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Executive Agency for Higher Education, Research, Development and Innovation Funding (UEFISCDI)

The following call topics of the joint call are supported by UEFISCDI:

1. Nanotechnologies

- 1.1 Advanced nano-sensors for Environment and Health
- 1.2 Novel functional nanomaterials based on design and modelling

2. Environment/Climate change

- 2.1 Impact of climate change and extreme climate events on the environment;
- 2.2 Prevention and remediation of pollution of aquatic systems

3. S&T projects in Health

- 3.1 Regenerative Medicine, Biomaterials and Organ-on-a-chip-systems
- 3.2 Drug discovery for cancer, cardiovascular and infectious diseases

5. Robotics

- 5.1 Robotics Design and Human-Robot Interaction
- 5.2 Robots in agriculture, medicine, industry, maritime and education

Who can apply?

Eligible entities for funding are universities, public institutions, R&D national institutions, joint-stock companies, SME's and Large companies, NGOs (associations, foundations, etc.), others

What types of costs are eligible for funding?

For the fundamental research activities, industrial research and experimental development, according to HG 134/2011, types of expenses are eligible, as follow:

- a. Staff costs;
- b. Logistics expenses
 - Capital expenditure;
 - Expenditure on stocks supplies and inventory items;
 - Expenditure on services performed by third parties cannot exceed 25 % of the funding from the public budget. The subcontracted parts should not be core/substantial parts of the project work;
- c. Travel expenses;
- d. Overhead (indirect costs) is calculated as a percentage of direct costs: staff costs, logistics costs (excluding capital costs) and travel expenses. Indirect costs will not exceed 20 % of direct costs, excluding the cost for subcontracting.

More information can be found at:

http://uefiscdi.gov.ro/articole/4536/Pachet-de-informatii-ERANETERANET-Cofund.html

Additional national eligibility criteria for the proposal <u>beyond</u> the general criteria in the Terms of Reference of the joint call

Upper funding limits for eligible costs?

Maximum 200 000 € /project as partner and 250 000 € /project as coordinator. Project duration is 24 to 36 months.

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