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Online Info-Day on the 2024 ERC Calls

11 July 2023

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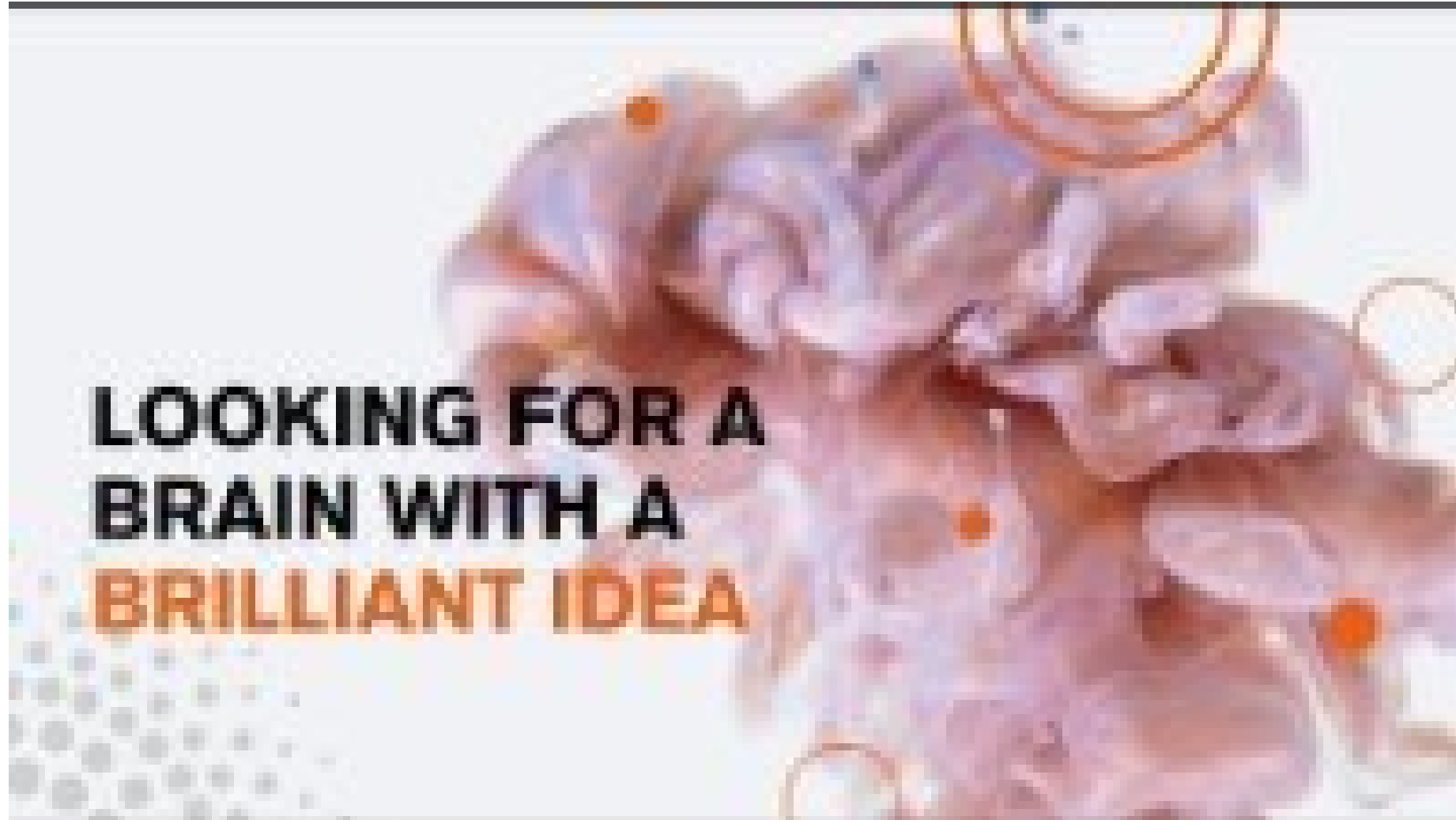
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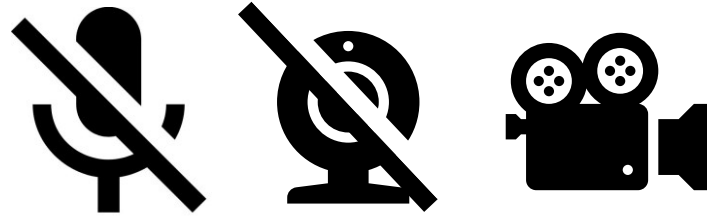


