

Human Frontier Science Program-selected countries

Abstract

HFSP offers three year fellowships designed to encourage early stage scientists to broaden their research skills by moving into new areas of study while working in a new country. Fellows have the option of using the entire fellowship in the host country or may use the last year back in their home country. The two types of fellowships on offer from HFSP are;

Long-Term Fellowships

Cross-Disciplinary Fellowships

Duration & financial support

The HFSP fellowships are for 3 years, with no possibility for renewal. Fellows may interrupt HFSP support after the second year, for up to two years, while continuing their postdoctoral research funded through other sources (deferral period).

Fellows are granted a living allowance as well as a research and travel allowance. Depending on their specific situation fellows may also qualify to receive a child allowance, a parental leave allowance and a relocation allowance.

Deadline

The fellowship application submission deadline was August 27, 2020. The registration site is now closed. <https://www.hfsp.org/>



Who can apply

1) Nationality

- A candidate who is not a national from one of the HFSP members may apply to work only in a research institution in one of the member countries. A candidate who is a national of one of the member countries can apply to work in a research institution in any country.
- Applicants must propose to work in a country different to the one where they did their previous PhD work or first post-doctoral studies. For those institutions that are not classified as national, i.e. international or extraterritorial institutions such as EMBL, ICPT or ICGEB, the country in which the laboratory is located will be considered the host country.

2) Doctoral degree

3) Research publications

How to apply

Applications must be submitted via the HFSP website at <https://extranet.hfsp.org>.

Only the online application form is required at the time of application. No further documents (acceptance of host institution, signatures, etc.) are requested or accepted at this stage.