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| **LAUNCHING of the 2021 ROUND** | **4 January 2021** |
| **Deadline for applications to Member States** | **31 January 2021** |
| Lists of pre-selected candidates submitted to EEAS and Commission by the Member States | 28 April 2021 |
| Selection panels at EEAS and Commission and matching process (who goes where) | May 2021 |
| Communication of results to Member States | June 2021 |
| **Traineeship offers sent to candidates** | **June 2021** |
| Reception of documents required from selected candidates | 30 June 2021 |
| Obligatory Induction Training | September 2021 |
| **Starting of traineeships in EU Delegations** | **September/October 2021** |