



# SMASH

machine learning for science and humanities postdoctoral program



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# About SMASH program

SMASH is intersectoral, career-development training program for postdoctoral researchers, centered on developing cutting-edge machine learning applications for science and humanities, cofunded by Marie Skłodowska Curie COFUND Action.

Duration: 2023 – 2028. **Call-3 IS NOW OPEN!**

SMASH offers 2-year fellowships to 50 talented postdoc individuals to harness the potential of VEGA, one of Europe's newest petascale High-Performance Computers

5 host organisations are top institutions in SLOVENIA with the possibility to spend up to 1/3 of their fellowship duration at one of our international academic partners (including the University of Amsterdam, CERN and UC Berkeley) or at some of the most successful Slovenian companies.

5 key research areas (and 17 sub-areas), <https://smash.ung.si/>



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# About SMASH Calls

## Who can apply?

- Holders of PhD, of any nationality or researchers who have successfully defended their doctoral thesis but have yet to be formally awarded their doctoral degree, complying with the MSCA-COFUND mobility rule.

## How to apply?

- Via on-line application platform: <https://smash.ung.si/open-calls/>
- **Call-3 is now open! Deadline: October 21st 2024, 23:59 CEST.**

## What SMASH Offers?

- 2-year full time fellowship - Fellows will be compensated with **monthly gross salary of €5449/€4882** (w or w/o family), which includes all taxes and other statutory payments. For comparison, the average gross salary in Slovenia is about €2344 /month.
- Excellent working conditions, access to top infrastructure (including the peta supercomputer Vega), substantial research and travel funds collaborations with our Slovenian and world-wide partners institutions.



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