Operational Plan 2024

HELLENIC FOUNDATION FOR RESEARCH AND INNOVATION
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Introduction

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The Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation (HFRI) aims to support unrestricted research, without thematic or geographical exclusions.

The Operational Plan (OP) sets HFRI’s priorities for 2024, constituting the roadmap for the governance of the Foundation. It may be revised in case of substantial changes in the internal and external environment of HFRI.

The presented data are in force on the date of the adoption of this Operational Plan.

The planning of the Actions is based on Ministerial Decision No. 124433/31.12.2023 (B'7724)
Our mission

The utilization of the research potential as well as the strengthening of the research infrastructure of the country

The support of Greek scientists and the reverse of their outflow abroad

The dissemination of scientific knowledge in society at large and the cultivation of a broader research culture
Our people

33 employees under a private-law fixed-term contract

3 posted employees from other public sector bodies

Educational level of HFRI employees

- Master's Degree: 21
- PhD: 11
- Bachelor's Degree: 4

25% Male
75% Female
Our technological resources

Financial management

Electronic document management

HFRI Portal
Our financial resources

N.E.C.C.A. Natural Environment & Climate Change Agency

Stavros Niarchos Foundation (SNF) 5.000.000€

H2020 - IntelComp 62.062.50€

Recovery and Resilience Fund (RRF) 59.229.000€

Public Investment Programme (PIP) 120.000.000€

European Investment Bank (EIB) 180.000.000€

Natural Environment & Climate Change Agency (N.E.C.C.A.) 1.126.950€
The Actions currently under evaluation are expected to fund approximately 280 additional research projects with a budget of €65.8 million and a further 145 PhD scholarships with a budget of €4.6 million.
Our Calls

Support Faculty Members and Researchers

Procurement of High-Value Research Equipment

Support Postdoctoral Researchers

Scholarships to PhD Candidates

Connect Science and Society

Emblematic Actions

Other Actions
Planning of Actions 2024

*Information about the Calls may be changed following the decision of HFRI's Scientific Council and the Deputy Minister of Development.
5th Call for Action “Science and Society” – “Always Strive for Excellence-Theodore Papazoglou” (co-funded by the Stavros Niarchos Foundation (SNF) and HFRI)

Budget: 10.000.000,00 €*

Note: Until the exhaustion of the available budget
2nd Call N.E.C.C.A titled Actions to protect, conserve and promote biodiversity. Field studies of endemic, endangered and nationally important species of Greece

Budget: 462.000,00 €

Call for N.E.C.C.A. Scholarships for Ph.D. thesis on the study of the taxonomy of groups of organisms distributed mainly in Greek territory

Budget: 262.500,00 €

Start Date: 01.02.2024
End Date: 29.02.2024

Call Announcement

11.12.2023

Submissions

Funding

M11 - M12 2024

N.E.C.C.A
Cooperation with the United States of America in the Scientific Area of Humanities*

Budget: 250,000,00 €

Note: Title specialization will follow
4th Call for HFRI Research Projects to support Postdoctoral Researchers

Budget: 9.250.000,00 €

Call Announcement

M3 - M4 2024

Submissions

Start Date: 14.05.2024
End Date: 20.06.2024

Funding

M5 - M6 2025
6th Call for Action “Science and Society”*

Budget: 1.000.000,00 €

Call Announcement
M6 - M7 2024

Submissions
Start Date: 01.10.2024
End Date: 31.10.2024

Funding
M9 - M10 2025

Note: Title specialization will follow
Our beneficiaries

Higher Educational Institutions based in Greece as defined in Article 3 of Law 4957/2022 (OGG A' 141), as in force

Research and Technological Institutes of Article 13a of Law 4310/2014 (OGG A' 258), as in force

University Research Institutes of Laws, namely the legal entities of private law established by virtue of the provisions of Law 2083/1992 (OGG A’ 159) and Law 3685/2008 (OGG A’ 148)

Higher Military Educational Institutions of Law 3187/2003 (OGG A' 233)

The Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy

The Foundation for Economic and Industrial Research
## Eligible Costs

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How can I participate in HFRI’s Calls?

Scan the QR code to register in HFRI’s Portal