

How to write a successful PhD proposal

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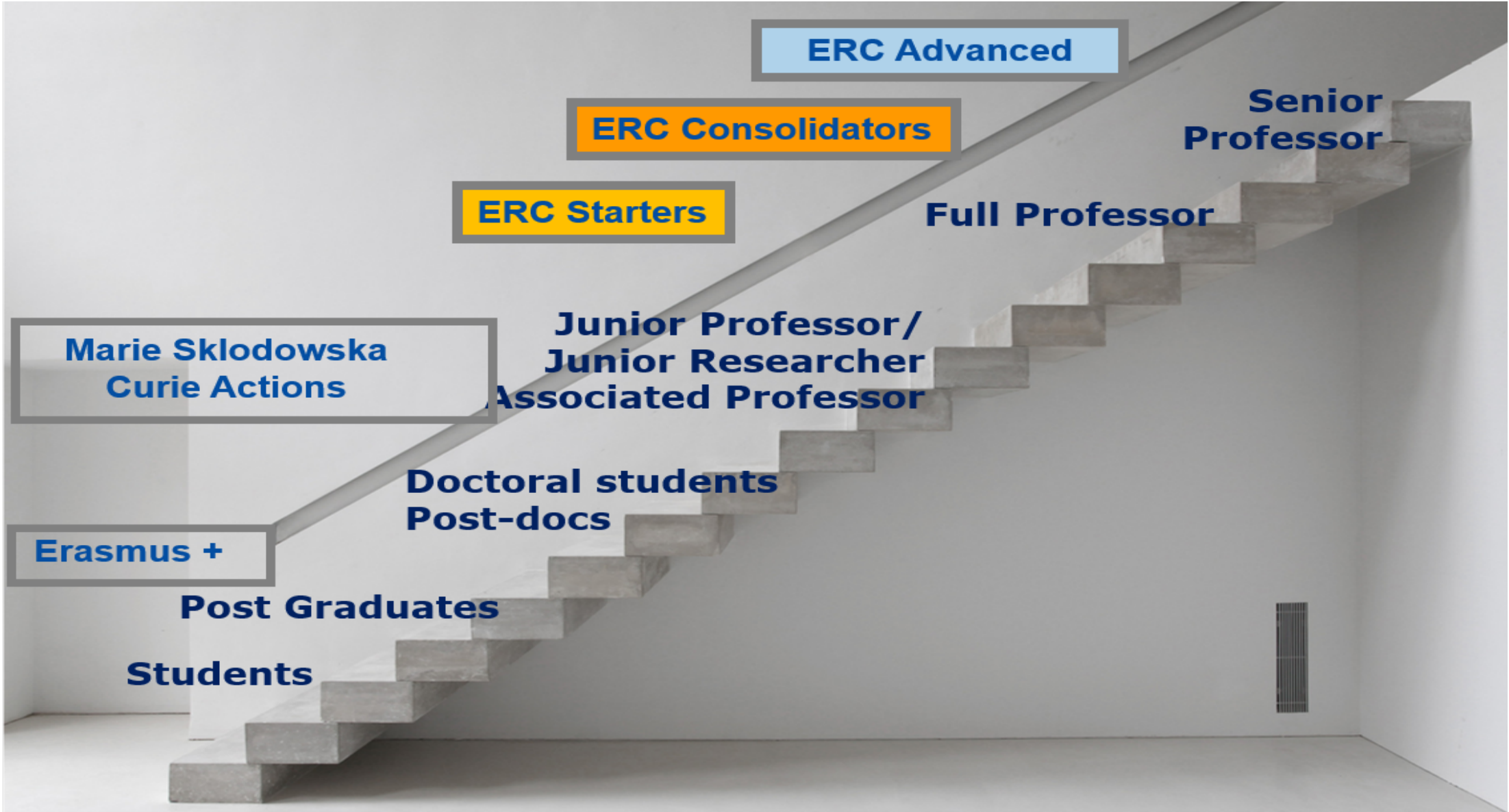