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▶ **Looking for a brain...**



▶ Netiquette



- Use the **Q&A function** to submit questions. You can upvote questions.
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- Kindly note that the Webinar will be **recorded**.
- Please fill in the **Feedback Form** after the Webinar.
- **Presentations** will be sent to participants after the event.

AGENDA:

TIME	TITLE / SPEAKER
11:00-11:05	Welcome <i>Ms Katerina Karakasidou, Scientific Officer, RIF, ERC NCP</i>
11:05-11:15	Opening remarks – Cyprus participation in the ERC <i>Mr Theodoros Loukaidis, Director General, RIF</i>
11:15-11:30	Novelties of the 2024 ERC Work Programme <i>Dr Dace Rambaka, Policy Analyst, ERC Executive Agency (ERCEA)</i>
11:30-12:10	ERC funding schemes and 2024 calls <i>Dr Gordana Popovic, ERC Research Programme Agent, ERCEA</i>
12:10-12:20	Questions & answers
12:20-12:25	Short break
12:25-12:40	ERC support measures for potential applicants <i>Dr Davide Innocenti, ERC Project Adviser, ERCEA</i>
12:40-12:50	What can the Cyprus ERC NCP do for you? <i>Ms Katerina Karakasidou, Scientific Officer, RIF, ERC NCP</i>
12:50-13:00	Testimonial from an ERC Grantee <i>Dr Artemis Georgiou, ERC Starting Grantee 2020, Assistant Professor (Research), Archaeological Research Unit, University of Cyprus</i>
13:00-13:10	Testimonial from an ERC Grantee <i>Dr Margarita Chli, ERC Consolidator Grantee 2022, Professor in Robotic Vision and director of the Vision for Robotics Lab, University of Cyprus and ETH Zurich</i>
13:10-13:25	Questions & answers
13:25-13:30	Closing remarks <i>Ms Katerina Karakasidou, Scientific Officer, RIF, ERC NCP</i>

