Tipus d’acció: Projecte de recerca  
Àmbit de programa: Catalunya

**Què financen**

Supports groundbreaking and highly relevant research projects that will lead to advancements in knowledge and solutions related to some of the most important health problems of our century.

**Areas of interest**

- Neuroscience*
- Infectious diseases
- Oncology
- Cardiovascular and metabolic diseases: projects in cardiovascular diseases and metabolic diseases associated with cardiovascular risks or alterations
- Enabling technologies*: projects developing health-facilitating technologies focused on the four previous thematic areas, in the following technological fields: micro and nanoelectronics, computational science, big data, photonics, nanotechnology, biotechnology, advanced materials and advanced manufacturing systems

*The Francisco Luzón Foundation will co-fund one project on Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS).

**Categories**

Individual

- Projects submitted by a sole Research Performing Institution (RPI), in this case also the Host Institution.
- Projects in this category may receive support up to a maximum of 500,000€ for an up to 3 years.

Research Consortium

- Projects submitted by a Research Consortium (composed by a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 5 RPIs, including the Host Institution).
- Projects in this category may receive support up to a maximum of 1M€ for an up to 3 years.

**Eligible costs**

- Personnel costs.
- Travel expenses.
- Consumables and Equipment.
- Publications.
- Subcontracting (Audits and others).
- Other direct costs.
- Indirect costs (overhead): a maximum of 10% of the Direct costs (minus Subcontracting).

For Projects in Consortium, up to 30% of the total budget can be allocated to Research Performing Institutions and the Cooperating Organizations based outside of Spain and Portugal.

**Aspectes a destacar**

**A qui s’adrecen**

Non-profit Research Performing Institutions based in Spain or Portugal.

**Eligibility**

- Proposals must include a Project Leader (PL). In the case of Research Consortium Projects, the Application must also include a PI or each of the RPI of the Research Consortium.
- The PL must have a minimum of 6 years of experience in postdoctoral research. Therefore they must have finished their PhD at least 6 years before the closing date of the Call.
- Within the same Call, each PL can only present a single proposal as a PL; however, they can collaborate on other Projects as PI of a RPI of the Research Consortium or as a Team Member.
- The PL must be linked to the Host Institution when applying for the grant.

**Restrictions**

- The PLs of Projects awarded with a grant from the Health Research Call will not be allowed to submit new Proposals as PLs in the two editions following the same call.
- The PL that submits a proposal to the current edition of the Health Research Call and obtain a score of less than 5.50 in the remote evaluation phase, will not be able to submit proposals as PL to the next edition of the Call.

**Convocatòries obertes**

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The Host Institution must be willing to support the PL and the research team and, if applicable, to Consortium, for the entire duration of the Project and to provide the appropriate scientific and administrative environment for the Project to be conducted.

Application procedures
Proposals must be submitted using the online application system and following the instructions provided in the application form.

Complementary documentation:
- Graphics and additional figures to support the Proposal description (optional).
- Gantt Diagram for the Project (mandatory).
- "Budget distribution" template (mandatory).
- Ethics issues Checklist template (mandatory).
- CV template of the PL and the PIs of the Research Performing Institutions if applicable (mandatory).
- Recommendation letters supporting the exceptional nature of the professional career of the PL, and the PIs of the Research Performing Institutions (if applicable) will be accepted (optional).
- "Host Institution Statement" signed by the legal representative of the Host Institution, the PL, the PIs of each RPI and the legal representatives of the Cos, if applicable (mandatory). Each PI must be authorized to sign the aforementioned declaration on behalf of the Institution to which they belong.

Evaluation criteria
Each of the Applications that pass the eligibility phase enters the pre-selection peer review process evaluating the following criteria:
- Scientific Excellence of the Project - 75%
- Project Leader and Team - 25%

Candidates whose applications have passed the pre-selection phase stage will be called in for a face-to-face interview in Barcelona.

Remarks
- The entire application and selection process, including the interview, will be conducted in English. Documents or attestations have to be submitted in English. Any initially drafted in any other language must be accompanied by an English translation.

Funding organisation
Fundació La Caixa

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En el pressupost s’ha de fer constar un 10% per a despeses indirectes (10% sobre el cost directe menys subcontractació).
Cal trametre una còpia per correu electrònic a ajuts@fbg.ub.edu de qualsevol documentació que es presenti aquesta convocatòria.

Més informació
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