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## Marie Curie Post-doc Positions at Ca' Foscari University of Venice

**“Expression of Interest” for hosting Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellows – Call 2019**

### 1. Interested institution (legal person):

Ca' Foscari University of Venice

### 2. Department/Centre:

*Department of Asian and North African Studies*

The Department of Asian and North African Studies presents many inputs and lines of research thanks to the wide interests covered by its faculty members. Many geographical and linguistic areas are represented as well as many different fields: linguistic, philology, literature, history, sociology, arts, performances...

This feature creates a stimulating environment, facilitates a multidisciplinary approach to research and offers support to the most diverse research prospects. Some of our research projects are: Reader, Author, Scholar in a Context of Information Overflow. How to master/manage knowledge when there is too much to know? (RASCIO); Between Humanitarian Practices and Youth Aliyah Policy: Jewish Displaced Children and Youths in a Transnational Perspective (1943-1948); World Heritage and East Asian Literature - Sinitic Writings in Japan as Literary Heritage (WHEREAL).

### 3. Position, scientific requirements, topic, scientific panel:

#### Position:

Post-doc Position

#### Scientific requirements:

PhD in Middle Eastern Studies (Arabic)

The fellow should have research experience in premodern Arabic literature and culture; or: the Arabic linguistic tradition; or:

The fellow should have leadership abilities and international experience in research and/or teaching.

#### Topic(s):

We are interested in Marie Skłodowska-Curie research proposals covering the following topics:

- 1) Motifs and topoi in premodern Arabic texts as an identity construct
- 2) Arabic as a marker of identity in pre-modern Arabic texts
- 3) Intertextuality and the reuse of pre-modern Arabic tropes in modern and contemporary Arabic literature
- 4) Cultural cross-pollination in the Abbasid empire

#### Scientific Panel:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry (CHE)                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Environment/Climate changes (ENV) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Social Sciences and Humanities (SOC) | <input type="checkbox"/> Life Sciences (LIF)               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Economic Sciences (ECO)                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics (MAT)                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Information Science (ENG)                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Physics (PHY)                     |

For further details, see the list of descriptors: [http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/other/guides\\_for\\_applicants/h2020-guide-appl-msca-if\\_en.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/other/guides_for_applicants/h2020-guide-appl-msca-if_en.pdf)

### 4. Contact person:

Prof. Antonella Ghersetti

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### 5. Deadline and proposal drafting:

Next MSCA-IF Call deadline is **September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019**.

Drafting a Marie Curie proposal requires some time to be accurately revised and shared with the supervisor and the research advisors. Please contact us as soon as possible and **no later than May**



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31<sup>st</sup>, 2019.

**6. Further information:**

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships – IF: <http://www.unive.it/pag/28536/>

Meet our fellows: <http://www.unive.it/pag/30982/>

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