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Subject: Horizon 2020 Framework Programme
Call for proposals: H2020-MSCA-IF-2017 (H2020-MSCA-IF-2017)
Proposal: 799865 — MessCa
Evaluation result letter — GAP invitation letter

Dear Madam/Sir,

I am writing in connection with your proposal for the above-mentioned call.

Having completed the **evaluation**, we are pleased to inform you that your proposal has **passed this phase** and that the Agency would now like to **start grant preparation**.

Please find enclosed the evaluation summary report (ESR), based on the comments and opinion of the experts that evaluated the proposal for the Agency.

General information about the relative position of your proposal in the ranking is published in a [call update](#).

Invitation to grant preparation

Grant preparation will be based on the following:

1. **Proposal:** 799865 — MessCa
2. **Topic:** MSCA-IF-2017 — Individual Fellowships
3. **Type of action:** Standard European Fellowships
4. **Project officer:** Mateja DEMSAR
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 Please always use the Participant Portal messaging function (via your [Participant Portal account](#)). Do NOT contact the project officer via other means (e-mail, letter, etc) — unless explicitly asked to do so.

5. **Maximum grant amount:**

Requested EU contribution (according to proposal): 168,277.20 EUR

Maximum grant amount (proposed amount, after evaluation): **168,277.20 EUR**

6. **Duration of the action:** 24 months

7. **Action & budget:**

The **description of the action (DoA)** (Annex 1 to the grant agreement) and the **estimated budget for the action** (Annex 2 to the grant agreement) must be based on the proposal submitted.

 Please be aware that you may have to change your ‘description of the action’, in order to address ethics and security issues.

8. **Timetable & deadlines for grant preparation**

Submission of grant data & annexes: **2 weeks** after receiving this letter

Once the Agency has checked the information you have encoded, you will have **2 weeks** to submit your final version — to bring it in line with the comments of the project officer.

Signature of the declaration of honour (DoH): **3 weeks** after receiving this letter

Grant signature: **within 4 months** after receiving this letter (indicative date).

 Please note that repeated **failure to respect deadlines** may lead to the **rejection of the partner/proposal**. (Lack of cooperation during grant preparation will be taken to mean that you are no longer interested in the grant).

9. **Fully electronic grant preparation via the Participant Portal**

Please use your [Participant Portal account](#) to prepare your grant (including signature of the agreement). Do NOT contact the Agency via other means (e-mail, letter, etc) — unless explicitly asked to do so.

Please note that some of your legal and financial **data** in the Beneficiary Register is ‘read-only’ and can be **updated** only by your LEAR (via your Participant Portal account on the My Organisation(s) page). During grant preparation, you will therefore be asked to **appoint a LEAR**.

Please note that the **data** (from your proposal, the Beneficiary Register or grant preparation) **may be used** by the Agency for monitoring and statistical purposes.

10. **Other information**

Not applicable

 For more information on grant preparation, see the [Online Manual on the Participant Portal](#).

For British applicants: Please note that until the United Kingdom leaves the EU, EU law continues to apply to and within the United Kingdom, when it comes to rights and obligations; this includes the eligibility of United Kingdom legal entities to fully participate and receive funding in Horizon 2020 actions. Please be aware however that the eligibility criteria must be complied with for the entire duration of the grant. If the United Kingdom withdraws from the EU during the grant period without concluding an agreement with the EU ensuring in particular that British applicants continue to be eligible, you will cease to be eligible to receive EU funding (while continuing, where possible, to participate) or be required to leave the project on the basis of the termination provisions in the grant agreement.

 Please note that this letter does **NOT** constitute a **formal commitment for funding**. The final decision by the Agency will only be taken at a later stage, since it depends on the finalisation of grant preparation and the rest of the selection procedure (implying further checks, for instance, of operational and financial capacity, non-exclusion, etc).

For any questions, please contact the project officer via your [Participant Portal account](#).

Yours faithfully,

Jean-Bernard VEYRET
Head of Unit

Enclosures: Evaluation summary report (ESR)