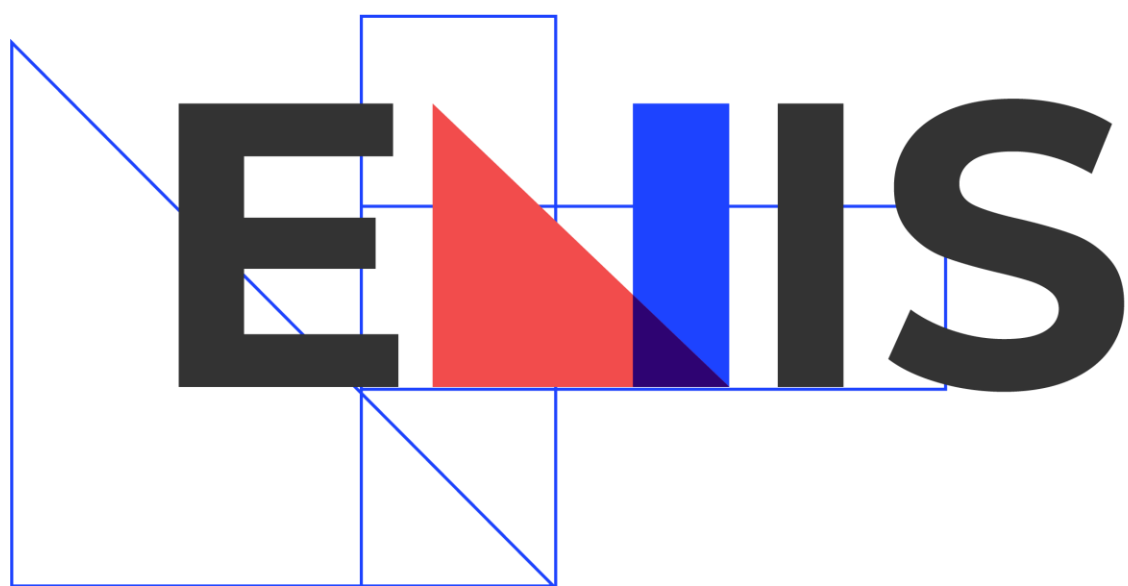


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ENIS COST Action "European Network on International Student Mobility: Connecting Research and Practice" is happy to announce the opening of its call for applications for the General Review Short Term Scientific Missions (STSM) – Grant period 2023-2024.

Scope:

Short-Term Scientific Missions (STSM) grants facilitate and support the mobility of individuals for STSM to allow for an intense collaboration to enhance the development of the general systematic reviews on the main topics of the Action.

Content and focus:

Applications should be linked (content-wise) to the general systematic reviews assigned to the four thematic working groups (WG).

Number of grants

Four (4), one for each working group general systematic review.

Financial Support:

1500 euros for each applicant.

Applicants from an ITC can request for pre-payment of 50% of the grant.

Eligibility:

The application must be supported by the WG leader.

Evaluation Criteria

- Alignment of the goals of the general systematic review (2 points)
- Contribution to the general systematic review (3 points)

Priorities:

- Young researchers and innovators (under 40 years old);
- Researchers from inclusiveness target countries (ITC);
- Gender balance will be taken into account.

Period:

STSM has to be carried out between 1 March and 30 September 2024.

Duration:

Minimum of three days (excluding the travelling days).

Timeline:

- Open of call: **November 15, 2023**
- Deadline for application: **January 15, 2024**

Decision process and announcements of results: Up to a month after the close of the call

How to apply?

- A. Fill in the STSM application form (template available on e-COST).
- B. Fill in the e-COST form (<https://e-services.cost.eu/>)
- C. Uploaded to the e-COST system:
 - Application form;
 - Confirmation of the host in receiving the applicant.
 - Confirmation letter of the working group leader supporting the application.
 - If intended, a family top-up grant statement indicating how the top-up grant would help you to manage your family work responsibilities for the travel (Please check our website for more information on this possibility).
- D. Obs.:
 - Clearly state in your CV if you are a young innovator (< 40 years old) and if you hold a tenure position.
 - All documents must be in English

Reporting and claim for payment of the grant

Upon the conclusion of the conference, within 30 days after the end of the activity, the grantees have to submit via the e-COST system:

- The claim for the payment of the grant is made via the e-COST system;
- Report to the Action MC on the main achievements of the STSM and planned future follow-up activities.

Obligations:

Grantees and host researchers commit to writing a post and sending pictures of the STSM for the social media network.

Clarifications:

The COST Association and the Grant Holder of the Action cannot be considered as grantee's employer. Grantees must make arrangements for all provisions related to personal security, health, taxation, social security, and pension matters.

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