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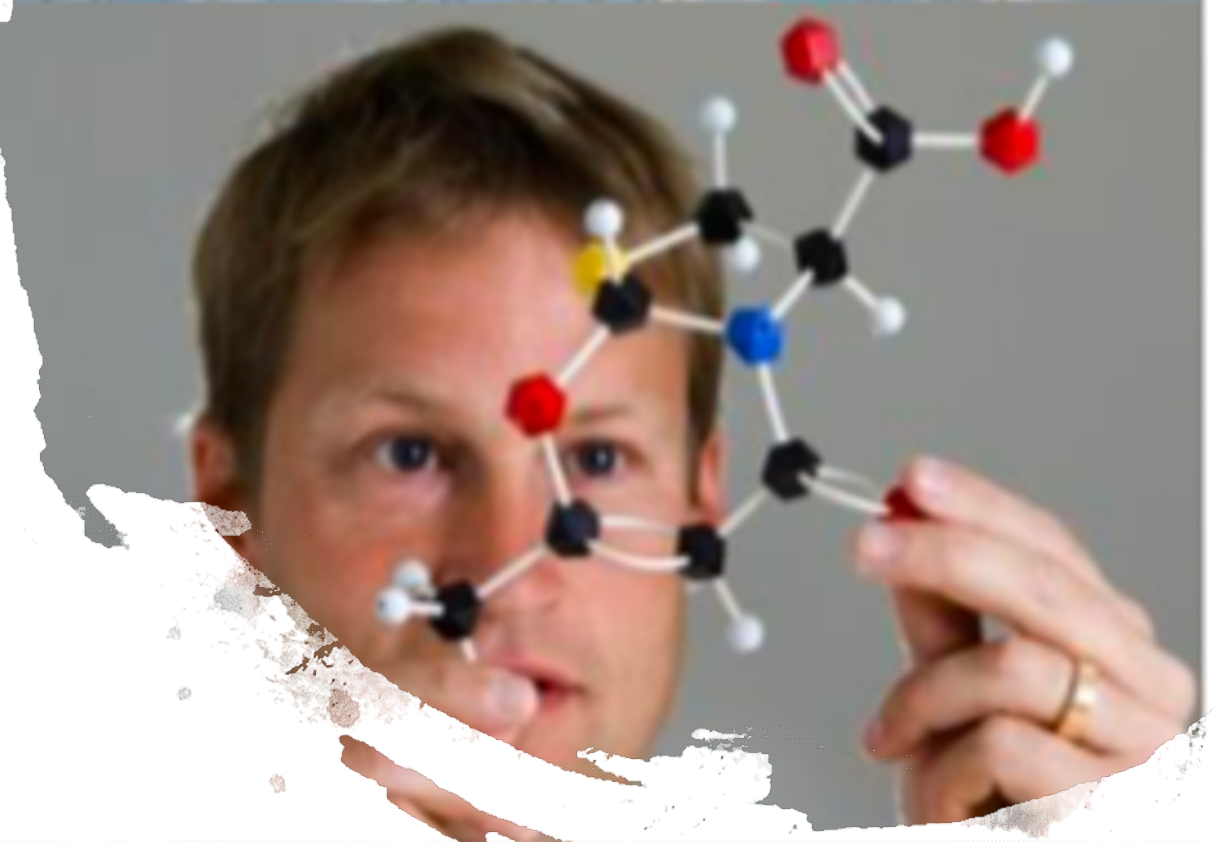
Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA)

