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**DCU School of Human Development  
Dublin City University**

The School of Human Development is looking to host an experienced researcher via funding through Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships. In order to secure funding, the experienced researcher must develop a proposal with the host for the September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020 deadline.

### **Organisation Description**

The School of Human Development comprises a dynamic and unique group of scholars, researchers and teachers whose academic interests span education, humanities, the social sciences and the broad field of Human Development. Much of the work of the School is multi and interdisciplinary, teaching into programmes which are primarily concerned with the study of Human Development, what it means to be 'fully human' and with the fundamental relationship between education and human development. The school is a rich site for research that is theoretical and critical, with a strong research profile that focuses on the fundamental relationship between education and the values and processes that foster and challenge the threshold of being human across time and contexts. Our Programmes at undergraduate and postgraduate levels span education and training at various levels, and include religious education, the humanities/liberal arts, and have a core concern for development and for social justice. We have a number of PhD and EdD students whose work spans these interdisciplinary fields.

### **Project idea and researcher opportunities**

Research Field: The researcher will work broadly in the subfields of sociology known as the sociology of education/sociology of the family/sociology of gender. Proposals with a focus on exploring themes related to social class and education and/or gender, sexuality and schooling are particularly welcome, although proposals concerned with any aspect of the sociology of education/sociology of the family/sociology of gender are welcome.

### **Researcher Requirements**

- The researcher must fulfil the MSCA-IF mobility and experienced researcher requirements.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> **MSCA-IF mobility:** The researcher must not have resided or carried out the main activity (work, studies, etc.) in the country of the beneficiary for more than 12 months in the 3 years immediately before the call September 9<sup>th</sup> deadline (flexible 36 months in the 5 previous years if eligible for career restart or reintegration fellowship <https://www.iaa.ie/irish-marie-curie-office/funding-calls/individual-fellowships/> )

**Experienced researcher requirements:** The researcher must have at least 4-years full time research experience or hold a doctorate before the September 9<sup>th</sup> deadline.



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- Applicants should have a PhD (or more than 4 years of research experience) in a relevant area of sociology/sociology of education/family/gender and demonstrate a promising track record of early research achievements.

### **Application procedure**

The applicant should provide:

1. A short CV
2. A one-page research proposal
3. A short statement with indication of why DCU and The School of Human Development would be the best host institution for your research project

### **Contact information**

If you are interested in applying for a MSCA-IF with DCU's School of Human Development, please email Dr Audrey Bryan – [Audrey.bryan@dcu.ie](mailto:Audrey.bryan@dcu.ie) and Dr Ines Perić ([ines.peric@dcu.ie](mailto:ines.peric@dcu.ie)) as early as possible.