



WP9-T9.3 – Russian fellowship programme to EMMRI (Executive Masters in Management of Research Infrastructures) (Russian FP to EMMRI)

Russian FP to EMMRI allows scientists in management positions from Russian RIs to enrol in a unique part-time 18-month Executive Master in Management of Research Infrastructures (EMMRI) delivered by University of Milano-Bicocca in Milan, Italy

Quota: up to 7 candidates per year, (over three years) 21 candidates until the end of CREMLINplus project

Executive Masters in Management of Research Infrastructures – EMMRI UNIVERSITY OF MILANO-BICOCCA (UNIMIB)

The EMMRI programme (Executive Masters in Management of Research Infrastructures) was developed within RItrain (<u>http://ritrain.eu/</u>), an EU-funded Horizon 2020 project aimed at improving and professionalizing training for research infrastructure managers and leaders. The programme is delivered by the University of Milano-Bicocca (<u>https://emmri.unimib.it</u>)

The idea of the programme is to train the new generation of executives of national and international research infrastructures, equipping them with state-of-the-art high level managerial and leadership skills, tailored to academic and scientific needs, and also to the needs of scientific service providers.

This Master programme is an official MBA under the Bologna rules. It is organized in 12 modules, among which 7 blended, on-campus and online, (3 day visits to Milan) and 5 full online. The modules combine lectures, talks by experts from Research Infrastructures and guest speakers, webinars and case study analysis. Towards the second half of the curriculum the participants will develop and implement a supervised field project – thereby implementing learnings into practice. **The total duration of the Masters is 18 months.**

The Russian FP to EMMRI within Horizon 2020 CREMLINplus project offers fellowships to scientific managers of Russian research infrastructures to study for this Master degree at the University of Milano-Bicocca. Fellowships are available on a competitive basis and cover full tuition fee, accommodation, living expenses and flights to and from Milan for up to 7 on-campus visits in Milan (3 days each) and the final Graduation exam. Reimbursement of travel and accommodation expenses are made according to the rules and travel policy of the University of Milano-Bicocca.

The fellowship application process has two steps:

Identification process in line with the CREMLINplus Fellowship programme' criteria, coordinated by the National University of Science and Technology MISIS
II. The final selection of Russian candidates to EMMRI in line with the general evaluation system of the UNIMIB,

managed by the UNIMIB

APPLICATION PROCESS. STEP I: CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

I-1. Announcement of the first call for expression of interest in EMMRI for scientific managers of Russian RIs.

NUST MISIS disseminates information on the call via different channels, including the channels of the MSHE of the RF and the NCP for Research Infrastructures.

Deadline: 15 June 2021

(3 calls overall are scheduled within CREMLINplus project)

A detailed information on pre-application process, key dates and required documentation is available on the website of the Russian NCP for RIs: <u>http://h2020-infra.misis.ru/en/russian-fellowship-programme-to-emmri</u>

I-2. Submission of expression of interest to the call

All expression of interest must be submitted online through the website of the Russian NCP for research infrastructures

Before submission, the candidates are advised to review carefully the eligibility criteria.

I-3. Pre-screening by the WP9 experts

NUST MISIS collects all applications. The WP9 experts screen and carry out a preliminary check of applications and the supporting documents in line with the UniMIB's Call eligibility criteria.

I-4. Acknowledgement of the List of candidates by the MSHE

I-5. Notification of all candidates on screening results.

NUST MISIS informs all candidates on the screening results by e-mail and invites all candidates to apply formally to EMMRI programme through the website of the UNIMIB (<u>https://emmri.unimib.it</u>).

APPLICATION PROCESS. STEP II – FINAL SELECTION

II-1. Submission of applications to EMMRI programme

The applications are made exclusively online through the EMMRI website.

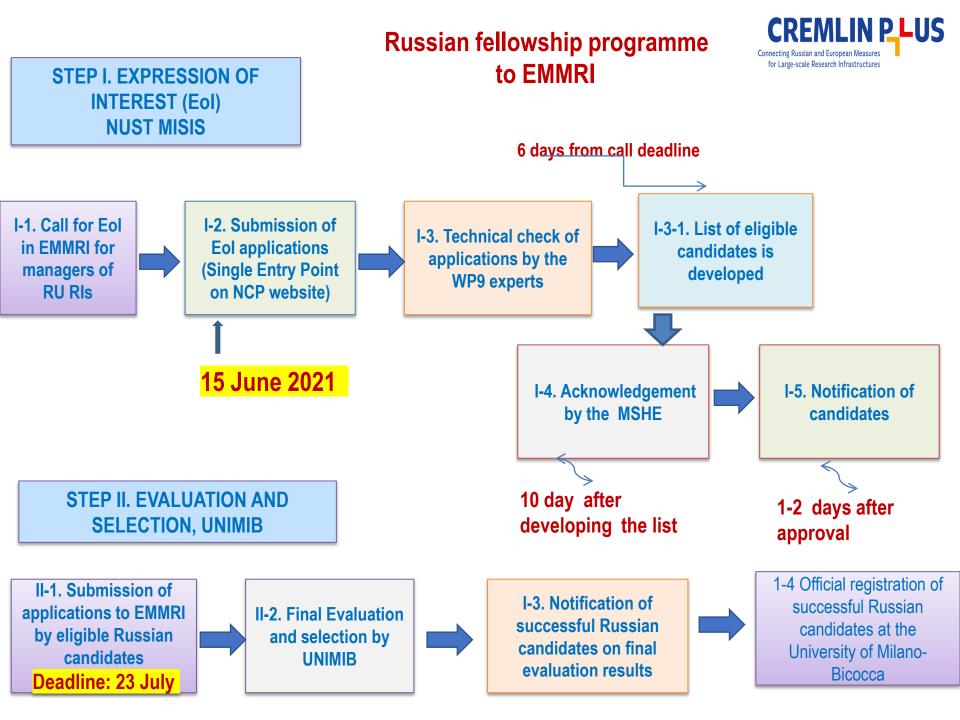
II-2. Evaluation and final selection by UNIMIB

The UNIMIB evaluation committee evaluate applications of all (incl. Russian) candidates in line with EMMRI criteria and identify the final list of participants. The selection will be done on the basis of UNIMIB published application process (https://emmri.unimib.it/admission/).

II- 3. Notification of successful Russian candidates on evaluation and selection results

The result of the selection will be communicated soon to the candidate after the application is evaluated. UNIMIB informs successful Russian candidates on results of final evaluation by e-mail.

II-4. After the admission, candidates will be required to officially register at the University of Milano-Bicocca following the specific requirements for Masters programmes.



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

be national of the Russian Federation or a long-term resident of Russia

be a **first-level or second-level managers** of the Russian RIs (e.g., Director Generals, Chief Operating Officers or their equivalent, recently appointed or upcoming senior managers, Heads of National Nodes, Head of Department, Heads of Finance and Administration, HR and Communication, Middle management and programme managers, Head of labs and other scientists holding/moving to managerial positions in RIs)

have a University degree and experience of 7 years work in Russian RIs

No age restrictions apply.

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4 Female participation is strongly supported.

CONTENT OF APPLICATION

Application form CV of the candidate and Motivation letter Employer Support letter Very good level of written and spoken English (approved by certificates or experience)

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA, CONTENT OF APPLICATION

SELECTION CRITERIA (UNIMIB)

- 1 Relevance of applicant's CV and current job in the RI to EMMRI requirements
 - Experience, current position and training needs
- 3 Motivation and potential

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4 Scientific domain and geographic balance



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