
Cognitive Archaeology Research Fellow for APPLYING to the

Marie S. Curie Actions call

- **Job Summary:** CENIEH is seeking a Research Fellow in Cognitive Archaeology for applying to the current Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions-Individual Fellowships call (HORIZON-MSCA-2021-PF-01) which closes on 12th of October 2021
- **Job Description:** The Fellow with the successful proposal will join a team of researchers in the Archaeology Program at CENIEH. The main research focus of the program is field and laboratory investigations on the origin and evolution of lithic technology during the Pleistocene. The candidate will be involved in field and laboratory investigations with international scientists working at Gona (Afar, Ethiopia) and Ain Hanech (Algeria), to study technological changes through time, particularly by investigating the major technological transitions in the Pleistocene for understanding hominin cognition. The major role of the candidate should involve experimental studies by replicating and by employing cognitive methods for understanding the different stages in the evolution of stone tools, and for investigating the nature of the technological changes seen in human behavioural evolution. The candidate will develop his investigations in collaboration with colleagues in the Archaeology Program in the newly established state of the art laboratory of experimental Archaeology and Taphonomy.
- **Career Stage:** Experienced researcher or 2-5 yrs (Post-Doc)
- **Comment/web site for additional job details:**
Archaeology Program:
<https://www.cenieh.es/en/research/lines-of-research/archaeology-human-origins>
- **For more details about MSCA-IF call:**
<https://ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/calls/msca-postdoctoral-fellowships-2021>
- **Type of Contract:** Temporary
- **Status:** Full-time
- **Hours Per Week:** 38,5
- **Envisaged Job Starting Date:** 05/01/2022

Organisation/Institute Contact Data

- **Organisation:** CENIEH (Centro Nacional de Investigación sobre la Evolución Humana)
- **Organisation/Institution Type:** Public Research
- **Faculty/Department/Research Lab:** Archaeology Program



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Required Languages

- **Language:** ENGLISH
- **Language Level:** Very Good

Additional Requirements

- **Specific Requirements:** Archaeological fieldwork experience and knowledge of raw material petrography/petrology are required. Also, knowledge of experimental knapping is expected for investigating stone flaking properties.
- **Specific Requirements:** The conditions of the MSCA-2021-PF-01 call apply. The most relevant are:
 - ✓ The researcher must be in possession of a doctoral degree and have a maximum of five years' experience in research.
 - ✓ The researcher must currently be residing outside of Spain
 - ✓ The researcher can be of any nationality (including Spanish)
 - ✓ Project from 12 to 24 months.

<https://ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/actions/postdoctoral-fellowships>

Application Details

Applicants should send their CV and a Cover Letter:

- **Application Deadline:** 15/09/2021
- **How To Apply:** send your CV and a cover letter by email
- **Application e-mail:** rrhh@cenieh.es or directly to sileshi.semaw@cenieh.es and Mohamed Sahnouni mohamed.sahnouni@cenieh.es

More information can be found in the website www.cenieh.es