EUROPEAN RESEARCHERS' NIGHT 2007

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

1. EUROPEAN STAND

Each proposal will plan the setting up of a "**European stand**" aimed at illustrating the European participation in the project and allowing the large public to better understand the European support in favour of research and researchers.

The stand will at least have the following dimensions: 3 X 2 meters, walls at least 2.50 meters high, including at least one table and three chairs It will be organised around three different functions:

- Information: distribution of informative material and discussion (display case for written material)
- Promotion: distribution of promotional material and display of a short video film (flat screen of at least 37 inches (94 cm))

The following **material** will be **provided** by the European Commission:

- Graphics to be used (therefore stands have to be standard dimensioned)
- Short video film (3-5 minutes)
- Informative material to be distributed
- European flag

The European stand should be installed in a **central location** likely to attract the large public and appear as "**integrated**" amongst the other activities foreseen.

A **permanent presence** should be ensured (distribution of material, requests of information).

2. DRAWING COMPETITION

Each proposal will have to launch, during the **awareness campaign**, a "drawing competition", entitled "Please draw a researcher" (Let's draw a researcher...). This competition should address:

- Fundamental schools (age 6-12) (category 1)
- Secondary schools (age 12-18) (category 2)
- High artistic schools (category 3)

Drawings will be collected by the organisers and an **exhibition** will be organised during the Researchers' night in the same location as this of the European stand.

Also during the Researchers' night, the winners of each category will de designated and announced in the European stand.

The drawings of the winners will be transmitted to the European Commission and take part in the European level competition, which will take place in the next autumn. European awards for the winners of each category will be granted during a specific ceremony, in the presence of Commission high level officials.

The winners will be awarded an attractive prize and their drawing will be used as basis for promoting the European actions in favour of researchers under Framework Programme VII.

Applicants will freely determine:

- The institutions to which the competition will address
- Possible further rules for participating
 The composition of the juries that will select the winners of the three categories.