/news/horizoneurope-uk-participation





Thank you





