

AC41 ANRS MIE - AMYB

Open Call – Mobility Grant for Early-Career Researchers

Support for participation in a scientific conference of interest aligned with ANRS MIE priorities

Purpose of the Call

This open call, launched within the framework of the **ANRS MIE Start Programme for the support of junior researchers**, aims to support the mobility of early-career researchers by enabling their participation in a national or international scientific conference aligned with the scientific priorities of ANRS MIE and, more specifically, with the themes addressed by AC41 / AMYB (HIV, hepatitis, emerging and re-emerging infectious diseases, including vector studies, innovative curative therapies, and associated biotechnologies).

The mobility grant seeks to:

- Promote dissemination of scientific results by young scientists.
- Strengthen national and international scientific interactions in fields connected to ANRS MIE.
- Foster the integration of early-career researchers into research networks and their career perspectives.

Applicant Information

First and last name:

Affiliation(s) (Department, unit, institute / university):

Academic status (please tick the appropriate box):

☐ PhD student

☐ Postdoctoral researcher / Clinical fellow

☐ Early-career researcher / Faculty member (≤ 10 years after PhD)

Explain direct or indirect link with ANRS MIE (maximum half page)

(e.g. ANRS funding, collaboration with ANRS-supported teams, PhD training in France or ANRS site within ANRS MIE priorities, ongoing or planned projects within ANRS MIE priorities, wish to return to France, etc.):

Primary email address:

Secondary email address (optional):

Signature: _____

Date : _____

Eligibility and Selection Criteria

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Be an **early-career researcher** (PhD student, postdoctoral researcher, or researcher within 10 years after PhD at the time of application);
- Have submitted, or plan to submit, a **scientific contribution (oral or poster)** to a relevant scientific conference.
- Conduct research within the **scientific scope of ANRS MIE**, including but not limited to infectious diseases, immunology, virology, vectors, and innovative approaches for prevention, diagnosis, or treatment.
- Fulfil at least one of the following conditions:
 - work or have worked in a team supported by ANRS MIE.
 - be involved in a collaborative project with an ANRS MIE-supported team.
 - have previously received ANRS funding.
 - have completed a PhD in France or at an ANRS site within the scientific perimeter of ANRS MIE.
 - plan future scientific activities or mobility in France within ANRS MIE priorities.
- Open to researchers in France and outside France.

Eligible Expenses

The mobility grant may cover, within the limits of the allocated budget and subject to validation by the selection committee:

- conference registration fees;
- part or all of travel costs;
- part or all of accommodation costs.

The **maximum amount of financial support** is set as follows:

- **up to €2,000** for participation in **international conferences outside Europe**.
- **up to €1,500** for participation in **conferences held in Europe**.

Application – Required Documents

The application file must include the following documents:

- The **abstract** submitted or to be submitted to the targeted conference.
- **Proof of submission**, or alternatively a statement indicating the intention to submit a scientific contribution.
- A **short statement (maximum 1 page)** explaining the scientific interest of the conference and its relevance to ANRS MIE priorities.
- a **curriculum vitae (CV)** of the applicant.
- The present application form duly completed and signed.

Submission Guidelines

- The complete application must be prepared as a **single PDF file**.
- The file should be named according to the following convention:
FirstInitial.LastName_MobilityGrant_OpenCall_AC41_Year.pdf.
- Applications must be sent by email to: **amyb.pwc@anrs.fr**

Email subject line:

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Timeline

Call opening: end of February 2026

Call closing: end of April 2026 (23:59, Paris time, GMT+1)

Applicants will be informed of the results after evaluation by the AC41 / ANRS MIE scientific committee.

There will be another call in autumn 2026.

For any questions related to this call, please contact the coordination team at the email address indicated above.

Acknowledgement requirement

As a condition of acceptance of the Travel Grant, successful applicants commit to acknowledging the support of **AC41 ANRS MIE – AMYB** in any presentation, poster, or related communication arising from their participation in the conference.

The following wording is recommended:

“We thank AC41 ANRS MIE – AMYB, within the framework of the Start Programme for supporting junior researchers.”