

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

### **SHORT-TERM POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP (CTP - CHERCHEUR TEMPORAIRE POSTDOCTORAL)**

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## CANDIDACY

The F.R.S.-FNRS Short-term Postdoctoral Fellowship (CTP - Chercheur temporaire postdoctoral) is part of the categories related to the personnel that one can recruit via certain F.R.S.-FNRS instruments<sup>1</sup>.

## OBJECTIVE OF THE FELLOWSHIP

Promoters may invite a researcher in their laboratory. The researcher must hold the academic degree of doctor obtained after defense of a thesis at the latest on the hiring date. S/he must be experiencing an international scientific mobility and hence may benefit from a postdoctoral grant from the hosting university. This grant will be exempted from taxes but subject to the employee social security.

The researcher who is experiencing an "international mobility" shall not have resided or carried out his/her main activity (job, studies...) in Belgium for more than 24 months during the last 3 years directly before the first stay as a Postdoctoral fellow.

The first hiring period shall start at the latest exactly 6 years after obtaining the academic degree of doctor, after defense of a thesis.

The maximum period of time mentioned above is extended for one additional year per childbirth and/or adoption occurring after obtaining the academic degree or diploma considered when deciding to offer the position.

## DURATION

The Short-term Postdoctoral Fellowship is for a maximum duration of 3 years. The Short-term Postdoctoral fellow's stay shall not exceed the duration of the research agreement.

## AMOUNT

The F.R.S.-FNRS contribution is limited to an annual amount assigned from the Fund and is a pro-rata calculation based on the services provided.

<sup>1</sup>

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Télévie	➤ <a href="#">Télévie</a>
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