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The **European Society of Radiology (ESR)** in cooperation with the **European Institute for Biomedical Imaging Research (EIBIR)** invites applications for the ESR Research Seed Grants 2020.

The purpose of this program is to stimulate and provide funding for innovative projects and pilot studies that will subsequently lead to larger studies and further funding applications.

Project proposals must align with the ESR Research Seed Grants thematic areas. **The funding priority 2020** is for research in **Artificial Intelligence** and **Cardiac Imaging**. Proposals at all stages of development are welcome. Topics within the fields of AI and Cardiac Imaging include, but are not limited to, the following:

Artificial Intelligence

- Data annotation
- Algorithm development
- Algorithm training
- Algorithm testing
- Algorithm validation

Cardiac Imaging

- Data preparation
- Data acquisition
- Image analysis
- Software testing
- Outcome analysis

Eligibility Criteria

The Call for Proposals is open to researchers of all ages working in a radiology department in a European country. Applicants must be members of the European Society of Radiology **(Become a member now!)**.

The project proposed should not have previously received funding from another grant or form part of another ongoing project application.

Funding

Applicants may request **seed grants amounting to €4,000-8,000** for a period not to exceed **12 months**. Up to 10 seed grants will be awarded in 2020. Recipients will be announced at ECR 2020 and will meet their programme mentors there too.

Key Dates

Application Deadline: January 15, 2020 (11:59 am CET)

Funding Period: April 1, 2020-March 31, 2021

Find more information and learn how to apply at [LINK](#)

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