ED MathSTIC Outgoing Mobility Grants – Campaign 2022
Last call for applications

What are the objectives of these mobility grants?

The objectives of these mobility grants are to encourage international mobility, to strengthen the training of international excellence of PhD students and to develop their network at international (and national) level.

Who are the candidates concerned?

Any PhD student registered in one of the accredited institutions of the MathSTIC Doctoral School.

What are the eligibility requirements?

The research project must be accepted jointly by the PhD student's thesis supervisor and the hosting laboratory/institution, which undertakes to ensure the scientific welcoming of the candidate. Exceptionally, requests for mobility for stays as codirection or cotutelle thesis are eligible **but not a priority**. Similarly, applications for mobility for stays in another laboratory in France and outside the doctoral student's location may also be funded.

How and who makes the selection?

The files are examined by the ED office (consisting of the director and the site assistant directors) taking into account mainly the relevance and coherence of the mobility project as a whole with relative priority for 2nd year PhD students and first applications for mobility grants.

What is the duration of the mobility?

Minimum of one month for stays abroad and 15 days for a stay in a laboratory in France. There is no maximum duration, but the grant is limited to 4000euros.

How much is the grant?

A flat grant of €800 to a maximum of 5x800€ (*resp. from €400 to 5x400€*) for a stay in a foreign laboratory (*resp. for a stay in a laboratory in France outside the location of the PhD student*) mainly intended to cover additional expenses related to travel.

When and how and to whom is the scholarship paid?

The grant amount is paid directly to the laureate, from the beginning of his/her stay, in a single instalment, under the condition that the latter provides the documents requested by the ED MathSTIC direction's secretary within the time required and upon receipt of a certificate of arrival in the hosting laboratory sent by the host team to the ED MathSTIC direction's secretary.

How to build up your file?

-   A completed one-page application form signed by the PhD student and his/her supervisor;
-   A letter of motivation from the candidate, in one page maximum;
-   A curriculum vitae of the candidate;
-   A detailed argument from the thesis director (1page max);
-   A letter attesting to the PhD student's welcoming in the hosting laboratory.

When, how and to whom should I send the file?

All these documents (see above) must be grouped in a **single pdf file** (in the form site-lab-Name-FirstName-mob-mathstic.pdf), which is sent electronically to which is sent to the MathSTIC secretary (ed-MathSTIC@doctorat-bretagneloire.fr), before the date indicated in the call for applications (see calendar below). **Only files that comply with these instructions will be considered**.

What does the acceptance of the scholarship commit me to?

The laureate undertakes to carry out the mobility project for a minimum period equivalent to the number of months of mobility granted by ED MathSTIC. In case the stay is shortened, the PhD student must immediately inform the ED MathSTIC and reimburse the overpayment corresponding to the full month(s) not spent in the hosting laboratory. The effective date of the month corresponds to the date of arrival of the PhD student in the laboratory. Any month started is considered as a completed month. The laureate also undertakes to write a report (1 page) in the month following the end of his/her stay and to talk about his/her experience of mobility in the event of a request from ED MathSTIC.

What is the provisional calendar for the campaign 2022?

Application period	Date of the decision of the doctoral school office	*Starting date of the stay*
From now until 24/06/2022 or exhaustion of the doctoral school's mobility-budget	At the end of each month until 30/06/2022	From 01/05/2022 and at the latest on 31/08/2022