

European Research Council Consolidator Grant Information Day for Baltic States

Joint event by ERC NCPs of
Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania

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13:30 - 15:30 EEST



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Agenda

13:30 – Welcome and Introduction

13:40 – Overview of ERC Consolidator Grants

14:00 – Discussion with ERC Consolidator Grant grantees from the Baltic States

14:40 – Overview of ERC Evaluation process

14:45 – Discussion with ERC Consolidator Grant Panel members

15:25 – Q&A Session and Closing of the Event



Event information

- The event will be recorded
- Please keep your microphone and camera off when not speaking
- Questions are welcome after the presentations. Use sli.do or raise your hand and we will give you the floor.
- Questions are welcome via Sli.do:
 - go to www.slido.com and enter the code **#4094380**
 - All presentations will be shared after the event
- Kindly fill in the feedback form after the event



Estonian
Research Council

ETAG support schemes for ERC applicants:

<https://etag.ee/en/funding/mobility-funding/supporting-the-erc-applications/>



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Support schemes for ERC applicants in Estonia

ETAG participates in the **Mentoring initiative** of ERC. Mentors (ERC grantees and former panel members) can be involved:

- for proposal review before submission
- in mock interviews

Read more: <https://etag.ee/wp-content/uploads/2024/06/Mobilitas-3.0-ERC-mentorlusinitsiatiivis-osalemise-tingimused-ja-kord-ENG-2024-04-02.pdf>

ETAG awards Bridging grants to applicants who received “Unfunded A” in ERC evaluation - Step 2. The aim of the grant is to help the researchers continue their research and resubmit their ERC application:

- up to 117 000 €/year
- awarded for 1,5 years

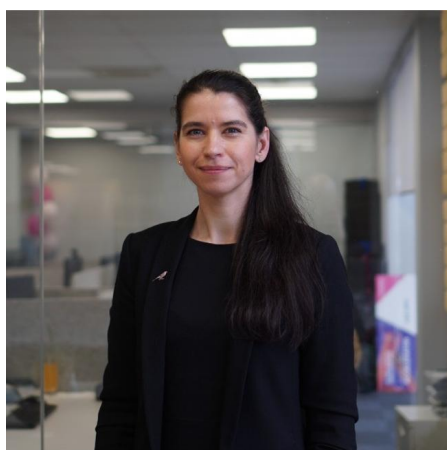
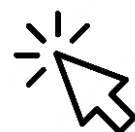
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Latvian Council of Science

Latvian Council of Science event calendar:
Notikumu kalendārs

Event presentations and materials: Pasākumu informatīvie materiāli



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Support schemes for ERC applicants in Latvia

In cooperation with the ERCEA, providing applicants with the opportunity to use the ERC support schemes:

- **Visiting Fellowships Programme**
- **Mentoring Initiative**

- The total funding for the activity is **450 000 EUR**.
- The maximum amount for an applicant is **75 000 EUR**.
- The implementation period of **financial support is 12 months**

Who is eligible for funding?

- Applicants who have **previously received an "Unfunded A"** for their ERC project application.

Call opened: May 13, 2025

Call deadline: June 30, 2028 (while funding is available)

Finansiāls atbalsts Eiropas Savienības programmas "Apvārsnis Eiropa" projektu pieteikumu kvalitātes uzlabošanai | Latvijas Zinātnes padome

ERC Mentoring Initiative

The ERC Mentoring Initiative provides expert guidance and individual consultations from ERC former panel members and Grantees to support Lithuanian researchers preparing ERC proposals and to improve the quality of applications submitted by Lithuanian applicants.

What It Offers?

- Proposal Review.
- Participation in mock Interview.

How to Apply?

- Applications accepted once per quarter — during the first 10 working days.
- For mock interviews, applications accepted continuously.

Who Can Apply?

- Individual researchers eligible for **ERC Starting, Consolidator, or Advanced Grants**.
- Must have a **host institution in Lithuania** and either:
 - Be preparing an ERC proposal for the current or following year, or
 - Have submitted an ERC proposal and been invited for an interview (B2).



First Call: January 2026



Support schemes for ERC applicants in Lithuania

Transfer fund

European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) resources will be available to support high-quality scientific projects under the Horizon Europe programme in 2026–2027.

Eligibility: Step 2 - “Unfunded A”

Total funding: 5 mln.



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