

#### 4. MSCA-PF 2026 in Translational Pharmacology and Drug Discovery at CiMUS – University of Santiago de Compostela (Spain)

##### Host institution:

Centre for Research in Molecular Medicine and Chronic Diseases (CiMUS)  
University of Santiago de Compostela  
María de Maeztu Unit of Excellence

**Research field:** Pharmacology / Drug Discovery / Translational Research

**Position type:** MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowship 2026

CiMUS is offering MSCA-PF hosting opportunities within the **Pharmacology Applied to Drug Discovery (BioFarma)**, an internationally recognised centre for early drug discovery and translational pharmacology, led by Prof. Mabel Loza. The group provides access to advanced infrastructures for high-throughput screening, target validation and ADME-Tox studies through the **Innopharma platform**, which is part of the EU-OPENSREEN ERIC infrastructure. Strong links to industrial and regulatory environments support translational impact.

**Profile sought:** Postdoctoral researchers with experience in pharmacology, chemical biology or drug discovery. Open to discuss new ideas.

##### What do we offer

##### Scientific environment and research support

- **Research focus:** Early drug discovery, pharmacology, and translational assay development
- **Environment:** Multidisciplinary group with strong academic–industry links
- **Infrastructure:** Large chemical libraries, fully automated HTS platforms, ADME-tox facilities, target-engagement technologies
- **Project profile:** Assay-driven, experimental pharmacology research supporting therapeutic development

##### MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowship application support

- **Full support for the preparation of a competitive Marie Skłodowska-Curie Postdoctoral Fellowship proposal**
- Close and structured **scientific mentoring throughout the proposal development**, covering research design, methodological approach, proposal structure, excellence, impact, and implementation sections
- **Institutional and administrative support** to assist with eligibility checks, ethics, and submission procedures

##### Career development and training

- A high degree of **scientific independence** to develop and expand your own research ideas within CiMUS
- Opportunities to **build a strong international research network** and reinforce your academic and professional profile
- Access to **specialized training** in advanced experimental techniques, omics data analysis, modelling, and interdisciplinary methodologies



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- Exposure to **highly focused translational research environment**, enhancing career prospects both within and beyond academia.

### How to Apply

Interested candidates are invited carefully read the [MSCA Postdoctoral fellowship](#) eligibility rules, and to send, **before May 31<sup>st</sup> 2026**, to [cimus@usc.es](mailto:cimus@usc.es) the following documents:

- A CV including a complete publication list
- A brief statement of research interests (maximum 1 page)
- Contact details for 1–3 referees