



Call for 4th year PhD OR 1st post-doctoral fellowships

The Labex Memolife is launching the present call to offer complementary funding to PhD students currently completing their thesis in one of Memolife participating teams.

All PhD students from Memolife participating teams are eligible only to one of these two proposed formats:

1/ Students enrolled in a PhD program, who aim to complete their thesis research project (**4th year only**). Fellowships will be funded for 6 to 12 months, depending on the project progress. No support will be provided beyond the thesis defense date. The proposed salary will be aligned with the corresponding contracts for PhD students as defined by the Ministry in charge of Higher Education, Research and Innovation .

Applications should include:

- A Curriculum Vitae;
- A description of the research project, complete with the thesis title and summary (1 page max), current results (2 pages max) and proposed program for the thesis completion (2 pages max);
- Intermediate evaluation reports from the thesis committee;
- A proposed timeline indicating project completion and date of thesis defense
- A summary form including:
 - Applicant's last and first names, birth date, nationality, name of host team leader/PhD supervisor, start and end dates for requested funding
- A Letter of support from the Labex host team leader

2/ Students who have recently obtained their PhD or who will defend their thesis before the end of the current year and who wish to finalize their research project (**1st post-doctoral fellowship, only awarded for work in the group where the thesis was completed**). Fellowships will be funded for 6 to 12 months. No prolongation of this initial funding will be possible. The proposed salary will be aligned with remuneration applicable for a first post-doctoral fellowship.

Applications should include:

- A letter of motivation (1 page);
- A Curriculum Vitae (1 page);
- A summary of the results obtained during the thesis (2 pages max), proposed program for the project to be completed (2 pages max). Future scientific and financial perspectives after this first fellowship should also be indicated;
- A letter of support from the Labex host team leader
- A brief summary form including:
 - Applicant's last and first names, birth date, nationality, name of host team leader/PhD supervisor, expected start and end dates for requested funding.

Applications must be sent by e-mail to brigitte.bouchard@college-de-france.fr and frederique.godfroid@ens.fr no later than **Sunday March 15th, 2020**.

Only one application from each participating team will be considered within this Call.

Evaluation Procedures:

Applications will be evaluated by members of the Labex steering Committee.

Selection criteria:

Evaluation will be based on the quality of the applicant's training curriculum, project advancement and thesis results, quality and feasibility of the proposed project and the applicant's career perspectives.