

## PhD Program in Psychology

## Seminar "Navigating European Research Funding: From Horizon Europe to AI-Driven Tools for Proposal Success"

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## **Abstract**

In today's competitive research landscape, early-career researchers are required to navigate the complexities of European funding programs such as Horizon Europe, Life, and Erasmus+. This seminar is designed to equip PhD students with the essential skills needed to secure grants, covering everything from identifying funding opportunities to drafting effective proposals and organising international research consortia.

The seminar consists of three interactive sessions. The first session provides a comprehensive overview of key funding programs and effective proposal development techniques. The second session features a hands-on lab where participants will analyze the requirements of a mock call and draft a proposal, utilizing AI tools while considering ethical issues such as biases and data sensitivity. The final session allows for group feedback and discussion, enabling students to refine their proposals and deepen their understanding of the funding process.

Through active engagement in proposal development, students will gain valuable insights into the intricacies of securing European research funding.

**Reading**: <a href="https://commission.europa.eu/strategy-and-policy/priorities-2019-2024/europe-fit-digital-age">https://commission.europa.eu/strategy-and-policy/priorities-2019-2024/europe-fit-digital-age</a> en