



ERC Advanced Grants

The European Research Council (ERC) Advanced grants provide attractive and long-term funding to support established leading principal investigators (PIs) who want to pursue ground-breaking, ambitious projects.

Who can apply

Exceptional researchers of any nationality, with a **track-record of significant research achievements**.

Which proposals are eligible

- Any field of research.
- Research must be conducted in a public or private research organisation based in an EU member state or associated country.
- One or more team members can be located in a non-European country.

Swiss participation in ERC 2025 Advanced Grant

Researchers based in a Swiss Host institution can apply for an ERC Advanced 2025 grant as beneficiaries.

Dates

The ERC-2025-AdG call opens **22 May 2025** with a deadline on **28 August 2025**.

What to do once the call is open

- Contact your host institution early enough to organise their letter of support.
- Look at past [ERC funded projects](#).
- Contact your [ERC National Contact Point](#) or your nearest [Regional Office](#) and allow enough time for reviews and feedback of the draft proposal.

How to apply

The call is published on the [Funding and Tenders Portal](#) which contains all information about the call, the templates, and the submission process. If you do not have an account, you need to [register on the portal](#). After that you can start your submission.

Success rate

Advanced Grants are highly competitive with success rate of approximately 14%.

Funding

€2 500 000 for a period of **5 years**

Maximum additional funding of **€2 000 000** for Principal Investigators who are re-locating to the EU or an Associated Country from elsewhere to take up their ERC grant.

How we can support you

Euresearch is the Swiss guide to European Research and Innovation. We support Swiss participation in international research projects and research programmes. In particular the [National Contact Point](#) for the ERC can help you with:

- Proposal-related questions
- Proposal review