

Authorization form for VU-GSSS for Marie Curie (or similar) grant applications

Information needed prior to the actual application:

Project start date and duration	
Overview of all (university) network partners	
Number of PhD projects, start date, duration (4 years fulltime is required)	
Role of VU in the process	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Main beneficiary○ Other
Envisaged VU promotors/co-promotors per PhD trajectory	

Furthermore, it is important to be aware of the following:

- VU-GSSS admission guidelines, see <https://vu.nl/en/about-vu/faculties/faculty-of-social-sciences/more-about/the-graduate-school-of-social-sciences> → starting your PhD trajectory. *Note that we only accept project with funding for 4 years.*
- [VU Doctorate regulations](#) have to be met at all times.
- In a case of a Joint Doctorate (JD), doctorate regulations of both institutions need to be satisfied. Exemptions are not possible. Setting up a JD can be a lengthy and challenging part of the process and needs to be arranged by the end of the first year latest. Keep this in mind when working on your application. In case a JD applies, please read through the information here: <https://vu.nl/en/research/more-about/in-which-case-a-joint-doctorate>.
- Training: 30 EC's is required. For more information see our [Training Plan Manual](#).

When proceeding with the application the applicant confirms being aware of & complies to the VU regulations and the VU-GSSS regulations in particular. Please send your completed form to graduate.school.fsw@vu.nl. Contact us whenever you have any questions or in case you are in doubt, we are always happy to assist in the process.