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* From 2007 to 2013, there was only one Taiwanese institution, National Ching-Hua University which successfully participated in the IRSES action and 2 Taiwanese institutions who participated as Associated Partners in 2 ITN projects financed under the Marie Curie Actions, under FP7. There were also 25 early-stage researchers from Taiwan, who received ITN funding to do their PhD studies in Europe.
* In 2014, under the Horizon 2020 Marie Skłodowska-Curie actions, there were 4 Taiwanese institutions which were involved in the MSCA ITN consortia as Partner organisations, but their proposals were not selected. There were also 2 Taiwanese institutions which successfully applied for RISE as partners.

There are also 3 IF fellows of R.O.C nationality, already based in Europe, who have received IF funding to move to another EU country. No Taiwanese researcher who is currently based in Taiwan, has received IF funding to come to Europe. There is no Taiwanese researcher based in Europe who applied for a Global Fellowship.

* In 2015, there have been 5 Taiwan institutions which were involved in the MSCA ITN consortia to submit applications, and the selection results are still pending.