



INTERNATIONAL TALENT ATTRACTION GRANT 2023-2024 (IMAN 23-24)

The Institute of Neurosciences, awarded as Maria de Maeztu Unit of Excellence, publishes the International talent attraction grant to promote the recruitment of International Research personnel. This grant is funded by CEX2021-0011459-M; MCIN/AEI/10.13039/50110001103 and it will help to cover the cost of short visits of highly potential PhD and Postdoctoral candidates.

According to the above explained, IT IS RESOLVED:

Unique: Publish the international talent attraction grant at the Institute of Neurosciences [intranet](#) according to the following bases:

Base 1. Objectives

Promote the talent attraction of junior international researchers (i.e. PhD or Postdoctoral candidates) interested to apply for a vacancy/position/fellowship hosted by a member of the Institute. Candidates will be invited to visit the hosting group to work on the preparation of proposals or calls.

Base 2. Budget

The total budget until 31st of December of 2024 is 20.000€ funded by CEX2021-0011459-M; MCIN/AEI/10.13039/501100011033.

The grant will cover traveling and accommodation expenses up to a maximum of 600€ and no longer than two nights.

Base 3. Eligibility and requirements

- The host and future supervisor must be an assistant professor (*lector*) or Ramón y Cajal researcher. Only exceptionally, if dully justified, other research profiles will be able to apply for this grant.
- The host and future supervisor should be able to offer a position/vacancy/fellowship.
- The visit must be done before the 31st of December of 2024.
- The Institute will not cover medical insurance. It is responsibility of the candidate.
- The visit must comply with the green charter recommendations. Face-to-face visits will be accepted only when online meetings will not be possible to achieve the aim of the grant. Low carbon emission transport will be prioritized.
- The candidate must show a clear interest in the hosting group and demonstrate a high potentiality to obtain a competitive fellowship.
- The candidate has to make a seminar during the visit.

Base 4. Application

The hosting researcher must submit the application by Email to the Institute of Neurosciences (ubneuro@ub.edu) Issue: IMAN 23-24.

The Email must include:

- 1) Application Form named "IMAN 23-24 Form" both in Excel and signed PDF.
- 2) CV of the candidate indicating the Spanish mark equivalence and their mobility at least for the last three years.
- 3) Spanish mark equivalence from the [Ministry](#).
- 4) A motivation letter from the candidate.





Base 5. Deadline

The submission of the application must be done no later than a month before of the visit.
The call is open until the 1st of December of 2024 or until the budget is exhausted.

Base 6. Evaluation and publication of results

The Director of the Institute of Neurosciences will publish the results, at the suggestion of the Board of Directors, as soon as possible and no later than 10 days after the submission. The resolution will be published at the intranet of the institute <http://www.neurociencies.ub.edu/intranet/>.

Grants will be given only if:

- a) The future supervisor can offer a PhD or Postdoctoral position/vacancy/fellowship/contract.
- b) The candidate fulfil the requirements linked to the PhD or Postdoctoral fellowship/contract they will apply for.
- c) The candidate has expressed its interest to join the hosting group.
- d) Face-to-face meeting is required.

Only one grant will be given to the same supervisor in this call.

Base 7. Payment

Once the grant is approved travel logistics will be managed by the hosting researcher as follows:

- 1) Go to the [Unitat de compres](#) website.
- 2) Ask for the quotation of the travel filling in the [SP](#) (*sol·licitud de pressupost*).
- 3) Once you receive the quotation from the travel agency resend it to ubneuro@ub.edu together with the [SV/AG](#) document filled inn and the ID document (ID or passport) of the traveller with issue: IMAN 23-24 on the title of the Email.
- 4) All this information and documentation has to be sent to ubneuro@ub.edu no later than 15 days before the visitor's arrival.

The cost of the travel and the accommodation will be covered by this grant with a maximum amount of 600 euros.

If the cost of the travel and accommodation is higher than 600 euros the grant will cover either the travel or the accommodation.

If the cost of the travel and/or the accommodation is higher than 600 euros either the candidate or the supervisor will have to cover the difference.

Other costs than travel and accommodation will not be covered.

Please note that it is not possible to reimburse the cost of the travel/accommodation once it has been paid by the candidate or the supervisor.

Base 8. Justification

At least a week before the visit the supervisor will have to send all required information to announce the seminar given by the candidate (Full name, title of the talk, place, date, time...).

In all the published outcomes should appear the mention and logos that you will find in the [intranet of the Institute of Neurosciences](#) in the "*imatge corporativa*" section. The text to be included is as follows:
Grant CEX2021-001159-M / supported by MCIN/AEI / 10.13039/501100011033

Once the visit is finished and no later than a week after, the supervisor will have to send:

- The transport tickets/boarding passes.
- A brief memory indicating the result of the visit (if finally, the candidate has been selected or not and how productive has been the meeting). This will help to evaluate the impact of the present grant.

All information have to be send to ubneuro@ub.edu





Base 9. Processing of personal data

The person responsible for the processing of personal data is the General Secretariat of the University of Barcelona, with postal address Gran Via de les Corts Catalanes, 585, 08007 Barcelona and email address secretaria.general@ub.edu.

The purpose of processing personal data is to manage this grant.

The legal basis is the fulfilment of a mission carried out in the public interest (Law 1/2003, of 19 February, on universities in Catalonia; Organic Law 6/2001, of 21 December, on Universities; Law 38/ 2003, of November 17, General of Subsidies; Royal Decree 1721/2007, of December 21, which establishes the system of scholarships and personalized study grants). The data collected are necessary to be able to carry out the aforementioned treatments.

Your data will be processed for the time necessary to fulfil the purpose for which it was collected and to determine the possible responsibilities that could arise from said purpose and the processing of the data.

The recipients of the data are the University and, if there are any, those in charge of the treatment. Likewise, we will publish the resolution of the grant award on the Institute of Neurosciences website.

You can access the data, request its rectification, deletion, opposition, portability or limitation, by writing to the General Secretariat of the University of Barcelona (Gran Via de les Corts Catalanes, 585, 08007 Barcelona), or via an email message to the address secretaria.general@ub.edu. A photocopy of the D.N.I./N.I.E. must be attached. or another valid document that identifies you.

If you consider that your rights have not been properly taken care of, you can notify the UB Data Protection Officer: protecciodedades@ub.edu or Travessera de les Corts, 131-159, Pavelló Rosa, 08028 Barcelona.

Likewise, you have the right to file a claim with the Catalan Data Protection Authority.

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