

Associative Research Program



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Established in 2009 with the aim of coordinating different support instruments and initiatives for associative research and promotion of research centers of excellence.

Mission

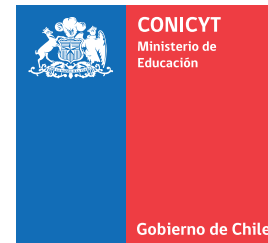
To promote the articulation and association of researchers, along with their connection to other national and/or international actors, by encouraging the creation and consolidation of scientific and technological groups and centers.

Lines of action

The Associative Research Program has three lines of action that offer support to:

- Groups (Teams) of Researchers
- Research and Development Centers
- Scientific and Technological Equipment

This way, the Associative Research Program strengthens and empowers the work of groups that are already established nationwide in fields of research of excellence, and makes a contribution to Chile's economy and competitiveness.



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Developing the Articulation and Collaborative Work of our Scientists



Funding Support Lines

TEAMS OF RESEARCHERS (Team Research Grants)

Team Research Grants in Science and Technology

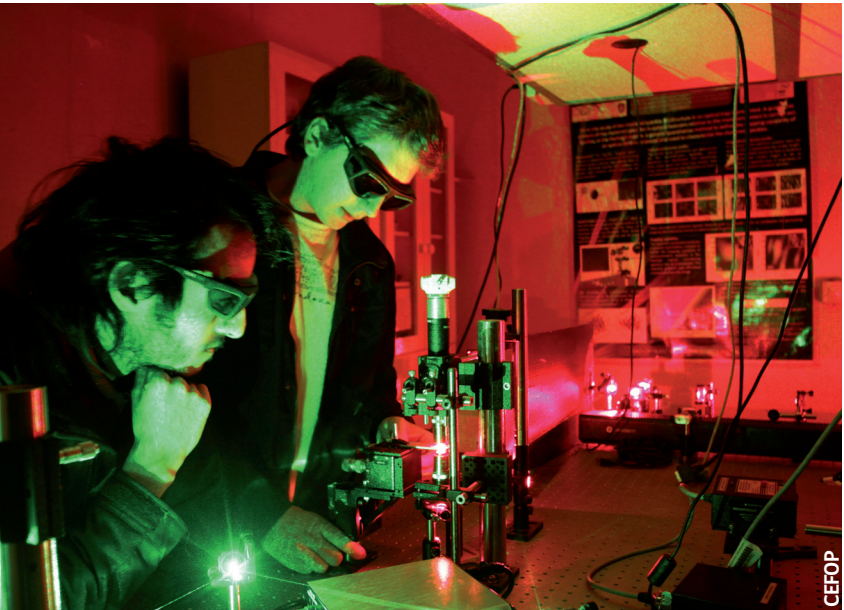
The goal is to promote Chilean scientific and technological development by funding research projects that are based on collaborative, comprehensive and multidisciplinary work. To this end, the establishment of scientific research groups (teams) is encouraged across fields at research institutions. The groups may apply individually or jointly, with the aim of strengthening science and technology as well as human capital development.

Team Research Grants in Social Sciences

The objective is to fund Social Sciences and Humanities research projects that can have a clear impact on Chile's economic and social development.

Team Research Grants in Antarctic Science

The aim is to promote the establishment of research groups (teams) based on collaborative, comprehensive and multidisciplinary work at institutions and universities. The goal would be to develop a critical mass of researchers that guarantees long-term stability and scientific impact in consolidating research lines in Antarctica and surrounding areas.



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RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (R+D) CENTERS

Scientific and Technological Centers of Excellence (Baseline Funding)

Aimed at strengthening the development and consolidation of research groups that are already established as Scientific and Technological Centers of Excellence whose research activities in science and technology contribute to make the Chilean economy more competitive.

There are 13 Centers that receive baseline funding:

- Center for Scientific Studies (CECS)
- Center for Mathematical Modeling (CMM)
- Center for Excellence in Astrophysics and Associated Technologies (CATA)
- Center for Aging and Regeneration (CARE)
- Science for Our Lives Foundation (FCV)
- Ecology and Biodiversity Institute (IEB)
- Technological Development Unit (UDT)
- Center for Oceanographic Research in the Eastern South Pacific (COPAS)
- Center for the Development of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (CEDENNA)
- Advanced Mining Technology Center (AMTC)
- Complex Engineering Systems Institute (ISCI)
- Scientific and Technological Center of Valparaíso (CCTVal)
- Center for Optics and Photonics (CEFOP)

Centers for Advanced Research in Education

The goal is to fund centers that conduct research of excellence in education, develop advanced human capital, generate innovation, and support public policies that improve the quality and equity of education in Chile.

Technological Research Consortia

The objective is to provide funds for the creation of research consortia that are sustainable and user-oriented, and that reach high levels of impact through the adoption, transfer, and commercialization of results.

Scientific and Technological Equipment

Service Centers for Shared Use of Major Scientific and Technological Equipment

Initiative that seeks to partly cover the equipment and major infrastructure needs of the National Science and Technology System, through the creation, strengthening and/or expansion of centers that supply equipment services adopting a shared use model.