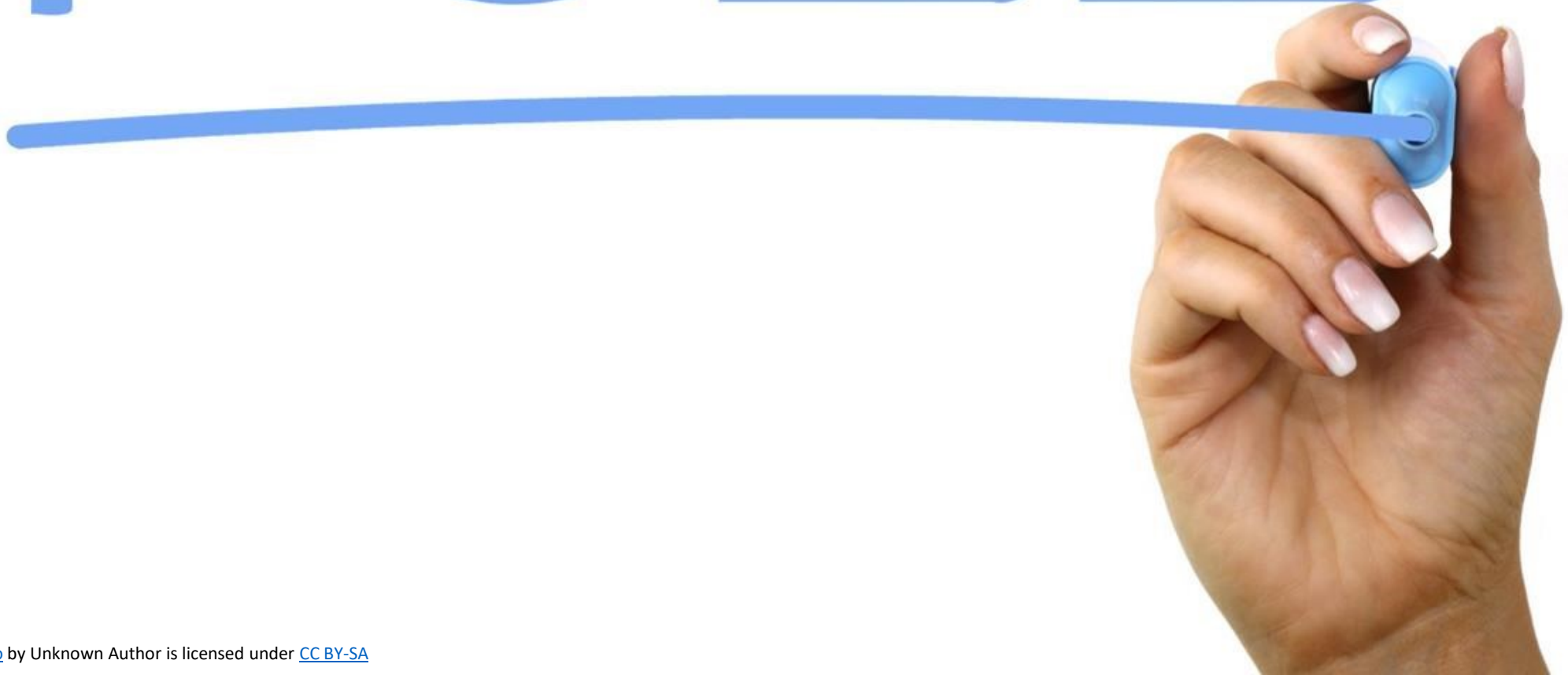


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What can the Cyprus ERC NCP do for you?

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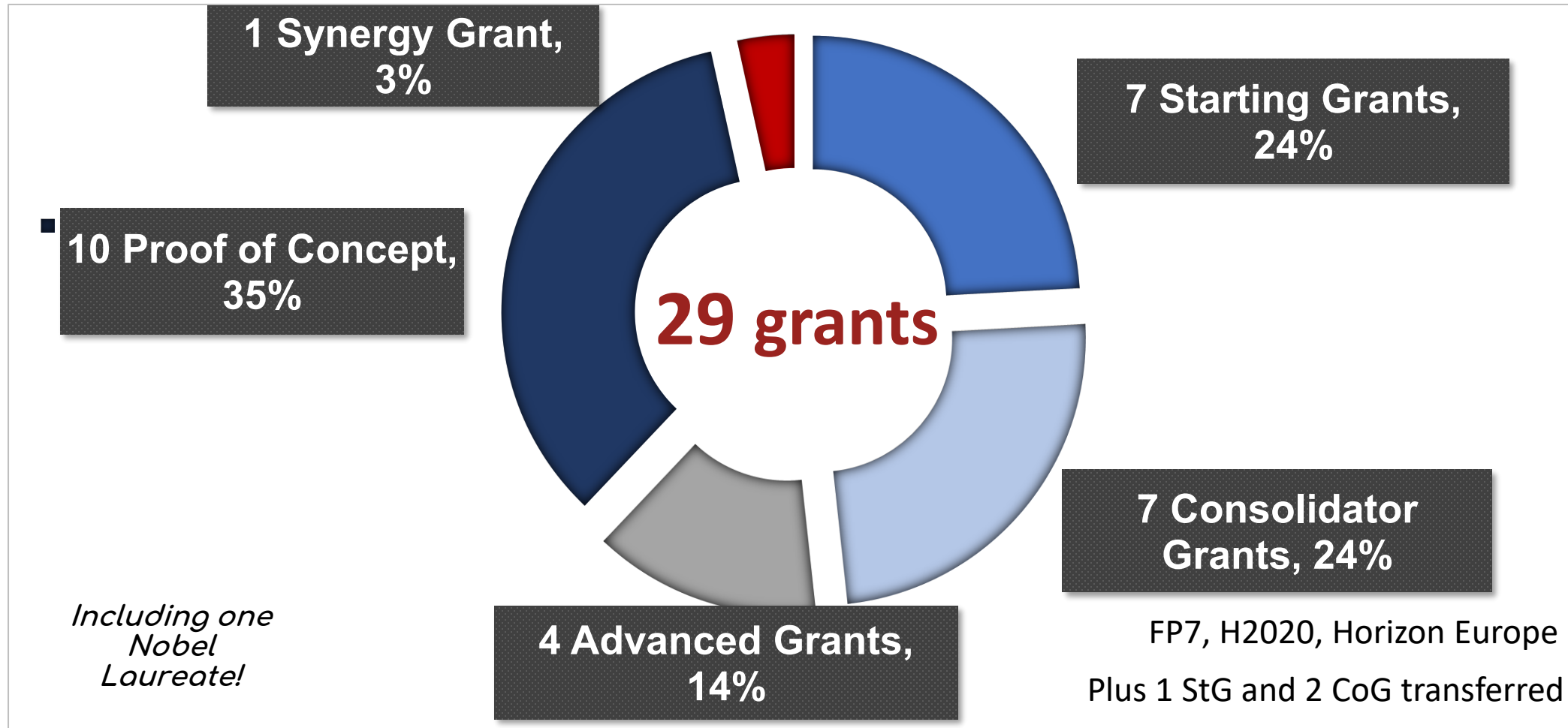
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▶ ERC grants in Cyprus