*The EU's flagship mobility research programme
Funding opportunities for Indian researchers*



MSCA key features

- **Mobility, training and career development** of researchers from **all over the world** through excellent doctoral & postdoctoral fellowships and collaborative projects
- Stimulating international, inter-sectoral and interdisciplinary cooperation.
- Participation of non-academic sector, especially industry and SMEs
- For or researchers at **every stage of their career**
 - Support excellent research in all domains (bottom-up approach)
 - Promotion of attractive working and employment condition (financing rate of up to 100%)

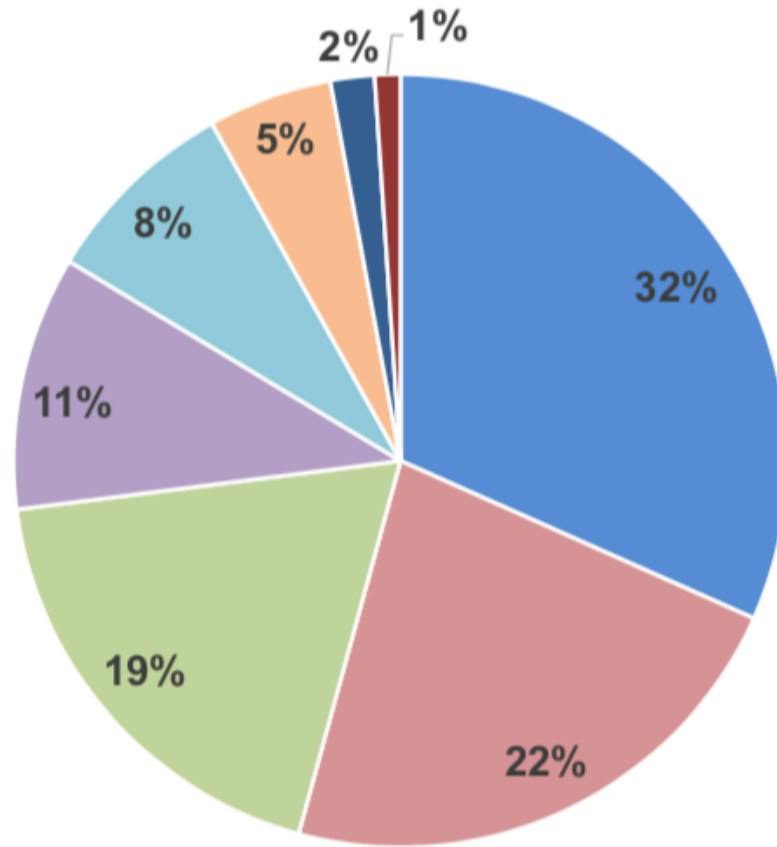


The MSCA and India (2014-2020)

- **Thousands** Indian researchers (PhDs & Postdoc) funded; more than 30% are women.
- Mostly doing research in: **United Kingdom, Germany, France, Italy and The Netherlands**
- **Indians are the second most active non-EU nationals** participating in the MSCA
- Research fields of Indian MSCA fellows are: **Engineering and ICT, Life Sciences, Chemistry, Physics, Environment and Geosciences, SSH, Economy and Mathematics**



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- Engineering and ICT
- Life Sciences
- Chemistry
- Physics
- Environment and Geosciences
- Social Sciences and Humanities
- Economy
- Mathematics



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Doctoral training programmes for young researchers across the world:

147 Projects funded in 2020 – thousands of PhD positions available!

1) European Training Network (ETN):

Participants implement a joint research programme

2) European Industrial Doctorate (EID):

Doctoral training with non-academic sector

3) European Joint Doctorates (EJD):

Doctoral programmes to deliver joint degrees.



How to apply?

- Applying for an **MSCA-PHD position** is very much like applying for a **job**.
 - One of most generous PhD programs in Europe
 - Higher salary than PhD students in many European countries (**Salary, living, family and mobility allowance**).
- **Projects** have already been set by the Beneficiaries and Partner Organisations (**consortia**)
- **ALL Fields:** STEM + SSH + Economies
- **Deadlines:** not fixed





Current Open PhD Calls in Europe



15 PhD Positions in Biological Sciences under project 'P4 FIT' - Pe. Perspectives For Future Innovation in Tendon repair. Austria, Finland, UK
Deadline: March 31



15 PhD Positions under project: 'DEEPICE' - ice core related Climate Science. Italy, Germany, Denmark, NL, CH. **Deadline: various**



13 PhD Positions under the project 'Bio2Brain' - Treatments in Neurological Diseases. Czech R., Greece, Germany. **Deadline: April 6**



16 PhD Positions in the 'CiM-IMPRS' program - GERMANY - Imaging Cellular Processes and Disease. **Deadline: April 4**

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