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| Deadline | Fri 30 Apr 2021 (IOCB deadline Fri 16 Apr 2021) Thu 30 Sep 2021 (IOCB deadline Thu 16 Sep 2021) |
| Call name | Program podpory perspektivních lidských zdrojů – postdoktorandů (PPLZ) Programme to support prospective human resources – postdocs (PPLZ) |
| www | http://interni.avcr.cz/Informace_pro_pracoviste/mzdova-podpora-postdoktorandu-na-pracovistich-avcr/program-podpory-perspektivnich-lidskych-zdroju.html |
| Focused on | Support of postdocs at CAS institutes |
| Applicant | Postdoc with research experience up to 2 years since finishing the PhD study (PhD obtained between 30 Apr 2019 – 29 Apr 2021) or up to 4 years due to the long-term foreign research visit (PhD obtained between 30 Apr 2017 – 29 Apr 2021). |
| Eligible organisation | CAS institutes |
| Target group | Postdoc with 1.0 FTE or 0.5 FTE if carer of a child under 15 or another dependant (must not have another employment contract) |
| Expected outputs | (J) peer-review articles |
| Call opens | 01 Apr 2021 and 01 Sep 2021 |
| IOCB deadline | Fri 16 Apr 2021 and Thu 16 Sep 2021 |
| Final deadline | Fri 30 Apr 2021 and Thu 30 Sep 2021 |
| Evaluation results | Jun 2021 and Dec 2021 |
| Signature of agreement | Jun 2021 and Dec 2021 |
| Earliest date of implementation | 01 Jul 2021 and 01 Jan 2022 |
| Latest date of implementation | 30 Jun 2023 and 31 Dec 2023 |
| Sustainability | Prospective research position of the candidate at the institute |
| Reporting | <u>Progress report</u> submitted by 31 Jul 2022 / 31 Jan 2023 Includes: (i) information about the research project, (ii) list of published and accepted publications, (iii) economic report, (iv) Director's comments. <u>Final progress report</u> submitted by 31 Jul 2023 / 31 Jan 2024 includes: (i) information about the research project, (ii) list of published and accepted publications, (iii) economic report, (iv) Director's comments, (v) evaluation of the PPLZ for professional career development of the candidate and the institute. |
| Project duration (min-max) | 1–2 years |
| Allocation for the call | NA |
| Project budget (min-max) | Subsidy of 600 000 CZK / year (1.2 M CZK / project) |
| Success rate | NA |
| Eligible costs | Personnel costs, max 600 000 CZK / year |
| Reimbursement | 100% |
| Mode of funding | Ex-ante |
| Language of application | English |
| Provider | The Czech Academy of Sciences, Science and Support Division of the Head Office; Contact person: Ms. Jana Teplá, +420 221 403 424, tepla@kav.cas.cz |
| Call identifier | PPLZ 2021 |
| Call info | The CAS programme aims at support prospective human resources – postdocs (PPLZ) for 2 years to work in established or new research areas at the CAS institutes. |
| Conditions / Restrictions | The application has to be submitted via the Information system of the CAS Head Office (KIS) and in parallel via their data box (datová schránka). A postdoc candidate with research experience of up to 2 years after their PhD (limit is increased up to 4 years if applicant has been on a long-term foreign research visit) should be |

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| | <p>nominated in the PPLZ programme. Maternity or parental leave, long-term sick leave or military services are excluded from these limits.</p> <p>The candidate should be nominated by the Director after discussion and agreement with the Board of Institute.</p> <p>The start of the financial support on 01 Jul 2021.</p> <p>The subsidy is not provided during foreign research visits longer than 60 days.</p> <p>The candidate may apply for other national and international grants.</p> <p>A notification of the CAS Head Office is required in case of research stays abroad or if salary is funded from other research projects (GACR, TACR, MEYS, etc.)</p> |
| Proposal consists of | <p>Please fill in the IOCB internal template and contact the IOCB Project Office.</p> <p>1) Proposal: information about the candidate, information about the department & institute, duration of the support; name of proposed project, general work programme of the candidate, list of other projects funded from a purpose support fund on which the candidate will participate (applicant)</p> <p>2) CV, scientific track record; research, teaching and organisational skills; perspective of the professional career development at the institute (applicant)</p> <p>3) Motivation Letter (applicant)</p> <p>4) Recommendation of the Board of Institute (in Czech) (Project Office)</p> <p>5) Recommendation of the Director (in Czech) (Project Office)</p> <p>6) Candidate's declaration and agreement with suggested working conditions (in Czech) (Project Office & applicant)</p> <p>7) Recommendation Letter (applicant & supervisor)</p> |
| Evaluation criteria | <p>1) Expected research benefit for the institute</p> <p>2) Candidate's scientific track record</p> |
| Research areas | All areas |
| Call workshop | NA |
| IOCB contact | <p>Please inform the IOCB Project Office about your intention to apply.</p> <p>Do not hesitate to contact us anytime for consulting, discussion or help.</p> <p>projectoffice@uochb.cas.cz</p> <p>Veronika Palečková +420 220 183 266</p> <p>Blanka Collis +420 220 183 527</p> |
| Download documents | <p>CAS PPLZ 2021 summary</p> <p>CAS PPLZ_ Guidelines CZ</p> <p>CAS PPLZ_ Guidelines EN</p> <p>CAS PPLZ_IOCB template</p> <p>CAS PPLZ_FAQ CZ</p> |