► Cyprus' ERC NCPs



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Plus ERC 2nd Opportunity national funding scheme

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Grant Agreements
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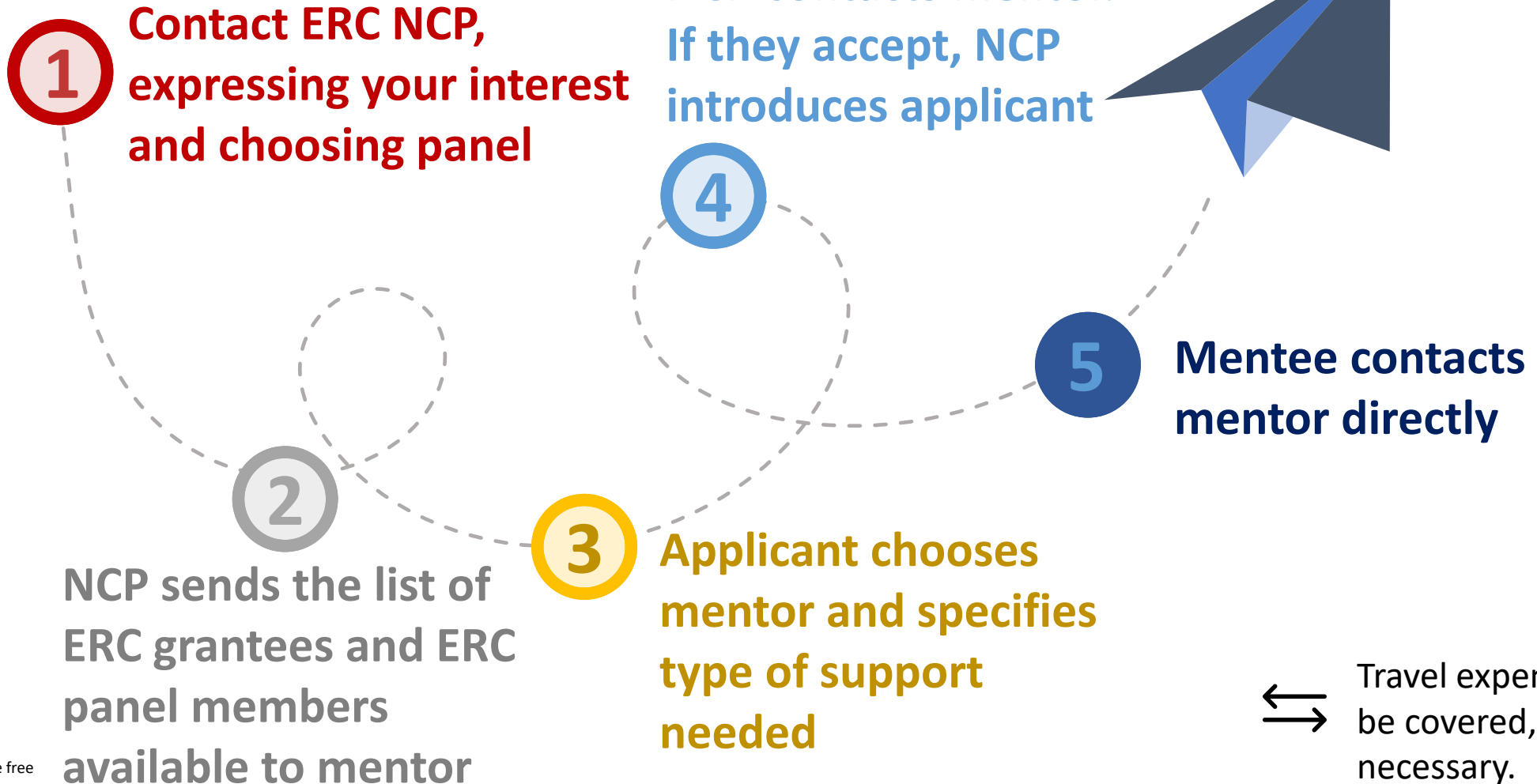
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10 people benefited since 2021, 2 are now grantees!

