

## Instructions – STSM motivation letter

**Maximum 1 page**

**Please structure your motivation letter as follows:**

- STSM project title
- Aim and motivation of the STSM
- Proposed contribution to the scientific objectives of the Action CardioRNA and which CardioRNA Working Group (WG) best covers the aims of the STSM
  - WG1 – Regulatory function of the transcriptome
  - WG2 – Best practices and experimental standards
  - WG3 – Development of cohort inventory
- Description of the work to be carried out during the STSM
- Brief explanation of the choice for the host institution, such as host lab expertise. Please detail what techniques or equipment you may learn to use, if applicable.
- Expected output of the STSM (foreseen publications, future collaborations, e.g.)
- Requested budget (foreseen travel and subsistence expenses) [see COST Vademecum Section 8: <https://www.cost.eu/wp-content/uploads/2018/08/COSTVademecum.pdf>]