

- **Call identifier:** *FP7-PEOPLE-2009-IOF*
- **Date of publication:** 18 March 2009
- **Deadline:** 18 August 2009 at 17.00.00 Brussels local time
- **Indicative budget:** *EUR 28 million* of the 2009 budget . The final budget awarded to this call, following the evaluation of projects, may vary up to 10% of the total value of this call.

- **Topics called:**

ACTION	Funding Schemes
<i>Marie Curie International Outgoing Fellowships for Career Development</i>	<i>Support for training and career development of researchers</i>

- **Eligibility criteria:**

- This action addresses *experienced researchers*, who are nationals of a Member State or Associated country, who move from a Member State or Associated country to a third country and who respect the mobility conditions (see details in the core text of the work programme).

- **Evaluation procedure**

- The evaluation criteria (including weights and thresholds) and sub-criteria together with the eligibility, selection and award criteria, for the different funding schemes are set out in Annex 2 to this work programme.
- The evaluation shall follow a single-stage procedure.
- Proposals will not be evaluated anonymously.
- Proposals may be evaluated remotely.
- Proposals are allocated to one of 8 scientific panels. The distribution of the indicative budget of the call over the scientific disciplines will be based on the number of eligible proposals received in each panel. If the budget allocated to a panel exceeds the requirements of all proposals positively evaluated in that panel, the excess budget will be reallocated to the other panels based on the distribution as above. Equally, if the allocated funding to a panel is insufficient to fund the highest ranked proposal in that panel, the necessary budget will be transferred from the other panels based on the distribution as above, in order to ensure that the highest ranked proposal can be funded.

- **Indicative evaluation and contractual timetable:**

- Evaluation results estimated to be available within some 4 months after the deadline for submission.
- Grant agreement signature: expected from within 6 months after the relevant deadline for submission.

- **Consortia agreements:** Participants in actions resulting from this call are not required to conclude a consortium agreement.
The forms of grants and maximum reimbursement rates which will be offered are specified in Annex 3 of the People work programme.