



June 18, 2024 | Centre Universitaire Méditerranéen

# EVENT DEDICATED TO YOUNG RESEARCHERS


## Programme



Are you a PhD student looking forward to the post-defence period?



As a supervisor, would you like to welcome young talents into your team?



As a young doctor, are you looking for your next position on the Côte d'Azur or internationally?

*This event is part of the institution's strong desire to support the career development of young talents, in particular by facilitating access to the instruments that will enable them to project themselves into the future.*

*This initiative is part of the LEAD Europe action launched by the CEM in February 2023, which aims to support a site-based dynamic that brings together candidates and laureates of European funding programmes during awareness-raising events.*



The Cellule Europe Mutualisée (CEM) of the IdEx Université Côte d'Azur is joining forces with the Maison des Etudes Doctorales (Direction de la Recherche, de la Valorisation et de l'Innovation), which is in charge of welcoming and supporting doctoral students at the Université Côte d'Azur, and the Direction du Développement International et Europe, to offer you a day dedicated to the career development of young researchers.

This day will explore the opportunities offered especially in Europe to researchers who are starting their careers. We invite you to come and meet experts and evaluators who will present the opportunities available to you, and to come and listen to the laureates who are currently experiencing them. And let's not forget those who have chosen to move on to new horizons after their thesis!

Come and talk to the people who run these programmes and who will give you the keys to prepare your applications, improve your projects and support you in your efforts.

## Plenary Session | 08h30 - 12h30 a.m.

The morning session will introduce the different types of funding available to young researchers.

The programme evaluators will present the expectations of the juries, highlight the strengths and weaknesses they perceive in the applications, and give advice on how to write and construct the applications.

There will also be an opportunity to share experiences with Côte d'Azur winners of prestigious programmes such as the ANR, the ERC and the Marie Skłodowska -Curie Actions.

The plenary session will conclude with a presentation on a successful transition from basic research to entrepreneurship.

## 08h30 - 09h00 a.m. | Welcome of the participants

## 09h00-09h10 a.m. | Welcome words

**Anne VUILLEMIN** Vice-President of Doctoral and Post-Doctoral Policy,  
Université Côte d'Azur

**Muriel DAL PONT-LEGRAND** Vice-President for European issues and territories,  
Université Côte d'Azur

## 09h10-10h05 a.m. | Presentation of opportunities for PhD students and post-docs

**Sara-Anne COMEL** Director of Operations - International, Europe and Ulysseus,  
Initiative d'Excellence Université Côte d'Azur

## 10h05-10h15 a.m. | Presentation of the NUCLEATE programme

Gwendoline FREMONT Director of student liaison office, Nucleate France UniCA

## 10h15-11h10 a.m. | Interventions by evaluators of programmes of excellence

Paolo SIMONELLI EU projects Expert Evaluator, Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships programme, Inria

Pierre ALLIEZ Former reviewer for the European Commission and the ANR, Inria

## 11h10-11h25 a.m. | Coffee break

## 11h25-12h30 a.m. | Feedback from laureates | Presentation of a success story, from basic research to innovation

François PASSELEGUE European Research Council (ERC) laureate

Seçkin ARSLAN Marie Skłodowska Curie Postdoctoral Fellowship laureate

Astrid LAMBERTS ANR Jeunes Chercheurs et Jeunes Chercheuses (JCJC) laureate

Melpomeni DIMOPOULOU Co-Founder of PearCode

## Lunch | 12h30 - 02h00 p.m.

## Rotating workshops\* | 02h00 - 05h30 p.m.

To ensure that everyone can attend all the workshops, a rotation will take place every hour. Three workshops will be offered :

- Workshop «Prepare an international mobility and discover the existing European and international networks of the azurean site at your disposal», by Virginie ODDO & Sara SIDAOU, Université Côte d'Azur
- Workshop «From idea to project, writing a concept note», by Paolo SIMONELLI, Inria
- Workshop « Innovation and entrepreneurship», by Stéphanie Morales, Inria Startup Studio & Olga Pabion, UniCA Entreprendre

02h00 - 03h00 p.m.	1 <sup>st</sup> workshop session
03h00 - 03h15 p.m.	Coffee break
03h15 - 04h15 p.m.	2 <sup>nd</sup> workshop session
04h15 - 04h30 p.m.	Coffee break
04h30 - 05h30 p.m.	3 <sup>rd</sup> workshop session

## Closing aperitif | 05h30 - 07h30 p.m.

In addition, the University, OCA, Inria, CHUN and CNRS will be on hand to answer any questions you may have.

