

IACR Seed/Mobility Funding Call 2024

The Irish Association for Cancer Research (IACR) will support a limited number of IACR Seed/Mobility grants for a **value of up to €6,000**, that will be made available to IACR members.

These grants can be used to visit a host laboratory for up to 3 months, to learn a new technique or avail of equipment or expertise not available in their own research group. Funds can be used to support travel, accommodation, subsistence and research costs. Alternatively, the funds can be used to support a new specific project. This can be a new idea, a novel approach to an existing question or an experiment needed to complete a research article.

All applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Current members of the IACR
- At any stage in their career
- Be based in the Republic of Ireland or in Northern Ireland
- For the mobility award, a formal letter from the host laboratory detailing the terms of reference for the period of research

The application will consist of the following headings:

- Summary of the research project (*800 words max*)
- The potential impact of the IACR seed/mobility grant on the success of the project (*300 words max*)
- Only for mobility grant, a description of the host laboratory and reasons for visit (*500 words max*)
- Itemised list of costs & budget justification (*500 words max*)
- Applicant CV (*5 pages max*)
- Details of Research Finance Office as awards must be administered by the institution

Applications will be assessed by members of the Executive and Grant Committee of the IACR ensuring assessors have no conflicts of interest (e.g. Close colleague of applicant). Applications will be assessed based on: scientific merit, value added (to project and to applicant), impact (national/international/ career/project/institution).

The deadline for applications is Friday 8th of November 2024, at 5pm. Please send your application to info@iacr.ie with “IACR Seed/Mobility Funding Application” in the title.

Please contact Maria Prencipe (maria.prencipe@ucd.ie) with any queries. Successful applicants will be expected to present a summary of their experience as a short video to be uploaded on the IACR website and shared on IACR social media.