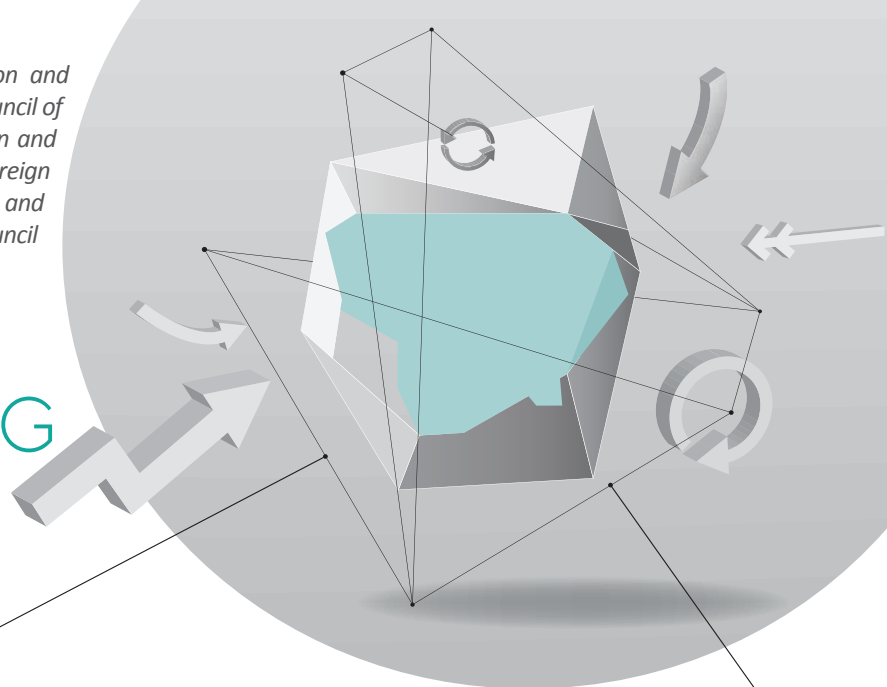


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PROGRAMME FOR ATTRACTING RESEARCHERS TO LITHUANIA



AIMS

To attract foreign researchers with international recognition, including of Lithuanian background, to carry out research in the smart specialisation areas and to encourage their self-establishment in institutions of education and science in Lithuania, providing the opportunity to:

ACHIEVE IN LITHUANIA

To implement high-budget research projects and achieve great and practically applicable research performance.

GATHER IN LITHUANIA

To gather independent and promising groups of researchers in Lithuania and to lead them.

INTRODUCE IN LITHUANIA

To transfer experience and introduce advanced research methods and new practices.

ELIGIBLE PARTICIPANTS

A researcher who has been continuously engaged in R&D activities for at least 5 years may act as a **research supervisor** if:

- He/she at the time of the submission of application is living and working outside the Republic of Lithuania.
- He/she is a researcher working in Lithuania no longer than 12 months before the day of the submission of the call for applications.

A researcher from any country can be a **member of research group**.

KEY DATES

Call for applications –
2018-03-29 – 2018-05-28

Results of the competition –
September-October 2018

Project start –
October 2018

FUNDING

- Wages
- Expenditure for resettlement of research supervisor and members of research team
- Costs for travel, travel or internships
- Costs for the execution of research
- Project administration costs

Topics

Requirements for the competence of supervisor*

Supervisor's obligations

Project duration

Funds per project

Programme budget

Requirements for the result

All smart specialisation areas (sumani2020.lt)

High level (publications in Clarivate Analytics or SCImago science publications of Quartiles I)

At least 5 years of work (continuously) in a foreign country

48 months

Up to EUR 1 million

EUR 14.4 million

Scientific production and commercialisation of research results

* Expertise of research supervisors will be assessed by experts during project benefit and quality assessment.



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