## MENTORING PROGRAMME "SHAPE THE FUTURE OF A RESEARCHER COMING TO EUROPE"





Mentoring programme aims to encourage and to facilitate transnational mobility, by fostering cooperation between the researchers from European Research Area (ERA) and EURAXESS Worldwide (thrid) countries. Within the framework of this programme, experienced researchers will have the unique opportunity to mentor early-stage researchers and support their integration and career development in international mobility perspective.

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

- to facilitate mobility of researchers
- to encourage knowledge transfer and sharing of good practices
- to raise awareness on the importance of soft skills for international mobility
- to strengthen the links between research institutions and academy from ERA and EURAXESS Worldwide

#### **BENEFITS:**

- share knowledge, skills, expertise and learn from each other's experiences
- establish an international collaboration with researchers that they ordinarily wouldn't have access to
- gain valuable insight into how other research organizations and systems work

# HOW TO GET STARTED?





- Go to https://mentoring.euraxess.bg/
- Make registration
- Use search engine
- Find a Mentor
- Request mentorship
- Follow further instruction

### Key elements of the Programme:

- **Virtual(online):** mentoring will be organized online as per a schedule mutually agreed between the mentor and the mentee
- Duration: mentors and mentees are expected to have at least six online sessions within a maximum of six months period
- **Voluntary:** mentors and mentees willing to participate in the programme should do so on a voluntary basis
- Language of the Mentoring programme and the mentoring relationship: English

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#### Six predefined topics of discussion:

- Career Counseling
- Publications and presentations
- Advancing the professional networking opportunities
- Introduction to Open Science policies
- Career Opportunities outside academia
- Funding opportunities