General Support Funds – Report for 2014

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 2014 was €10,000. In total, €9,500 was spend on six applications.

There was only one deadline for submissions, which was April 1st. After the deadline the first five project was awarded the funds applied for. Another project withdrew, as we could not make the funding that was necessary. Instead, the application for the MOSIM 2014 meeting was accepted in a second phase.

Funds were allocated as follows:

- GO IX. €2000.
- Teaching in OR – TEC workshop in Croatia, €1500.
- 10th Conference of Stochastic Models of Manufacturing and Service Operations – SMMSO 2015. €1500.
- Verolog 2014, Oslo. €1500.
- MOSIM 2014. €1000.

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