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TREATme

Call for Applicants for Conference Grants EXTENDED
APPLY FOR CONFERENCES BEFORE END OF FEBRUARY 2019 NOW
COST Action CA16102 "European Network on Individualized Psychotherapy Treatment of Young People with Mental Disorders"

GENERAL INFO

About TREATME	The main aim of TREATME is to establish a sustainable European multidisciplinary researcher network focusing on individualized psychotherapy for young people with mental disorders. TREATME reviews the state of the art and identifies putative specific markers and mechanisms of change in different psychotherapy modalities, as well as suitable psychotherapy process and treatment measures, and study designs.
COST Webpage	http://www.cost.eu/COST_Actions/ca/CA16102

CONFERENCE GRANTs

aim to	supporting PhD students and ECI researchers from Participating ITC to attend international science and technology related conferences
eligible are	• exclusively for PhD students and ECI's[1] with a primary affiliation in an institution located in an ITC country[2] • oral/poster presentation at the conference, listed in the official event/conference program • subject of the oral presentation / poster must be on the topic of the Action and must acknowledge COST • Participation must be pre-approved by the Action MC • European conferences are preferred
Max. cost per ITC conference grant	2,500 €
Conference needs to take place	between May 1st 2018 and February 28th 2019

[1]Early Career Investigator (ECI) - A researcher within a time span of up to 8 years from the date they obtained the PhD/doctorate (full-time equivalent).

[2]Full list of ITC countries: http://www.cost.eu/about_cost/strategy/excellence-inclusiveness

HOW TO APPLY?

Send application to	jana.volkert@med.uni-heidelberg.de, applications will be reviewed by ITC review committee and forwarded to Action Chair for pre-approval in MC (i.e. before the conference).
ITC review committee	• TULBURE Bogdan Tudor (Romania) • RANGEL HENRIQUES Margarida (Portugal) • STEPISNIK Tjasa (Slovenia)
Application documents	• details of applicant (name, contact details, institution, stage of career) • details of conference (name, date and place) • abstract of conference contribution • description of how your conference contribution and the conference overall relates to TREATME, what are the benefits for the researcher in attending the conference?, what are the benefits for TREATME? (1 page max.) • documents about conference registration, registration fee, total estimated costs, acceptance of conference contribution
Evaluation criteria	a) Gender (to ensure balance) b) Research match with the TREATme aims and the conference contribution c) Quality of the submitted contribution (novelty and scientific quality of research questions, methodology) For criteria d and e: (1 = very low research match, no research question, low quality methodology; 10 = very high research match, specific, relevant research question, well-designed method) To avoid conflict of interest when evaluating the applications, evaluators, who work at the same place with the applicant will be excluded (in that case the applicant would be evaluated by the rest of the committee only). Priority will be given to those who have not received the Grant before.