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***Best practices in V4+ countries – institutional strategies to enhance performance***

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Slovak Academic and Scientific Programme



Mobility and Reintegration Programme of the SAS



**EU PROJECT SUPPORT OFFICE**  
Slovak Academy of Sciences



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Slovak **A**cademic and **S**cientific **PRO**gramme **SASPRO 2** builds up on successful programme SASPRO solely implemented by Slovak Academy of Sciences 2014 – 2018 (FP7)

**SASPRO 2 – H2020 Marie Skłodowska Curie COFUND** mobility programme for outstanding researchers of three top Slovak leading organisations in research, sciences and education  
Slovak Academy of Sciences (**SAS – project coordinator**), **Comenius University** in Bratislava and **Slovak University of Technology** in Bratislava.

- to create optimal conditions to perform research, enhance quality of Slovak science and research,
- freely chosen research topic, support of multidisciplinary approaches to project solutions, quality trainings, secondment in application sector
- more opportunities portfolio of **70 host organisations**

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**Length of fellowship** – min 12 to 36 months

**Programme duration:** October 2020 – September 2025

**Two mobility scheme:** reintegration and incoming scheme

**Three calls** (last pending)

We offer **40 fellowships SAS: 20 open positions, CU/STU: 10 open positions**

**Total budget: 9,350 mil. €**

**EU: 4,303 mil. €**

**SAS: 2,523 mil. €, CU: 1,261 mil. €, STU: 1,261 mil. €**



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### ***Short statistics from former programme SASPRO***

Total number of submitted applications within three calls: **138**

Total number of financed projects: **38**

**15 Slovak** nationals still working within SAS organisations, became head of departments, research groups or team leaders

### ***Current statistics on SASPRO 2\_status May 2022\_third call pending***

Total number of submitted applications within three calls: **174**

Total number of **financed projects: 30**, app. **10 fellowship positions still open**

**13 Slovak** nationals, **17 other** nationalities (EU, UA, IN, SG, TR, IR, KOR, YU)



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The Impulz project scheme aims to improve the scientific organizations of the Slovak Academy of Sciences (SAS) by recruiting internationally recognized scientists and highly talented young researchers who come from abroad or do not leave for abroad.

## THE TASK

of this new generation of leading scientists will be to create their own research groups that will work on new research directions and current topics in line with world trends.



## THE SCHEME



will provide excellent scientists with incentive conditions for their development and will bring research organizations an improvement in the research environment and scientific outputs. The scheme is intended to help increase the Academy's excellence, internationalization and competitiveness in the European Research Area and its success in obtaining prestigious grants.



## THE ELIGIBLE PROJECT COSTS

include personnel costs, travel costs, material costs, research infrastructure, publishing costs including Open Access, and services.

## THE SELECTED APPLICANTS

will be employed by a SAS research institute, which will provide funding for the indirect project costs.



A selected project could ask for funding ranging from

**60,000 TO 160,000 EUR PER YEAR.**



Information about the IMPULZ Programme and templates for application can be found at: <http://impulz.sav.sk>.



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