

EUROPEAN PSYCHOLOGY PUBLICATION PLATFORM

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Funding:

**Proposal writing, administration,
documentation**

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National perspective



What possibilities are there to work with national money in a international way?

What kind of infrastructure funding is there?

How are preparatory meetings supported?

Steps:



Meeting with faculty advisor



Meeting with faculty/university librarians

Internet

Phone calls + emails (lots...)



□ National Institutions (Public):

- UMIC (POSI)
- FCT/MCTES
- IAPMEI
- UP

□ Other National Institutions/Mechanisms:

- Maecenas/Patronage
- Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian

□ International Institutions

- Jacobson Foundation
- Suggestions are welcome!!!!

Action Program /Initiative ⇒ Ligar Portugal



□Area: Knowledge

□Aims:

- **Scientific and technological development promoting R&D activities within an international cooperation framework**
- **The creation of thematic networks of S&T**
- **The mobilization of the scientific community to take part of the European research area (...) and promoting the scientific and technological culture**

□Results intended (e.g.):

- **To stimulate new areas of knowledge in European cooperation , promoting international networks of S&T + to enlarge and to facilitate Portuguese involvement in EU international programs**

□ Strategic Line ⇒ To stimulate the creation of new knowledge and to facilitate its social appropriation



How?

➤ Supporting R&D for the knowledge society, as well as the integration of its results in products and services new and in innovation

➤ To stimulate the cooperation in research activities, easing the building up of thematic networks of S&T, and promoting the involvement of research units, state laboratories, universities, enterprises, public institutions in the using of such networks

FACC (Scientific Community Support Fund)



Alternatives:

➤ Measure: Edition of periodical publications of a scientific nature

➤ Measure: Participation of Portuguese post-doctoral researchers in international scientific meetings outside Portugal and/or short stay, in Portugal, of foreign scientists living abroad ([requirements](#))

❑ Important ⇒ it is expected some sort of co-funding by the applicant institution(s)

□ **Targets:**

- **Higher education institutions, its departments and R&D centres**
- **Private non-profit organizations aiming mainly at R&D activities**
- **Non-profit scientific societies or associations**

Measure: Edition of periodical publications of a scientific nature



What to consider?

- **EPPP fulfils all the required criteria (scientific + refereeing + regular)**
- **To be online/open access ⇒ a plus (possibly)**

- Financing should not be seen as permanent (12 M + interruptions)
- No equipment, divulgation, publicity and payments to authors or services not directly related to materializing the edition ⇒ only edition costs are eligible

□ Selection criteria:

- Variety in editorial commission (nationality + institutions)
- Quality of refereeing adopted (transparency)
- Language(s) of publishing (articles + abstracts)
- Online publication + Webpage updated
- Regularity of editions
- Volume of publication

Measure:

➤ Participation of Portuguese post-doctoral researchers in international scientific meetings outside Portugal



☐ Requirements:

➤ Junior doctoral researchers (< 6 years) without scholarship + no other FCT financial support

➤ Presentation of a paper is mandatory (1/year)

➤ No activities of an academic nature are funded

Measure

➤ Short stay, in Portugal, of foreign scientists living abroad



☐ Requirements:

➤ researchers with no other FCT financial support (namely through the PR)

➤ 1 application/year

➤ Stay between 3 days & 3 months

➤ Action not eligible for bilateral agreements or conventions & activities of an academic nature

Alternative:

□ Incentive System to Research and Technological Development in Enterprises

- **Projects in Co-Promotion**
- **Mobilizing Projects**

□ Requirement:

- **Existence/creation of a (medium/small) enterprise with a specific code of economic activity**

Projects in Co-Promotion

□ Framework

➤ Projects in co-promotion conducted, by means of a partnership, by enterprises or between these and entities of STS, aiming to potentiate synergies or share costs and risks. This partnership must be formalised by means of a consortium contract and coordinated by an enterprise

□ Aims

➤ To make the National Innovation System more dynamic

➤ To promote and consolidate internal skills of creation of new knowledge within enterprises

