1. **Interested Institution:**

Design Department  School of Architecture of Barcelona Polytechnical University of Catalonia  
Avinguda Diagonal 649 quinta planta t,934016406

2. **Brief Description of the Institution**

   This is a big design department in the school of architecture devoted to design education for architects.
   Several research groups conform a PHD program and master courses. 
   With more than 120 professors the department teaches a six year curriculum for professional graduation and for phd dissertation and research in all the dimensions of architectural design.

3. **Please tick the areas of research (as established in Marie Sklodowska Curie Actions)**

   - [ ] Chemistry (CHE)  
   - [x] Social Sciences and Humanities (SOC)  
   - [ ] Economic Sciences (ECO)  
   - [ ] Information Science and Engineering (ENG)  
   - [ ] Environmental Sciences and Geology (ENV)  
   - [ ] Life Sciences (LIF)  
   - [ ] Mathematics (MAT)  
   - [ ] Physics (PHY)

4. **Research / Project Description**

   The research group GIRAS-TEC-UPC devoted to the relationships between architecture, urban planning and social sciences, works since 2000 in the links between mind, land and society. See the web www.arquitectonics.com and the international journal ARQUITECTONICS, MIND, LAND AND SOCIETY (Iniciativa Digital Politecnica) The group has produced 110 PHD dissertations and hundreds of publications.
Last research project of EXCELLENCE was the EDU 2013-41328 By the Ministry of Education in Spain about ARCHITECTURE AND EDUCATION: THE DIALOGICAL TURN. Each year the group organize an international conference on these subjects. In JUne 2015, the main topic is ARCHITECTURE AND KNOWLEDGE in education, in the profession and in social participation in planning.

5. Who can apply?

At the deadline for the submission of proposals (10/09/2015), researchers (*):
- shall be in possession of a doctoral degree or have at least four years of full-time equivalent research experience.
- must not have resided or carried out their main activities in the country of Spain for more than 12 months in the 3 years immediately prior to the abovementioned deadline.

6. Contact person

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7. Applications: documents to be submitted and deadlines

A curriculum vitae, with architectural and urban design graphic references, and research C.V. of last five years. Before 1 June 2015

Please note that:
- Deadline of the next call for proposals for Marie Skłodowska – Curie Individual Fellowships is September, 10th 2015.
• Oficina Europea is only responsible for the display of the expressions of interests received by the institutions; further contact and information requests will take place directly between the host institutions and the interested researchers.

(*) Further details on the Call and additional eligibility criteria can be found at the Participants' Portal.