



Call for proposals MSHP Early-stage Researcher Award 2025

A call for proposals is open to **French or foreign junior researchers under 35**, currently completing a PhD or postdoctoral research.

Research may be carried out **in any area of the Human and Social Sciences**.

The Maison des Sciences de l'Homme du Pacifique (MSHP) wants to give junior researchers the opportunity to carry out a study or a preliminary investigation **in French Polynesia**.

Two fellowships will be awarded, each with a maximum amount of €5.000, to cover travel expenses (round trip to French Polynesia) and all or part of accommodation during the stay. The fellowship will be directly managed by the MSH-P.

Suitable candidates will be selected by the members of MSHP Laboratory Council. They will have to complete their projects **within 6 months** after being notified of the grant award at the end of April 2025.

They will be required to submit **a preliminary report within 1 month** after the end of their fieldwork, and **a final report no later than 1 year** afterwards, accompanied by **a draft publication in a well-regarded international journal**. Reports and publications will include the name of the MSH-P award.

To promote its research activities, the MSHP may organize any media event in the context of these awards by citing the names of the successful candidates and their subjects.

The application file will include :

- the completed form ;
- the candidate's CV ;
- a letter of recommendation from the PhD or postdoctoral supervisor is welcome

Application files must be sent to the MSHP secretariat (secretariat-mshp@upf.pf) **before April 14, 2025**.