If you consider a Widening Country organisation as a partner or host for your Marie Skłodowska-Curie project, THIS COUNTRY PROFILE IS FOR YOU!
Facts and Figures

- 9.8 million inhabitants
- 38.9 thousand researchers
- 101 new doctorate graduates per 100,000 population aged 25-34
- 4,563 international scientific co-publications per 100,000 population
- 380 Hungarian organisations successful in H2020 so far

17 Hungarian organisations have already signed the Charter & Code:
https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/jobs/charter/declaration-endorsement

To know more about the Hungarian R&I system, check the RIO analysis:

The most successful organisations in Horizon 2020 and MSCA (until June 2019)

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MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE ACTIONS

Conduct research with a Hungarian institution!

97 researchers are already in Hungary with MSCA, will you become the next one?
Team up with a Hungarian organisation – 64 are already participating in MSCA.

MSCA key figures – country profile for Hungary:
▶ https://ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/msca-numbers_en

Check the next MSCA calls on the EC website:
▶ https://ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/node_en

Excellent MSCA IF proposals with Hungarian host institutions also have a chance of getting funding under the Widening Fellowship Programme. Learn more:
▶ https://www.net4mobilityplus.eu/fileadmin/user_upload/N4M__flyer.pdf

Check out the success stories of the Widening countries under MSCA:
▶ https://www.net4mobilityplus.eu/widening-countries-success-stories/

Look for job opportunities and find out practical issues about Hungary with EURAXESS:
▶ https://www.euraxess.hu/

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▶ https://nkfih.gov.hu/about-the-office

or the dedicated MSCA NCP: ▶ https://www.net4mobilityplus.eu/contacts/
NATIONAL MEASURES AND EXCELLENT ORGANISATIONS, ATTRACTING RESEARCHERS FROM ABROAD

The Hungarian Government places particular emphasis on research and innovation and recently created the Ministry of Innovation and Technology to further develop the innovation ecosystem, to increase Hungary’s global competitiveness and foster its most fruitful integration in the European Research Area (ERA). Through the National Research, Development and Innovation Office and the National Research, Development and Innovation Fund, national funding is provided for excellent research and innovation projects. Among others, university-industry partnerships in the frame of the Centre of Higher Education and Industrial Cooperation Programme (FIEK) are supported in many cities of the country in the automotive, health, pharmaceutical, agricultural and material sciences fields. The Office plays a key role in international RDI cooperation and is also responsible for the coordination of the NCP network related to the EU Framework programmes.

Regarding the research and innovation landscape, 64 higher education institutions and the Eötvös Loránd Research Network (successor of the institutes of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences) focus on basic and applied research while Bay Zoltán Nonprofit Ltd. for Applied Research plays a major role in the innovation-related activities. Local branches of multinational companies and several innovative Hungarian enterprises are also involved in the research collaborations.

There are several large-scale research infrastructures in Hungary. The ELI-ALPS research facility in Szeged (established as part of a European cooperation) is the combination of numerous synchronised, ultrashort, high-intensity laser pulses with cutting-edge secondary sources and diagnostics. It creates an outstanding...
environment for fundamental and applied scientific research and lays the groundwork for new technological developments such as relativistic microwave electronics.

- **Zalazone** vehicle test track is a full-range validation facility for traditional, electric and self-driving vehicles and related communication technologies, helping prototype tests and serial product development.

**Hungary** is situated in Central Europe with excellent road and air connections. According to the international tourist portals, Budapest is one of the best European travel destinations with historic monuments, museums, entertainment possibilities and good infrastructure. Lake Balaton is the largest freshwater lake in the region with pleasant beaches, local festivals and delicious white wines made on the surrounding hills.
Hungary is famous for its traditional cuisine, red and white wines and “pálinka”, as well as the relaxing thermal baths. The capital and the major cities with university campuses offer promising opportunities for teaming with other excellent researchers.

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