

Announcement of the 1st evaluation stage for the call

«Supporting Postdoctoral Researchers» (PE1, PE5)

The results of the 1st evaluation stage of the research proposals in **2 additional research subfields (PE1 and PE5) from the 8 remaining** are announced today. A detailed description of the aforementioned research subfields is presented in Table 1 (at the end of the page).

These proposals were considered to be the leading ones in their respective research domain and have been advanced to the second evaluation stage within the call «Supporting Postdoctoral Researchers».

No further action is required by the postdoctoral candidates whose research proposals were advanced to the 2nd evaluation stage, since the evaluation stage will be based on the information already provided by the candidates.

Note: An important prerequisite of the call was that the doctorate has been obtained less than seven (7) years ago. This requirement will be checked before the announcement of the final results.

The number of proposals that will be funded in the two aforementioned subfields is presented in Table 1:

Table 1. *Number of proposals that will be funded from the two additional research domains.*

ERC research field	Description of the field	Number of proposals that will be funded
PE1	Mathematical Foundations: all areas of mathematics, pure and applied, plus mathematical foundations of computer science, mathematical physics and statistics	8
PE5	Materials and Synthesis: materials synthesis, structure-properties relations, functional and advanced materials, molecular architecture, organic chemistry	10