ERC Toolkit Slovenia

Resources:

- Video introduction to the ERC and its grants:
 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xbFbzkVWgCU&feature=youtu.be
- ERC funding opportunities: https://erc.europa.eu/funding
- ERC instructional video playlist 'ERC Classes':
 https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLtv6FnsXqnXAYRk6HCErwMxwML0ZKoMcy
- Successful ERC project Slovenia: https://erc.europa.eu/projects-figures/stories/what-role-women-post-war-times
- Write your ERC application, tips and tricks: https://erc.europa.eu/news-events/magazine/application-advice-authors-successful-grant-proposals
- How to rewrite your ERC application, advice from ERC grantees:
 https://erc.europa.eu/news-events/magazine/rewriting-rewarding-tips-repeat-applicants
- Video tips of a successful applicant:
 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rwu5JagyWNs&list=PLtv6FnsXqnXD3hvGhzaKOESZmyF
 4TV K4&index=10
- Slovenia 10 December 2020, 10:00-12:30 Virtual ERC workshop:
 https://erc.europa.eu/event/erc-information-workshop-slovenia

Newsletter





Spotlight on the ERC – Funding high quality research

The European Research Council (ERC) supports ground-breaking research and scientific excellence in all fields through funding.

Set up in 2007 with a goal to challenge the brightest minds in Europe and spark new scientific and technological discoveries to drive the future, the council continues to push research forward.

Are you an inquisitive researcher? Do you believe your current, or future, research project could lead to new discoveries, and needs funding to help you and your team realise that?

Start your application now, you might join our circle of globally recognised and awarded grantees.

Though the rate of successful ERC grant applications is low, it could help you open new doors and opportunities, such as state funding, that could later lead to an ERC fund.

The only criterion is excellence, but the ERC also helps recognise and reward untapped potential.

Interested in knowing more about the ERC, its grant opportunities and how to apply, take a look at the following resources:

- ERC video introduction → understand ERC grant opportunities
- ERC grant opportunities: https://erc.europa.eu/funding
- ERC success story Slovenia: https://erc.europa.eu/projects-figures/stories/what-role-women-post-war-times
- ERC current and past projects

Visit our website: https://erc.europa.eu/

Or contact your National Contact Point to find out more and receive support to start your ERC journey:

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Facts & figures:

- 80% of ERC-funded projects lead to scientific breakthrough or advances
- 9,500 projects have been selected for funding by the ERC since 2007
- **€2 billion** was the ERC's annual budget in 2019
- 7 Nobel prizes, 4 Fields Medals and 5 Wolf Prizes are just some of the prizes that our grantees have been awarded since 2007

ERC News:

- Flexibility and respect for diversity, key for developing successful research environments
- ERC announces 34 new Synergy Grants
- Independent study confirms impact of ERC-funded research
- Why Europe must invest in R&I long-term now

Save the Date:

- **Slovenia 10 December 2020, 10:00-12:30** ERC Information Workshop (virtual event) Sign up to the event https://erc.europa.eu/event/erc-information-workshop-slovenia
- Starting Grant expected call for proposals: opening 12 January 2021
- Consolidator Grant expected call for proposals: opening 21 January 2021
- Advanced Grant expected call for proposals: opening 20 May 2021

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Are you starting a new pioneering project and are looking for grant opportunities?

Take a look at European Research Council grants and get started!

https://erc.europa.eu/funding

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Are you a top scientist, with an innovative project that could lead to significant advances in your field? Finding funding can be tricky but the European Research Council grant opportunities can open new doors.

Get to know the ERC and its grant opportunities by visiting its site: https://erc.europa.eu/

We're also here to help if you have any questions!