➤ To increase the cooperation between enterprises and R&D entities, namely in the services sector

Projects in Co-Promotion

□ Selection Criteria

- Quality of the project
- Contribution to the competitiveness of enterprises (effects and results)
- Contribution to national/regional R&D policy
- Level of project innovation
- Integration in international and European networks and programs of R&D

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- Contribution to the creation of new highly qualified jobs
- Contribution to the volume of R&D expenses of the enterprise sector
- + volume of national exportations

Mobilizing Projects

□ Framework & Aims

➤ Projects R&D mobilizing scientific and technological capacities and competencies, with a high amount of technological and innovation content and significant impacts at the multi-sector, regional, cluster, competitiveness pole, & technology level ⇒ projects of a strategic nature aiming:

- (i) to aggregate several complementary skills allowing them to create a new product, process or system with a high content of technological innovation within the European and world market
- (ii) to induce multi-sector impacts with mobilizing effects in the economic networks

Mobilizing Projects

□ Selection Criteria

- Innovation of the project
- Quality of the skills network
- Dimension of the dissemination potential & of economic valorisation of results (is there a market?)
- Project's mobilizing effect

- Quality of the project
- Contribution to the competitiveness of enterprises (effects and results)
- Contribution to national/regional R&D policy

(+ other previously mentioned criteria)

➤ Strategic partnerships (e.g., UPIN)

➤ Deans Office for Strategic Planning, Relationships and Entrepreneurial Participations



Self-funding (???)

Funding through other means



Maecenas/Patronage

❑ Maecenas/Patronage for the society of information

➤ donations in informatics equipment, computer programs, training and consultancy in the informatics domain

❑ Other sorts of patronage to non-profit organizations with social, cultural... ends

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□ Application to projects



Measure: Innovative projects aiming to modernise Higher Education (HE) institutions and to improve learning and teaching at this level

➤ **Targets: public or private HE institutions, running independently or in association (discriminate role of each institution)**

➤ **Eligibility requirements:**

(i) **each applicant can only present 1 application**

(ii) **funding only covers 1 civil year (12 M)**

(iii) **Can apply projects with other funding sources (both national, European or international)**

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➤ Financial support

- (i) maximum = 60 000 € (increase possible)
- (ii) doesn't cover: fixed expenses, payment and maintenance of equipments and/or buildings

➤ Selection criteria

- (i) project's relevance taking into account Portuguese HE development needs, its needs on the training of highly qualified human resources and the adjustment of existing mechanisms of transfer or valorisation of results
- (ii) project's relevance, importance and update of subjects, multidisciplinary and relevance to other subject areas, and, even, to the development of project activities in other institutions
- (iii) viability of enlargement and generalization of results

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➤ Selection criteria:

(iv) involvement of young researchers in training

(v) team's availability and non overlapping with ongoing projects

(vi) degree of team's internationalization



It will be valued applications resulting from the association of cooperation of institutions, allowing to make the most out of resources and to produce the highest possible impact from its implementation

➤ Deadline: March 31st 2009 (foreseen)

□ Thematic Priority

➤ Improving contexts of learning, including institutional dimensions of learning, all-day learning, out-of-school learning, integrative approaches to learning



2 possible arguments...

➤ Instrument for bridging theory and practice

➤ Dialogue and network building



Major concern ⇒ Productive Youth Development



Actions supported (e.g.) ⇒ ICP

□ Instrument for bridging theory and practice

➤ Active communication and dissemination efforts ⇒ Why?

- (i) successful intervention models are rolled out in public
- (ii) generation of new questions to be tackled

□ Dialogue and network building ⇒ Acknowledgment of:

- Importance of creating platforms, exchanging ideas and fostering networks for joint interest
- This being a way to create awareness for the challenges , problems and opportunities in supporting young people, namely through the improvement of institutional contexts of learning
- Great importance attached to the connection of experts, practitioners and researchers from over the world