CDT CerCog@UGA IDEX UGA Brain and Cognition

CALL *STRUCTURING RESEARCH PROJECTS* 2023-2025

Several **actions and calls** have been and will be launched in the remaining period of the CerCoG@UGA program (2023 - end 2025). Their objective is to foster intensive and structured interdisciplinary cooperation around Brain & Cognition themes studied in healthy and pathological populations.

This call will allow funding **structuring, interdisciplinary and collaborative projects** demonstrating strong **interaction between laboratories** belonging to CerCoG@UGA axes. As a reminder, the three axes of our program are *Brain, Cognition, and Clinical Neurosciences.*

This will be the only call of this type that will be launched before 2025.

BUDGET SPECIFICATIONS

- The requested budget must not exceed **€80 000/per project**
- This budget will fund **salaries and running costs**

ELIGIBILITY AND SELECTION CRITERIA

- Projects will be carried out by at least two CerCoG@UGA research laboratories **(mandatory criterion)** belonging to different axes as a priority, otherwise belonging to one CerCoG@UGA axis
- Be led by a **permanent member** (professor, assistant professor, physician, researcher…) affiliated with a CerCoG@UGA laboratory
- Demonstrate **interdisciplinary collaboration** to address brain and/or cognitive functioning or dysfunction
- Demonstrate the **structuring nature and the novelty** of the project and collaboration

SUBMISSION FILE

The project should be presented as a maximum eight-page **document written in French or English** (bibliography not included in this number of pages), including the following information:

- Title, acronym, and keywords
- State of the art
- Objectives
- Methodology
- Indicate (if applicable) the experimental platform(s) associated with the project and justify their involvement among those affiliated to CerCoG@UGA (IRMaGE, GRICAD, PICGIN, MSH-Alpes / SCREEN, MaCI, Clinatec platform)
- Preliminary results (if applicable) and expected results
- Impact of the project and justification of the structuring character of the project for the CerCog@UGA community
- Laboratories and members involved (permanent and non-permanent) with affiliation, address, and email address; a brief presentation of the PI must appear.
- Demonstrate the interdisciplinarity and novelty of the project and collaboration
- Detailed budget with justification for each type of expense. If salary is requested, briefly specify the expected profile, missions, and role in the project. Indicate the additional budgets expected or obtained
- *Bibliography of the project (not included in the eight pages)*

PROJECT EVALUATION

- The evaluation will be carried out by experts external to CerCoG@UGA. Final funding decisions will be made on this basis by the CerCoG@UGA Scientific Council

POINTS OF ATTENTION

- A PI must submit only one project within this call

STRUCTURING PROJECTS

Online submission

https://tinyurl.com/CerCogStructurant

Total budget of action 240 000€ (80 000 €/project)

Call opening 15/02/2023

Submission deadline 09/06/2023

Publication of results 20/07/2023

- The budget must be entirely **spent before December 31st 2025 for running costs and before June 30th 2026 for salaries**
- A statement of expenditures will be requested by **January 2024**

Members of the Steering Committee may advise applicants in implementing their proposal.
Members of the CerCoG@UGA Scientific Council will not propose projects in response to this call.

COMMITMENT OF FUNDED PROJECTS PI

- All supported projects should mention CerCoG@UGA's support with this statement: *This work has been supported by the ANR project ANR-15-IDEX-02* for any publication and/or communication and by affixing the CerCoG@UGA logo.
- The funded team should provide CerCoG@UGA with a two-page retrospective report which will be used to report on the program's activities.
- PI of the funded projects will be invited to present their work during the scientific days organized by CerCoG@UGA.
- Some non-confidential information may be requested for publication in CerCog@UGA communication materials.

The applications need to be submitted online (click here to access the form)

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