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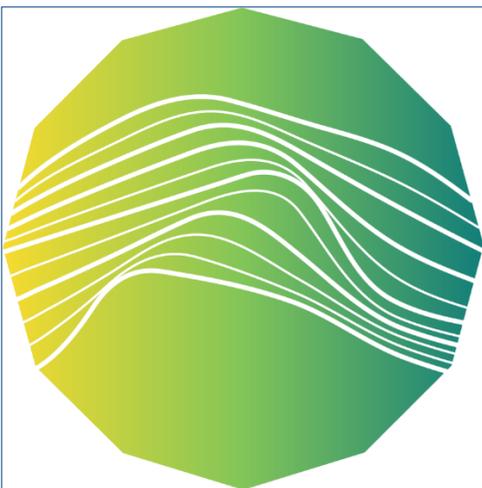
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The HBP is providing its expertise and skills to researchers and groups around the world through the EBRAINS Research Infrastructure Voucher Programme.

The Vouchers give researchers outside the project access to the EBRAINS services and its engineers; with the help of the engineers, the Voucher winners will be able to implement new infrastructure capabilities to solve specific problems not covered by the current RI toolset. The focus is on projects that will be relevant for using and/or contributing to the further development of EBRAINS services.

The aim is to meet the needs of the user community in a dynamic new way and to establish collaborations that pursue technology innovation and engineering solutions of mutual interest and benefit.

The deadline of this Call for applications for the EBRAINS Research Infrastructure Vouchers is 6 November 2020 17:00 Brussels time (CET).

The Call is open to all non-HBP researchers, with separate target groups from academic, non-academic research (including hospitals), industry and pharma (SMEs and companies).

Important note: While benefiting from tailor-made developments and solutions for their projects, Voucher winners will not receive any direct funding for their work from the HBP. The Vouchers fund the work of the EBRAINS engineering teams to implement the RI features requested by the Voucher winners.

The number of applications that an EBRAINS contact (PI and respective lab) can co-submit is limited to two. Should there be more requests, the EBRAINS contact will forward them to other partners within the HBP, if possible.

The size of each Voucher will depend on the personnel and travel costs required to realise the new RI capability and to allow for intensive exchange between the participants. The Vouchers are worth between 4 to 12 months of engineering/development time (maximum 12 Person Months, maximum duration 12 months), plus travel costs.

Interested applicants have to get in contact with the HBP already during the application process to work together with the EBRAINS engineers concerned to refine their proposals.

If you have any questions, please contact us at vouchers@humanbrainproject.eu.

For more information, please see the Guide for Applicants on the HBP Open Call Platform at: https://opencalls2.humanbrainproject.eu/call/ebrains-research-infrastructure-voucher-programme-call-2020.