

The Secretary

General Support Funds – Report for 2012

The purpose of the "General Support funds" is to support any activity related to EURO that cannot be funded by the other instruments of EURO.

Priority will be given to:

- bids that give special consideration to the need of students,
- bids that give special consideration to the need of organisers of OR events in Central and Eastern Europe,
- bids, that emanate from a member society of EURO or organisers of EURO sponsored events or organisers of events sponsored by a member society of EURO.

The budget for the General Support funds for 2012 was €10,000. Due to an error €10,500 was given to support different cases. There was only one deadline for submissions, which was September 1st. As all funding was not distributed after this deadline incoming proposals was basically investigated on a "first-come" principle.

Funds were allocated as follows:

- INOC 2013. €1000.
- UCM International Modelling Week. €1500.
- Workshop "Operations Research and Healthcare Systems", Portugal. €1000.
- International ECUBE Tutorial meeting. €500.
- 1st Workshop on Arc Routing Problems. €1500.
- EU/ME Working Group Meeting, and to the MCDA/M Summer School. €1500 in total.
- Europt 2013. €1500.
- SMMSO2013. €2000.

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