

ANNEXE 1 – FINANCIAL SUPPORT

In the event that you would need financial support from the BIS program, the following rules would apply

Eligible support

The support provided by the BIS Helpdesk can take various forms depending on the project and the decision of the IdEx evaluation committee. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Help in identifying and linking with relevant partners,
- Advice for international project building and if necessary reorientation towards other relevant funds (IdEx, ANR, UE, bilateral funds, etc.)
- Support for the application to national or European grants,
- Seed funding (financial contribution to travel and accommodation expenses, organization of events)

If financial support is eligible, the BIS Helpdesk will not fund training or research projects in their entirety but will provide a support to launch new international projects (up to 10000€ per project). The funds are valid for a period of 12 months.

Please note that the partner-specific joint programs are mainly based on a principle of reciprocity where each partner supports its own staff. This rule may vary according to the type of project considered.

The amount of the support allocated to the accommodation and food will vary depending on the applicant's academic level and the length of stay. Please note that this financial contribution might not cover the total expenses of your stay. Please refer to the below chart for detailed indication of the allowance dedicated to accommodation and food:

	Daily allowance (stay not exceeding seven days)	Weekly allowance (stay not exceeding three weeks)	Monthly allowance	Allowance per extra month (stay exceeding one month up to two months)
Scholars	<i>Per diem proposed by the Ministry of Finance</i>	700€	2000€	1500€
PhD students	<i>Per diem proposed by the Ministry of Finance</i>	600€	1500€	1000€

Round trip flight tickets: 1 000€

Obligation of beneficiaries

- Communicate about the funding on all appropriate media
- Within 2 months after the funded mobility or action: provide a short report describing the actions taken, contacts made, challenges or difficulties met, and upcoming strategy and activities to materialize or strengthen the cooperation.
- One year after funding eligibility:
 - Provide a final report describing the results of the action and future projects related thereto
 - Provide a cost statement covering the entirety of their project-related expenses.
- Two years after funding eligibility:
 - Fill out a follow-up form