

Beatriu de Pinós Mobility Programme for Researchers (Postdoctoral research stays in Catalonia – Modality B) – Agency for Management of Universities and Research Grants (AGAUR)

The Beatriu de Pinós Mobility Programme for Researchers is a programme of the Government of Catalonia and managed by AGAUR that supports postdoctoral research training projects in Catalonia (modality B) and abroad (modality A) for up to 2 years. The incoming modality B runs under the Marie Curie Action COFUND.

The Beatriu de Pinos Modality B is for incoming mobility for outstanding junior researchers of any nationality with the view to develop their research careers at an advanced and more independent level in a leading research group or institution in Catalonia. The programme allows applicants to apply within any scientific or technological area of their choice and grants are assigned only on the basis of excellence and quality of research projects.

Applicants must fulfill the following eligibility criteria:

- -Be in possession of a doctoral degree.
- -Have between two to seven years of post-doctoral academic research experience.
- -Have completed or be on a postdoctoral stay in an entity other than the one in which the PhD is obtained.
- -Not have resided or carried out their main activity in Spain for more than twelve months in the two years immediately prior to the deadline for proposal submission.

The eligible host institutions are universities, research centers and hospital foundations located in Catalonia. All host organisations should demonstrate its capacity to train the fellow and will be responsible for a stimulating research environment and adequate infrastructure and equipment required to implement the project.

The funding covers a living allowance of 42.511,2€ per year and a research and training allowance of 3000€ per year for expenses related to the participation in conferences and training courses, workshops, scientific visits, memberships in scientific associations, etc.

The programme will fund up to 60 grants and the evaluation of the research projects will be carried out by external experts in the domain of the proposals.

Submission period: between September 9 to September 30, 2013.

Further information can be found:

http://www10.gencat.cat/agaur_web/AppJava/english/a_beca.jsp?categoria=postdoctorals&id_b eca=19944

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