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»»» European Solidarity Corps Quality Label



On 27 September 2023, the National Agency for the Erasmus+ Programme and the European Solidarity Corps awarded a Quality Label to the University of Gdańsk. The European Solidarity Corps Quality Label certifies that the EMU, as an organisation participating in the Corps, is able to provide the necessary conditions for young people participating in involuntary solidarity activities.

The Quality Label gives the University of Gdańsk access to funding opportunities for volunteering under the European Solidarity Corps as host and leading organisation. The resulting quality label will allow the UG to synchronise further volunteering projects. Volunteering under the ESC will be carried out at the International Cooperation Office.

»»» Webinar entitled "Overview of national programs in the 2021-2027 programming period" - 20.11.2023, 10:30 - 11:30 am



The Main Information Point of the European Funds in Gdansk invites everyone interested in the possibility of benefiting from the European Funds in the 2021-2027 programming period to a webinar.

During the meeting will be presented: the offer of the Main Information Point of the European Funds in Gdansk, programs: European Funds for Infrastructure, Climate, Environment (FENIKS) and European Funds for Social Development (FERS) - discussion of selected calls from the current call schedule.

The condition for participation in the webinar is to complete [the registration form](#) by November 17, 2023.

For more information, please visit: <https://www.funduszeuropejskie.gov.pl/>

»»» Krzysztof Józwiak appointed new Director of the National Science Centre

The new Director was officially appointed on 31 October, at the headquarters of the National Science Centre. Minister Czarnek was represented by Prof. Włodzimierz Bernacki, Secretary of State at the Ministry of Education and Science. More information: www.ncn.gov.pl



»»» OA policy relaxation at the National Science Centre

In response to the requests of the academic community and recent changes in publisher policy, the NCN has decided to temporarily relax the provisions of the "Policy of the National Science Centre on open access to publications" until 31 December 2025. The details are described [in the letter](#) of Zbigniew Błocki, acting Director of the NCN. We encourage you to familiarise yourself with the document. More details on the NCN website: www.ncn.gov.pl

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»»» Alliances of European Universities – 2024 edition

The European Commission has announced another call to expand existing alliances under the European Universities initiative and to recruit new alliances. The call focuses on two themes:

- Developing deep institutional transnational cooperation
- Community of Practices for Alliances of European Universities

Total budget of the latest Erasmus+ call for proposal it amounts to almost 190 million EUR.

Applications can be submitted by 6 February 2024. More information on the [website](#).



»»» Extension of the deadline for submitting an application and updating the documentation of the 2nd Hydrostrateg call

We would like to inform you about the changes in the call documentation of the second HYDROSTRATEG call, which relate the deletion from the Rules of the call of a provision concerning the participation of a financial expert in the substantive evaluation of projects. In addition, we would like to inform you that in connection with the amendments to the call documentation have been extended and will last until 30 November 2023 until 16:00.

We encourage you to familiarise yourself with the current content of the [documents](#).

»»» [Funding & tender opportunities – competition search](#)

Portal created by the European Commission, through which calls are published and applications for funding are submitted and which serves the e-government of projects co-financed by the European Union, inter alia under Creative Europe, HorizonEurope, Erasmus +, Justice.



»»» [Webinar on Marie Skłodowska's Action Curie MSCA Staff Exchanges 2023](#)

8 December 2023, 10:00 – 12:30 The European Commission and the REA Executive Agency are organising the first from a series of three meetings on the subject. MSCA SE National Contact Point MSCA in NAWA. More information on the [website](#).

»»» [Information Day on the topic “Excellence Hubs” in Horizon Europe](#)

The webinar will take place on 20 November 2023 at 9:00. It will focus on the project theme “Excellence Hubs” (HORIZON-WIDERA-2023-ACCESS-07-01, WIDER Work Programme). During the meeting the terms of the competition and good practices will be discussed. More information on the [website](#).

OPEN CALLS FOR PROPOSALS

Project Preparation Support Office – Project Incubator invites scientists to apply in the announced calls

or the preparation of project applications, please contact us at the email address projekty@ug.edu.pl. The Office, upon receipt of an email, will assign a Project Support Officer who will be available for any matter related to the Application. We believe that the steps we have taken will contribute to facilitating the application process.

TYPE OF CALL	START / END OF THE CALL APPLICATION	DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING APPLICATIONS AT UG
<u>OPUS 26</u> – NCN research projects, designed for researchers at all stages of their research careers	15 SEPTEMBER 2023/ 15 DECEMBER 2023	8 DECEMBER 2023
<u>Weave-UNISONO</u> – NCN research projects in multilateral cooperation	recruitment continued from 2021, continuous, on deadlines resulting from lead agencies' schedules	
<u>SONATA 19</u> – NCN projects for scientific research using modern equipment facilities	15 SEPTEMBER 2023/ 15 DECEMBER 2023	8 DECEMBER 2023
<u>OPUS LAP</u> – NCN projects for research with foreign partners	15 SEPTEMBER 2023/ 15 DECEMBER 2023	8 DECEMBER 2023
<u>IMPRESS-U</u> – NCN scientific and technical research and education and innovation in international cooperation	the call for proposals at the Lead Agency shall be conducted between 2 August 2023 and 31 December 2025	
<u>MSCA Staff Exchanges</u> – European Commission staff mobility for R & D	5 OCTOBER 2023/ 28 FEBRUARY 2024	21 FEBRUARY 2024
<u>MSCA COFUND</u> – European Commission post-Doctoral Scholarships	10 OCTOBER 2023/ 8 FEBRUARY 2024	1 FEBRUARY 2024
<u>MSCA Doctoral Networks</u> – European Commission doctoral Programs in International Partnership	30 MAY 2023/ 28 November 2023	21 November 2023
<u>FENG 2.27</u> – PARP Laboratory of Innovator	24 OCTOBER 2023/ 19 DECEMBER 2023	12 DECEMBER 2023

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