



MSCA-COFUND-TOUCH

Towards the next generatiOn of excellent yoUng
doctoral researchers on mental health by
developing an intersectoral & transdisciplinary
approaCH

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The goals

Recruitment and training of 24 doctoral candidates under four major thematic areas in **mental health & wellbeing** research:

- Fostering mental health and wellbeing across lifespan
- Transdisciplinary approach to mental health and wellbeing determinants
- Multilevel strategies for assessment and intervention in mental health and wellbeing: from genomics to personomics
- Governance in mental health systems: participation, education, and community

Maintaining the **highest research quality standards**.

Fulfilling all the principles of **Open Science**.



Consortium

I. BENEFICIARY

UAB
Universitat Autònoma
de Barcelona

II. IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS (recruit fellows)



III. ASSOCIATED PARTNERS (secondments, training, no recruitment)

- University of Kent
- Universidad de Deusto
- Vrije Universiteit Brussel
- Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia
- Université de Fribourg
- Boston University
- MyCarenet SL
- Federació Salut Mental Catalunya
- ILS Research gGmbH
- Cluster Salut Mental Catalunya
- Isensi

Academic (6) - Non-academic (17) - Training (3)

What does TOUCH offer?

- **Over 60 opportunities** to undertake research projects with **renowned supervisors**.
- **3-year full-time contract** (37,5 hours/week) and a gross salary of around 2.300 €/month.
- **International and intersectoral training** through collaboration with several associated partner organisations, including universities, private companies, social enterprises and associations, research centers, clusters, foundations and mental health associations.
- The availability of **world-class research infrastructures**.
- An excellent training programme, including:
 - Practical **hands-on schools**.
 - Training in **scientific and communication skills, research diversity** and a **personal development retreat**.
 - International and/or intersectoral **secondments** at partner laboratories and premises.

Positions offered

	UAB	CED	CRM	CVC	FSIE	I3PT	IR-HSCS P	VHIR	TOTAL
TOTAL	12	2	2	1	2	2	1	2	24
1st Call (April-June 2024)	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13
2nd Call (January-March 2025)	6	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	11



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THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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