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### THE GRAIT AWARDS

The GRAIT Awards Program is an annual European and Middle East award to encourage clinicians and researchers to increase insight into immune thrombocytopenia (ITP) or to improve knowledge of the spleen tyrosine kinase (SYK) inhibition as a mechanism of action.

It provides financial support to the awarded scientists and clinicians who wish to undertake a research project that seeks to improve ITP awareness, diagnosis, clinical course, management or projects aimed to improve knowledge of SYK inhibition as a mechanism of action.

**We hope this program will enhance innovation in the pathology or management of the disease in general or in the mechanism of SYK inhibition, ultimately, to benefit patient care.**

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### ABOUT THE GRAIT AWARDS

The GRAIT Awards Program is particularly interested in innovative ideas in the field of ITP or in the mechanism of action of SYK inhibition.

Proposals aimed to provide novel insights into the diagnosis, clinical course, quality of life, management of ITP or to increase knowledge of SYK inhibition as a mechanism of action are invited to enter.

The GRAIT Awards Program offers 1 award of Eur 50,000 to the applicant (either an individual or a team) whose proposal best matches the program's objectives as assessed by an independent Review Committee.

The GRAIT Award Program aims to:

- Improve awareness, diagnosis, clinical course and management of ITP disease  
or
- Increase knowledge of SYK inhibition as a mechanism of action

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## WHO CAN APPLY

Scientists or clinicians with an innovative idea relevant to ITP or related to SYK inhibition as a mechanism of action are invited to apply. Applications are encouraged from both individuals and teams who may be undertaking research at universities, hospitals or independent research institutions in Europe and in Middle East.

- Applicants must submit an original research concept of basic or clinical research related to ITP (diagnosis, clinical course, quality of life, etc.) or related to the mechanism of action of SYK inhibition.
- Applicants must present a focused project with goals that can be achieved within 18 months.
- Studies sponsored by industry are excluded.

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## EVALUATIONS AND SELECTION OF RESEARCH PROPOSALS

Applications are evaluated based on four criteria:

- Scientific merit
- Innovation
- Clinical and medical impact
- Quality of research environment

The review committee will be looking for significant contributions to basic or clinical research in the field of ITP or SYK inhibition as a mechanism of action.

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## TIMELINES FOR THE GRAIT AWARD PROGRAM

Open for submission:  
**January 30, 2024**

Deadline for participation:  
**June 28, 2024**

Publication of awardee's name on the Grifols website:  
**December 15, 2024**

Additional information on the grant program, detailed timelines, the constitution of the review board, and the application process can be found on our website. For more detailed information on the GRAIT Award, please visit:  
<http://www.grait-awards.com>



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Alpha-1 -Antitrypsin  
Laurell's Training Award



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