IAEA Marie Sklodowska-Curie Fellowship Programme

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Should I include the Master's degree for which I am seeking support in the *Education and Professional Development* field in the online application form?

Yes. You should list your educational background starting with the Master's programme you have been admitted to and are seeking support for.

2. Who is the Official Contact Person indicated in the online application form?

This could be an Admissions Officer, Academic Advisor, Department Head, Vice Rector or similar.

3. My Master's degree programme is one year long. Do I qualify for the IAEA MSCFP?

Yes.

4. Do I still qualify to apply if I hold a Master's degree in another field of study that is not nuclear, but I am now enrolled in a Master's degree in a nuclear-related field?

Yes. Make sure you enter this information in the online application form under the *Education and Professional Development* field.

5. Do I qualify if I am an international student at the university where I have been admitted to for a Master's degree Programme?

Yes.

6. In my university there are no Master's degree programmes, only direct PhD programmes which also award a Master's degree after completion of a required number of credit hours. I am now a first-year graduate student in the programme. Do I qualify to apply?

Yes. You must provide a statement issued by the university explaining the structure of its graduate programme which indicates when and how a Master's degree is granted and whether you are considered a PhD candidate after or before being awarded a Master's degree.

7. What is meant by 'accredited' university?

The IAEA refers to the universities in the <u>World Higher Education Database</u> run by the International Association of Universities in collaboration with <u>UNESCO</u>. However, if your university is not in this database, the IAEA will consult with the Member State about the accreditation status of the university in your application to check for eligibility.

8. I had to postpone my studies one year after I completed the first year of my Master's degree studies due to personal reasons. I am now back to school on regular basis. Do I qualify to apply?

Yes. You are required to provide the university proof of your break year. Please attach such a document in the online application form under Attachments.

9. Are all students from all countries eligible to apply?

Applicants who are female students from IAEA Member States and meet the specified entry criteria are eligible to apply. For the list of IAEA Member States, click <u>here</u>.

10. I have another scholarship, but it does not cover all my expenses, such as the tuition fee and living costs. Do I qualify for the IAEA MSCFP?

Yes.

11. I am employed. Do I qualify for the IAEA MSCFP?

Yes. Make sure you complete the required fields in the online Application Form indicating your work experience.

12. The university I attended is not in the drop-down box in the online application form. What should I do?

You may type in the name of your university in the field provided in the online application form.

13. How can I inform you about changes in my personal information?

Please inform us at MSCFP@iaea.org.