



Deadline	Throughout the year 2025
Call name	FEBS Short-Term Fellowships 2025
www	www.febs.org/our-activities/fellowships/febs-short-term-fellowships/
Focused on	Mobility, short-term visits for scientific collaboration, advanced training, employing new techniques
Applicant	Postdocs (PhD completed less than 6 years prior to the application submission); PhD students with at least one published paper as a main author in an international scientific journal; must be a member of a FEBS Constituent Society
Host institution	Research organisation in FEBS Member states: Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, The Netherlands, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom (with Irish Area Section); FEBS Associate Members: Belarus, Moldova, Morocco and Tunisia
Expected outputs	Scientific collaboration, advanced training, employing techniques not available at the candidates' usual place of work
Call opens	Jan 2025
Final deadline	Throughout the year 2025 , application should be submitted at least three months before the start date.
Evaluation results	Within 1 month after submission
Signature of agreement	NA
Earliest date of implementation	Throughout the year, within six months of its award
Latest date of implementation	-
Sustainability	None
Reporting	One progress report sent electronically to the Chairperson of the FEBS Fellowships Committee within 3 months of completion of the fellowship.
Project duration (min-max)	Up to 2 (in exceptional cases 3) months
Allocation for the call	NA
Project budget (min-max)	NA
Success rate	NA
Eligible costs	Travel costs (second-class rail fare or an economy flight between the place of residence and the host laboratory), daily subsistence allowance up to €100 per day. (No medical & travel insurance, research costs, bench fees, costs incurred by family dependants) It is the responsibility of the recipient to pay any taxes levied by national authorities.
Mode of funding	Ex-ante
Language of application	English
Provider	FEBS, Suite B1, Third Floor, St Andrew's House, 59 St Andrew's Street, Cambridge, CB2 3BZ, UK, www.febs.org Chair of the FEBS Fellowships Committee: Alain Krol, Institute of Molecular and Cellular Biology, University of Strasbourg - CNRS, 2 allée Konrad Roentgen, 67084 Strasbourg Cedex, France, +33 (0)3 88 41 70 50, email contact via https://www.febs.org/contact-us/
Call identifier	FEBS-STF-2025
Call info	FEBS Short-Term Fellowships support PhD students and postdocs (members of FEBS Constituent Societies) to undertake short-term visits of up to 2(3) months in FEBS countries for the purpose of scientific collaboration, advanced training, employing new techniques in biochemistry and molecular biology.
Conditions / Restrictions	Applicants need to be members of a FEBS Constituent Society (e.g. the Czech Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, www.csbmb.cz), to be working in a laboratory in a FEBS country and to be seeking to work in a laboratory in a different FEBS country.

	<p>Applicants must have a PhD or at least one published paper as a main author in an international scientific journal.</p> <p>FEBS STFs may not be used to complement or to extend another fellowship.</p> <p>FEBS STFs are not awarded for attendance at courses, symposia, meetings or congresses.</p> <p>The FEBS Fellowship should be acknowledged in any work published relating to the project funded and a reprint of each article should be sent electronically to the Chairperson of the Fellowships Committee.</p> <p>A period of at least 2 years must elapse before applications for a second award of a FEBS Short-Term Fellowship will be considered.</p> <p>The application process is handled via an online application system.</p>
Proposal consists of	<p>Online application: https://fellowships.febs.org/st_2025/</p> <p>1) Research proposal (max 2 A4 pages uploaded in PDF format): (i) title, (ii) nature of the work & outline of experiments proposed, (iii) justification for travel to the selected laboratory, (iv) description of the selected laboratory with a list of max 5 relevant publications from the host laboratory, (v) justification for the time period requested (applicant & supervisor)</p> <p>2) Short CV with a list of publications in the format required by the FEBS Journal: https://febs.onlinelibrary.wiley.com/hub/journal/17424658/journal-menu/author-guidelines#references (applicant)</p> <p>3) Host acceptance form (use template provided in the application system, must be signed by the head of the host institute/department & head of the research group(s) where the applicant will work)</p> <p>4) Letter of support, must be on headed paper, referee must not work at the host institute (referee, to be notified by applicant)</p> <p>5) Confirmation letter from the appropriate FEBS Constituent Society that the applicant is a member (applicant & FEBS Constituent Society)</p> <p>The document "Writing a successful fellowship or grant application" https://febs.onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/febs.14318 provides essential guidance for successful grant writing, crafting compelling proposals, and highlights key elements such as clear objectives, a well-organized research plan, and an understanding of evaluation criteria to maximize the chances of securing funding.</p>
Evaluation criteria	quality of the project to be developed in the host laboratory, quality of the host laboratory
Research areas	Biochemistry, molecular biology
Call workshop	None
IOCB contact	<p>Please inform the IOCB Project Office about your intention to apply.</p> <p>Do not hesitate to contact us anytime for consulting, discussion or help.</p> <p>projectoffice@uochb.cas.cz, sarka.krizova@uochb.cas.cz +420 220 183 527</p>
Download documents	<p>FEBS STF 2025 summary</p> <p>FEBS STF 2025 guidelines web</p>