

PEOPLE - MARIE CURIE ACTIONS

Career Integration Grants (CIG)

The Career Integration Grant aims at encouraging researchers to establish themselves in a long-term research career in Europe, by providing them with a substantial research budget (“top-up”) paid by the EC and thus contributing to the success of their research career. The transfer of knowledge that was acquired prior to the CIG as well as long-lasting collaborations with the scientific and/or industrial environment of the country from which they have moved should be allowed for. Researchers moving from third countries to Europe are an important target group to counteract the brain drain from Europe. Alike to the other Marie Curie Actions, the CIG follows a bottom-up approach, i.e. the research project is chosen freely by the applicant in cooperation with his/her supervisor at the host organisation.

Proposal preparation:

- Eligible researcher in cooperation with his/her host organisation in an EU Member State or Associated country (university, independent research institutions, industry, etc.)
- Contracts will be signed between the European Commission and the host organisation

Eligible Researchers:

- Experienced researchers, i.e. in possession of a PhD or with at least 4-year research experience full-time equivalent
- Researchers can be of any nationality and must comply with the mobility rule: They must not have resided or carried out their main activity in the country of their host organisation for more than 12 months in the past 3 years

FACTS

Specific Programme:

PEOPLE – International Career Integration Grants (CIG)

Project duration:

Max. 48 months

Budget:

2013: 40 Mio. €

Link:

<http://rp7.ffg.at/menschen>

Next Call:

FP7-PEOPLE-2013-CIG
Call opens: 18.10.2012
1st deadline: 07.03.2013
2nd deadline: 18.09.2013
17:00 Brussels local time

FUNDING

The grant is a flat rate contribution of 25.000 €/year for expenses related to the integration of the researcher in the host organisation. This includes e.g. project costs, salary costs of the researcher or other staff employed for the project, travel costs, consumables, patent costs, publication costs etc. The grant can cover a period of up to 4 years.

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