



CerCoG – IDEX UGA – Brain and Cognition

BOOTSTRAPPING PROJECTS CALL 2023-2024

Several **actions and calls** have been and will be launched in the remaining period of the CerCoG program (as the current CDP and future LabEx). Their objective is to foster intensive and structured interdisciplinary cooperation around **Brain & Cognition** themes.

This call offers funding for **bootstrapping projects** to support the **research work of Master's students** within or across the three program axes (Brain, Cognition, and Clinical Neuroscience). For more details, please visit <https://cercog.univ-grenoble-alpes.fr/cdp-cercog>.

This will be the only call of this type for the academic year 2023-2024.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The following criteria will be used to determine the projects to consider:

- Be submitted **by at least two CerCoG affiliated teams preferably from two different laboratories, but requests from two teams from the same laboratory will also be considered.**
- The requested funding must consist of **the gratification** of months of internship or **operation** dedicated to the **research work of a Master's student**, up to **a limit of €4,000 per project**, to be spent during the year **2024** (*must be fully spent by 12/31/2024*).
- A proponent may **not submit more than one project** during the call for projects, but he/she can participate in other projects.

PRIORITY AND FUNDING CRITERIA

The following criteria will be used by the CerCoG steering committee to rank applications, followed by the CerCoG scientific council to select the approved projects:

- Project originating from two different laboratories (within or between CerCoG research axes), even though applications from two CerCoG teams from the same laboratory will be considered (see the [list](#) on the website).
- Novelty of collaboration within the Grenoble community (laboratories, involved partners, and/or theme).
- Identified student, with contact information and CV provided (*in all cases before 12/31/2023*).
- Associated timeframe for the requested support (e.g., internship period or empirical data collection period).
- Other funding already obtained (previously within CerCoG, or external and potentially contributing to the project).

SUBMISSION PROCEDURE

Applications must be submitted online ([click here](#) to access the Framaforms form; see next page for an overview of the information to be entered) in French or English. In addition to the requested budget, the partners involved, the summary and keywords of the project, as well as the details of the student involved (CV), you must provide a PDF file describing the project in detail (1 or 2 page(s) free format, including for example theoretical context, problem, study(s) planned, description and justification of the collaboration and budget). Only fully completed forms will be considered.

COMMITMENT OF FUNDED PROJECTS PI

- All supported projects should mention CerCoG'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 logo.

BOOTSTRAPPING PROJECTS

Online Submission
<https://tinyurl.com/CerCoG-Boots>
G-Boots
Budget
about 80,000€
(up to 4,000 €/ Project)

Launch
16/10/2023

Deadline
27/11/2023

Results
12/12/2023



- The CerCoG logo (available [here](#)) must be included in presentations or posters resulting from the funded work.
- The funded team should provide CerCoG with a 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 CerCoG scientific events or podcasts.
- Some non-confidential information may be requested for publication in CerCoG communication materials.

REQUESTED INFORMATION ON THE SUBMISSION FORM:

To avoid any problems during the submission process, the application must be completed in one go, by entering the following information on the online form (mandatory if marked with *):

- Preferred language choice for the form (FR or EN)

PARTNERS

- Last Name / First Name / Lab / Team / Email, for each partner (up to 8, project leader first) *
- Contact information will be used for any communication about the project

FUNDING REQUEST

- Information about the associated student: first and last name / cursus and year / CV
- Funding category / description / amount, for each budgetary unit (up to 3) *
 - Categories: stipend-wages / functioning (cumulative maximum of 4K€)
 - Specific information relative to each category (e.g., dates or period of internship)
- Any other potential funding or co-funding sources *

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

- Title (acronym) / keywords / abstract *
- Document with project details (PDF file, free format < 2 pages) *

QUESTIONS

- About the use of local platforms (e.g., intra-laboratory and/or CerCoG labeled)

At the end of the form, a confirmation e-mail will be sent to the address provided by the PI. It will summarize submitted information, and will serve as a submission proof.

In case of uncertainty (e.g., eligibility criteria satisfaction), encountered issues, or if you wish to modify your submission, you can re-enter the entire form or contact the CerCoG project manager:

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