▶ ERC Mentoring Initiative

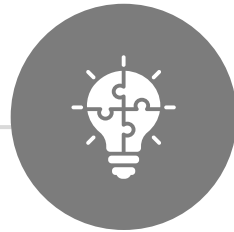


▶ ERC 2nd Opportunity scheme



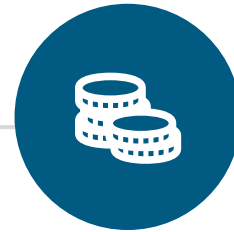
Who?

Researchers that received A in Step 2 of the evaluation for ERC StG, CoG or AdG, but were not funded



What?

- ✓ Research activities to improve proposal
- ✓ ERC Visiting Research Fellowship (optional) to enhance profile and exchange in the lab of an ERC grantee



How much?

- ✓ €100,000
- ✓ Plus max €50,000 (for Visiting Fellowship) depending on duration
- ✓ Several types of costs



How long?

- ✓ 12-18 months.
- ✓ 3-6 months for the visit (not necessarily consecutive)

▶ ERC 2nd Opportunity - obligations



Resubmit an ERC **proposal** within 24 months from the results and during the national project (deliverable)



If the requirements for Starting Grant proposals are not met, must submit to Consolidator. Same for Consolidator to Advanced.



Must receive **services** from the **ERC NCP**



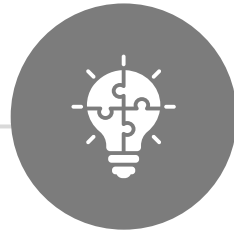
In case of a Visiting Research Fellowship, the **consent** of the ERC Grantee who will host must be obtained beforehand

ERC Visiting Research Fellowship – National Research Awards add-on



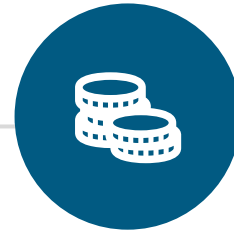
Who?

The winners of the “Cyprus Research Award-Young Researcher” (3 annually) & “Distinguished Researcher” (1)



What?

ERC Visiting Research Fellowship (optional), to enhance profile and exchange in the lab of an ERC grantee



How much?

Max €50,000 depending on duration – travel costs, accommodation and salary. Actual costs



How long?

3-6 months for the visit (not necessarily consecutive)

ERC Visiting Research Fellowship – National Research Awards add-on



Candidates are initially nominated by others and then contacted by RIF and asked to express interest on the Fellowship



Applicants encouraged to receive services from the ERC NCP



Should have secured agreement of the host ERC Grantee and submit a brief description of the future ERC proposal



ERC proposal submitted will be a deliverable of the national project.

▶ 2021-2022 CY ERC NCP support



31 proposal pre-screenings



8 mock interview support



70 one-on-one support



**10 supported under the
ERC Mentoring Initiative**



**8 events & trainings
>700 participations**



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Q&A

▶ Thank you!

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