

# UniDive 1st call for YRI conference grants applications (round 2)

YRI Conference grants are awarded by the Management Committee to young researchers and innovators affiliated in a COST member Country or a Near Neighbour Country (NNC), to present their own work (**poster/oral** presentation) at a high-level conference, not necessarily in a COST country.

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YRI Conference grants:

- help Young Researchers and Innovators to gain knowledge and to establish a strong network in the research community through sharing their work;
- increase the visibility of the Action;
- provide contribution for travelling, accommodation and subsistence expenses, registration fee, printing of scientific poster and overall effort.

**Applications** are submitted via the [e-COST portal](#) using the dedicated [forms](#) available. The content of the application shall include paper title, conference title, conference country, start and end date, budget requested by the applicant, as well as supporting documents: copy of the abstract of the accepted presentation, acceptance letter from the conference organizers, and a short explanation of the relevance of the paper to the UniDive Action. If the YRI conference grant is awarded, the authors must explicitly **acknowledge UniDive** in the paper, following [this model](#). Please, note that a **written report** must also be submitted via e-COST upon returning from the conference.

For more information on the YRI grants, see the [Annotated Rules for Cost Actions: Annex2](#). For more information on the application procedure, please consult the [Grant Awarding User Guide](#).

## Important dates:

- Application deadline: 24th April, 2025
- Notification: 30th April, 2025
- Conference dates: 1st May - 30th September, 2025

If you need more information, please do not hesitate to contact us. Best wishes, Nurit Melnik (nuritme@openu.ac.il) & Stella Markantonatou (marks@athenarc.gr) Grant Awarding Coordinators of UniDive COST action

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