



## About

The Research Support Services Directorate (RSSD) is organising its annual **International Research Managers Networking Workshop**, a two-day event hosted at the University of Malta.

The workshop brings together research support professionals interested in learning about UM's research support landscape, including **Research Support Services** (funding and laboratory support), the **Project Support Office (PSO)**, **Corporate Research and Knowledge Transfer Office (KTO)**.

Through presentations, discussions, and networking, the event aims to strengthen international cooperation, promote the exchange of know-how, and share best practices in research and innovation support.

Participants will have the opportunity to meet UM colleagues in similar roles, gain first-hand insight into UM's support services, and contribute to a two-way workshop by sharing their own experiences and best practices.

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## Event Details



### Dates

- **Presentations of host institution and visitors sharing of best practices:** 24 November 2026
- **One-on-one / Small group meetings with specific offices upon request:** 25 November 2026



### Venue

University of Malta Valletta and Msida Campuses

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## Who Should Attend?

This workshop is targeted to research managers and administrators in research performing organisations who are engaged in supporting research. This target group may include individuals working in research support offices (pre-award and post-award), grants offices, knowledge transfer offices and laboratory support.

## Requirements

- **Language:** English (B1 level)
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## Application & Participation

Apply Here: [Application Form](#)

- **Deadline:** **Submit by 31 August 2026**
- **Participant Cap:** Maximum **2 participants per institution**  
*It is at the discretion of the University of Malta to accept multiple applications from the same University with acceptance depending on the total number of applications received by the closing date. This ensures that the maximum number of universities have the opportunity to participate in the event.*

*Applications are processed on a first-come, first-served basis.*

### **Registration Fee**

A registration fee of **€200 per participant** applies.  
Early bird ends 30 April 2026 (noon)

### Cancellation/Refund Policy

Cancellations may be made by sending an [email](#) and 75% will be refunded up to 30 April 2026. 50% will be refunded up to 31 August 2026. After that date, no further refunds will be possible.

### Mobility Costs

Attendees can cover travel costs through their institution's Erasmus mobility grants.

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## Practical Information

- **Accommodation:** Options and rates can be accessed [here](#).

- **Accessibility:** Please indicate any requirements in the application form.
  - **Info Pack:** A full guide to Malta, local attractions, and travel tips can be found [here](#).
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### **Have Questions?**

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