

## Announcement 1

### CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE FUNDING OF SHORT OVERSEAS STAYS FOR POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWS

**Alzheimer's Disease Research Unit (ADRU)  
CIEN Foundation – Reina Sofia Foundation**

#### Academic requirements

Degree or PhD in Medicine or in Biomedical Sciences

**Required Experience:** Research laboratory experience in the use of animal models, preferably in relation to the study of:

- 1) Mechanisms of neurodegeneration, OR
- 2) Early diagnosis and treatment of dementia

**Language:** Applicants should be fluent in English

#### Supporting documentation

**Curriculum Vitae** Including extract of academic degree, study field(s), and research interests

**Publications:** Research articles in peer-reviewed scientific journals

**Research projects:** Participation in research projects, especially in relation to the use of experimental models for neurodegeneration, or in translational or clinical research in neurodegeneration/dementia.

**OBJECT: Aim of the assistance:** Funding will be provided to finance stays of six months' duration, with the possibility of extension for a further six months. Successful applicants will take part in the Translational Neuroscience Program for studies on Alzheimer's disease and Parkinson's disease, at Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York.

**Period:** January 2009 – July 2009

**Requirements:** 1) Curriculum vitae  
2) Statement of research interests  
3) Letters of reference

**Requirement upon completion of stay:** Research report of activities carried out during the stay

**Total amount:** 16.000 €

Remuneration will be made as follows:

85%: As an advance payment for the first six months.

15%: Upon delivery of the final research report

**Board of examiners:** Evaluation of candidates will be carried out by a panel consisting of the Scientific Director of the ADRU and two persons appointed by FIS.

**Compatibility:** Funding is compatible with other types of funding and/or contracts for teaching and investigative purposes.