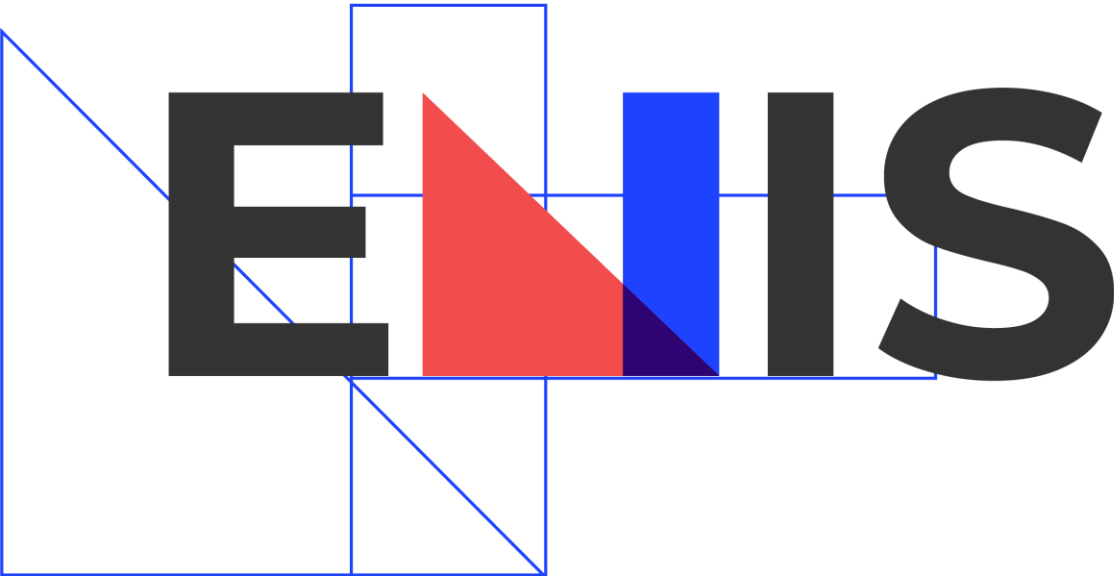
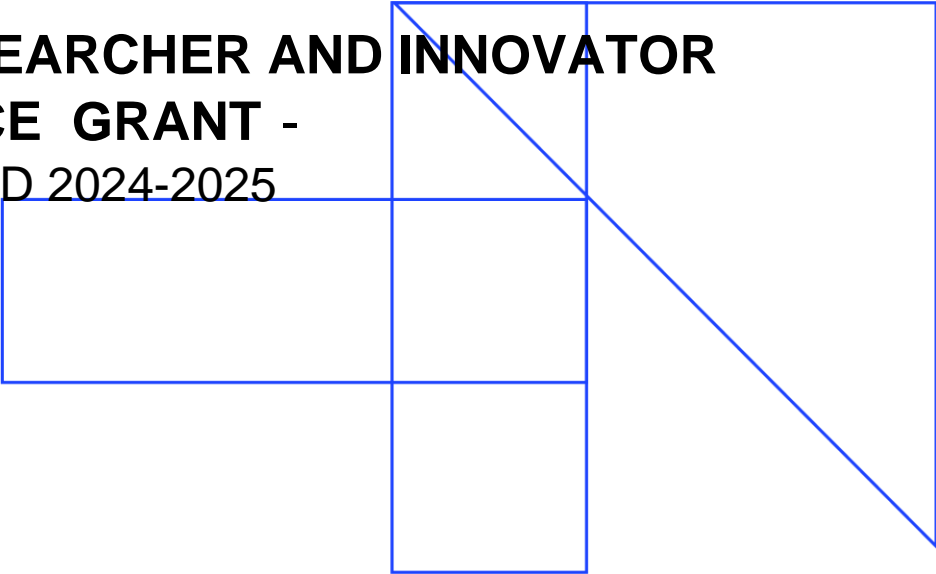


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ENIS COST Action "European Network on International Student Mobility: Connecting Research and Practice" is happy to announce the opening of its call for applications for the Young Researcher And Innovator Conference – Grant period 2024-2025.

Scope:

Young Researcher And Innovator Conference grants facilitate and support mobility to young researchers and innovators to attend and present her/his work at a conference anywhere in the world.

Content and focus:

Applications should be linked (content-wise) to the field of international student mobility.

Number of grants:

Three (3)

Financial Support:

In-person events: 1500 euros per application.

Virtual events: only the registration fee will be covered up to a maximum of 300 euros each.

Eligibility criteria:

Under 40 years old

The application must foresee an oral presentation on the topic of international student mobility in conferences with a competitive peer-review process

Priorities

Gender balance will be taken into account.

Preference will be given to papers being submitted to conferences with competitive peer review (Check the recommendation list on our website).

Selection Criteria

Relevance of the conference topic to the Action (2 points);

Expected impact for

- for the Action visibility (2 points)
- for participant's career (1 point).

Period:

Conferences should take place between 01 March and 30 September 2025.

Timeline:

- Open of call: **December 20, 2024**
 - Deadline for application: **January 20, 2025**
- Decision process and announcements of results: Up to a month after the close of the call.

How to Apply:

A. Fill in STSM application form (template available on e-COST and attached);

B. Fill in e-COST form (<https://e-services.cost.eu/>);

C. Uploaded to e-COST system:

Application form;

- Copy of the abstract of the accepted oral or poster presentation;
- Acceptance letter from the conference organisers.
- Support letter from the WG leader
- 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)
- If intended, a green mobility top-up grant statement outlining how the top-up grant would facilitate the promotion of sustainability in your trip, along with a document illustrating the price difference between sustainable and non-sustainable travel options

D. Obs.:

- Clearly state in your CV if you hold a tenure position and if the applicant is a young innovator (< 40 years old)
- All documents must be in English.
- **Applications that do not meet the requested requirements will not be accepted. Moreover, applications lacking essential documents or any requested information will not be eligible for consideration.**

Rules for reimbursement

Presenters must include a slide at the end of their presentations that contains all the required acknowledgement elements. Please note that reports and claims will not be approved unless all supporting documents and acknowledgements are properly provided. You can use the slide provided with this call.

The claim for the payment of the grant is made via e-COST system;

Upload the following documents

- Report to the Action MC on the outcome of the presentation in terms of the grantee's visibility, including the establishment of new contacts for future collaborations;
- The certificate of attendance, or the programme of the conference or book of abstracts /proceedings indicating the presentation of the grantee;
- Copy of the given presentation (ppt or poster).

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 e-COST system:

Obligations:

Grantees commit to writing a post and sending pictures of the presentation during the event for the social media network.

Clarifications:

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

For questions, please feel free to contact Thais França: thais.franca@iscte-iul.pt