

General Support Fund – Report for 2024

The purpose of the “EURO General Support Fund” is to support any EURO-related activity that cannot be funded by the other instruments of EURO.

Priority will be given to:

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

The budget for the General Support Fund for 2024 was €20,000. We ended up spending a total of €20,275 given the number of strong proposals. In our new set up we focus on supporting events in the oncoming year(s), so not all events have taken place yet.

Funds were allocated as follows:

- OR and IE doctoral students colloquium (€3000)
- 5th SYSORM (Spanish Young Statisticians and Operational Researchers Meeting) (€2000)
- MESS 2024 (Metaheuristics Summer School) (€1000)
- JGA 2024 (Journées Graphes et Algorithmes) (€2000)
- Workshop on Variational Inequalities, Nash Equilibrium (€1000)
- ISCO 2024 (International Symposium of Combinatorial Optimisation) (€4000)
- Satellite Event on Ethics and OR, state of the art workshop (€400)
- Advanced Operations Research Summer School: Future Mobility: Optimizing user-centric transit networks under uncertainty (€2000)
- ORAHS and PATAT competition (€3675)

Best regards,



Jesper Larsen, Secretary of EURO

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