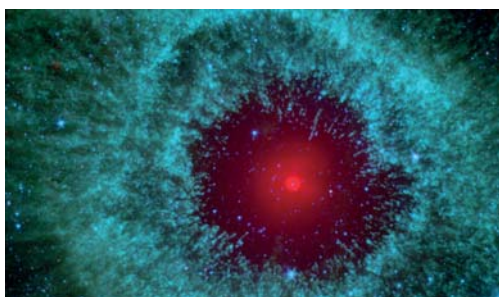


Launch of a unique international management development programme

EXECUTIVE MASTERS IN MANAGEMENT OF RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURES

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In collaboration with Rltrain Partners



ABOUT Rltrain

Rltrain, the Research Infrastructure Training Programme, is an EU-funded Horizon 2020 project aimed at improving and professionalising the training of managerial and leadership staff in research infrastructures (RIs). Our vision is to develop a new generation of executives of national and international RIs and equip them with state-of-the-art managerial and leadership skills tailored to scientific services providers.

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

The Masters programme is tailored for busy executives by organising its 60 ECTS into a mixture of face-to-face and online activities held by international faculty and top managers from RIs. The face-to-face modules last 3-4 days and run over 18 months.

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| 2017 | TERM I (Sep-Dec 2017) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Core modules |
| 2018 | TERM II (Jan-Dec 2018) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Core modules • Field projects development |
| 2019 | TERM III (Jan-Mar 2019) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optional module • Field projects discussion • Graduation Ceremony |

Previous education and experience will be recognised depending on our evaluation and pre-entry assessment.

KEY TOPICS AND COURSES



CORE MODULES

Governance and organisation

Developing a sustainable funding model for RIs

International law and compliance

Financial Management I

Financial Management II

Raising awareness

Leadership and team building

Service provision

Infrastructure and resource management

Strategic management of RIs

Business development and innovation in the RI context

OPTIONAL MODULES

Planning an RI

Setting up an RI

Leading an operational RI

LEARNING MODEL

To achieve the Master's Certificate, participants are required to attend the full 12 modules programme and to develop a field project (20 ECTS) – individual or in team that draw on specific needs of RIs - under the supervision of faculty members.

To meet the needs of RIs at different phases of development, participants will be able to choose specific modules to benefit from a customised programme.

VENUE

Face-to-face modules will be held in Milan at the University of Milano-Bicocca. Imperial College London, UK and the University of Minho, Portugal will contribute to the programme.

JOINING THE PROGRAMME

Number of places available: 25

Registration for the first iteration of the Masters is free as it is financed by RItrain.

Registration includes programme delivery, materials and meals during face-to-face teaching, but excludes accommodation and travel to the venue.

WHO SHOULD APPLY

Unlike most executive masters in general management, our programme has been designed specifically for RIs.

Participants will include:

- Recently appointed or upcoming senior managers
- Heads of National Nodes
- Heads of Finance and Administration, HR and Communication
- Chief Operating Officers or their equivalent
- Middle management

SAVE THE DATE:

Programme details and the call for applications will be launched in March 2017. Visit the website: www.ritrain.eu

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