

FRANCE

CNRS (National Center for Scientific Research)

Who can apply?

Every laboratory or Joint Research Unit affiliated to the CNRS can apply.

What types of costs are eligible for funding?

I Eligible costs as direct costs

a. Costs of personnel

Personnel included in the project may be from CNRS laboratories or Joint Research Units, whether they are hired by CNRS or by its partner institutions.

Personnel costs are not eligible but they shall appear in the total costs.

b. Costs of durable equipment

No costs of durable equipment are eligible

c. Consumables and supplies

According to the CNRS internal rules regarding consumables and supplies, any consumables necessary for the implementation of the project may be considered as direct eligible costs (i.e: Consumable: unit cost less than 800 euros and/or duration of use less than 1 year). Consumables are only eligible costs under the project if bought ("*service fait*") after the start date of the project. Consumables belonging to the basic facilities of an applicant are not eligible

d. Subcontracting

No sub-contracting is eligible.

e. Other costs:

Events

In general all costs directly related to the preparation and the implementation of events like workshops, conferences etc. are eligible. Translation costs are not eligible.

Travel and subsistence allowance

The national rules and CNRS internal process will be applied. The following lump sums are taken as a basis for budget calculation (see Table 1).

Austria	175€	Poland	175€
Estonia	129€	Romania	1500LEU
Finland	220€	Slovakia	122USD
Germany	164€	Spain	132€
Italy	220€	Switzerland	230CH
Latvia	152€	Russia	230€
Moldova	188USD	Turkey	165€
Norway	1465NOK		

II Indirect Costs: Overheads

Neither indirect costs nor management costs are eligible.

Additional National Eligibility Criteria for the proposal beyond the general criteria in the ToR of the SJC (section 3 Eligibility of proposals)

As the French Ministry of Higher Education and Research (MENESR) and the French Embassy in the Russian Federation may contribute to CNRS projects, eligibility rules of the MENESR and AMBAFRAN have also to be taken into consideration, - please refer to MENESR and AMBAFRAN eligibility rules.

How to fill-in the table costs?

Applicants shall include the labour costs in the total costs.

Upper funding limits for the eligible costs

Up to 50 000€ per project for 2 years.

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