MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships
in a nutshell

- The Postdoctoral Fellowships enables postdoctoral researchers with professional skills to boost their future careers through the implementation of an international, interdisciplinary and at best intersectoral personalised research project.
- There two types:
  - European Postdoctoral Fellowships allow Postdocs to pursue their project at a host institution in an EU Member State or at a host institution in a Horizon Europe Associated Country (AC).
  - Global Postdoctoral Fellowships consist of an "outgoing phase" and thus a host institution in a non-European and non-Associated Country and a mandatory return phase to a host institution (beneficiary) based in an EU Member State or AC.
- The mobility rule applies to all fellows: they may not have resided or worked in the host institution's country for more than 12 months in the 36 months prior to the submission deadline (for Global Postdoctoral Fellowships, this applies to the host institution of the "outgoing phase").
- Funding:
  - Fellows will be hired (full-time/exceptions may be considered) by the host (EU) with a monthly salary consisting of a living allowance (4993.64€ gross salary), a mobility allowance (600), and if eligible, a family allowance (660). For the project implementation the host will receive and make available a monthly lump sum of about 1000€ for the total project duration.
- Eligibility:
  - Researchers from all scientific fields with a doctoral degree not older than eight years (full-time FTE) at call deadline. Researchers who wish to reintegrate into research or the EU or (AC) can deduct their absent time.
  - Global Postdoctoral Fellowship applicants must be nationals or long-term residents of an EU Member State or an (AC).
  - European Postdoctoral Fellowship applicants can be of any nationality.
- Applications:
  - Are to be submitted via the Funding & Tender Opportunities Portal, following the call template structure. For help concerning technicalities or content of your proposal consult with HU's research advisor Ravindranath Somaratne.