



CEFIPRA's Instruments

Collaborative Scientific Research Programme (CSRP)

700+ Collaborative
Research
Projects

4000+ Research
Papers

1500+ Scientists &
Researchers
Collaborated



CEFIPRA provides funding support to high quality academic collaboration between India and France through research projects in the areas of fundamental and applied science to nurture scientific competency.



- **General areas:** Pure and Applied Mathematics, Earth & Planetary Science, Computational Sciences, Material Science, Life & Health Science, Environmental Sciences, Pure and Applied Physics, Biotechnology, Pure and Applied Chemistry & Water.
- **Thematic areas:** Advanced Digital Technologies (*Supercomputing, Cloud Computing, AI*), Life Sciences (*Cancer Studies, Neurosciences, Biotechnology, Biomedical Engineering, etc.*), Allied Areas (*Renewable & Clean Energy Technologies, Energy Efficient Transport and Logistics*), Sustainability Management of Health, Water, Agriculture, or Environment (*Food Safety, Climate Change, Agroecological Farming, Circular Economy, Plastic, Marine Science, Biodiversity, Pollution, etc.*).

- **Two calls launch: Thematic call and General call** (every year)

**Areas are tentative in nature, for details please refer to cefipra.org*

Eligibility

Principal investigator (Indian & French) should have permanent/tenure track position in an Indian or French University/R&D institution.

Minimum 1 Indian Researcher/faculty and 1 French Researcher/ faculty.

Funding

Maximum funding up to **€ 200.000/-** per project (India & France combined)

Manpower, Recurring expenses (Consumables, Local travel, Contingencies), Travel (For PIs, Co-PIs, Students, etc.), Equipment and Overhead for participating institutes as per CEFIPRA's norms.

CEFIPRA encourages to have nearly equal funding support to from both sides.

Duration

Max 3 years

Call Launch(tentative every year)

- November-January
- May-July

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Industry Academia Research Development Programme (IARDP)

45+ *Industrial Projects*

150+ *Scientists & Researchers Collaborated*



CEFIPRA provides funding support to high quality research projects between industry and academia from India & France by leveraging the research competitiveness of academia and industry through applied research.



Areas: Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning, Renewable & Clean Energy, Smart Mobility, Agricultural Science and Technology, Affordable Health Care, Technology for the SDGs, Waste Management & Circular Economy, Sustainable Nutrition, etc.

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Expected TRL Level: 4-5 (proposals)

Eligibility

- Should preferably involve at least one industrial member and one research/academic institute each from India & France
Preferable for having Industrial Partner from both sides (2 academic & 2 industry)
- **Academic Principal Investigator:** Principal investigator should have permanent/tenure track position in an Indian or French University/R&D institution
- **Industrial Partner:** Company/SME/MSME/startups should have well established in-house R&D unit with a good track record of R&D achievements. They should be registered and operational for at least last three years.

Funding

Maximum funding up to € 200.000/- per project (Including India and France)

For Academic Principal investigator : Including Manpower Head, Consumables, Contingency, Equipment (Minor equipment only for Indian Academic Collaborator), Travel and Overheads (as per CEFIPRA norms).

For Industrial Partner: Financial assistance for Industrial Partner from CEFIPRA may be considered on case to case basis.

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Raman-Charpak Fellowship Programme

190+ *Mobility*

100+ *Publications*

400+ *Researchers Connected*



CEFIPRA through this fellowship aims at facilitating of Indian and French Doctoral/Masters students by providing them an opportunity to carry out the part of their research work in a University / Research & Development Institute based in India or France.



Broad areas: Atmospheric Sciences, Earth Sciences and Environmental Sciences, Materials Sciences, Physical Sciences, Chemical Sciences, Engineering Sciences, Biological Sciences, Life and Medical Sciences, Mathematical and Computational Sciences and Agricultural sciences.

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Eligibility

- Maximum age 30 years as on 1st April of the call year.
- Applicants from India must be Indian citizens residing in India and must have registered for a PhD in a recognized university or research institution in India.
- Applicants from France must be residing in France and must have registered for a PhD or Master's degree in a recognized university or research institution in France.

Funding

- **For Indian National:**
₹1500 per month (for daily expenses, local travel, accommodation charges) and social security charges.
- **For French National:**
₹ 40,000/month (for daily expenses, local travel, etc.) and accommodation charges upto ₹ 45,000/month.
- **Other funding support to both Nationals:** Return airfare ticket between India and France, Insurance coverage (travel & health), Administrative costs for Visa and Registration, Carte de Sejour/ official residency card in France and Additional support (up to Euro 500 or equivalent for participating in a Seminar/Workshop during term of fellowship).

Duration

2 to 6 months

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Indo-French Programme for Women in Science (PROWIS)

(PROWIS I)

Long Term Mobility

3-4 Months

(PROWIS II)

Short Term Mobility

2 Weeks



CEFIPRA provides fellowship to women candidates for facilitating to engage & work with Indian/French scientific communities with an aim to accelerate their talented instincts towards carrying out advanced studies and research in the frontier areas of S&T through this women in science programme.

Eligibility

- Women, who are Indian or French citizens (citizens residing in India/France) from a recognized university or research institution in India/France
- Indian applicants should be holding a PhD degree & sanctioned/tenured post in a scientific/academic.
- French applicants holding a PhD degree and currently completing a postdoctoral project/assignment.

Funding

PROWIS I

Indian National: **€2000** per month/ French National: **₹90,000** per month Fellowship with miscellaneous allowances and return airfare between India and France.

PROWIS II

Return airfare, accommodation & per diem allowances, local travel in India/France, airport transfer, insurance and visa charges shall be given.

Duration

PROWIS I: 3 to 4 months

PROWIS II: 2 weeks

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Seminars/ Workshops

190+ *Seminars
Conducted*

5700+ *Networking*



CEFIPRA facilitate for organizing seminars/workshops in areas of current relevance and applied areas of science and technology. The seminars/workshops have a key objective of initiating interactions among scientists and technologists from India & France and are expected to result in Industry-Academia & Academia-Academia centric collaborations.

Eligibility

- There can be maximum 25-30 participants from the host country and minimum of 8-10 participants from the other country.
- Involvement of the young scientists and technologists of the host country as a part of the attendees is encouraged.
- Participants are expected to be present during entire duration of the seminar/workshop.

Additional eligibility for Academia - Academia Seminars/workshops

- The seminars/workshops have to take place in India or in France and to be designed around a specific research topic relevant and of high importance to Academia-Academia collaboration.
- Involvement of at least 4-5 leading groups from different institutions of both the countries is encouraged.

Additional eligibility for Industry - Academia Seminars/Workshops

- The seminars/workshops have to take place in India or in France and to be designed around a specific research topic relevant and of high importance to Industry-Academia collaboration.
- Involvement of at least 4-5 leading groups from different institutions and industries of both the countries is encouraged.
- Participation of relevant industries is expected with their role and responsibilities.
- Industry participation is expected to be substantial for the Industry-Academia seminar/workshop.

Funding

- Funding per Seminar/Workshop (2-5 days)
~€25.000(for seminar/workshop in France) and Rs.20 lakhs (for seminar/workshop in India)
- Financial support is provided for domestic and international travel and logistics arrangements relevant to the event.
- Co-funding from industry shall be encouraged.

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