

All about EDENE CALL#3, December 2022 - March 2023

- ✓ EDENE is a **H2020 European Programme**, i.e. with lots of administration and “**rules to follow**”. It is a **Marie Curie programme**, i.e. very demanding and oriented towards mobility, excellence.
- ✓ The Beneficiary of EDENE is the **University de Pau et des Pays de l’Adour, UPPA**, located in the SW of **France**.
- ✓ EDENE is participating to research projects in the fields of **ENERGY** and the **ENVIRONMENT**. **All disciplines studied at the UPPA are eligible**. Each PhD thesis is a project, with a **PhD student**, **PhD supervisors**, **potential partners**, and **places for secondments encouraged**.
- ✓ EDENE will favour close collaboration with **7 partners**:



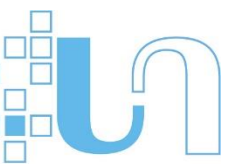
- ✓ The official starting date of the EDENE programme is **September 1st, 2021**
- ✓ The official ending date of the EDENE programme is **August 31st, 2026**
- ✓ **TOTAL DURATION: 60 months**

AGENDA of EDENE CALL#3 (Last CALL of the program!)

- ✓ **Opening of CALL#3: December 10, 2022**
- ✓ **Closure of CALL#3: March 13, 2023**
- ✓ **LINK to the platform for application: <https://aap.univ-pau.fr>**
- ✓ **EDENE CALL#3** is for starting **10 PhD topics on 1st Sept. 2023**
- ✓ CALL#3 will be publicized using **EURAXESS**, through **<http://www.univ-pau.fr/edene>** and many jobportals such as: *MSCA Jobportal, ABG, Adum, Campus France, Researchgate, FindaPhD, Academic positions, Academicjobsonline, SWE...*

THE ELIGIBILITY RULES ARE:

- ✓ Citizens of ALL nationalities are eligible to apply. **WARNING : applicants must not have resided or carried out their main activity in France for more than 12 months in the 3 years preceding the PhD start date (1st Sept. 2023)** (*supporting documents requested*)
- ✓ Entrance requirements: candidates must hold a Master’s degree (*or equivalent degree*) with outstanding records
- ✓ English language requirements: non-native speakers of English are required to provide proof of linguistic proficiency



- ✓ Required competencies: applicants are expected to show outstanding commitment connected to the research priorities of the laboratories.

THE FINANCIAL RULES ARE:

- ✓ The minimum **Gross Salary** of an EDENE PhD student **must be above € 2,709 per month. A MOBILITY allowance of 1000 Euros will be paid.** The EU brings, per PhD project, (€ 1,935+ € 325) / month for **living allowance** and **management costs**

- **Minimum gross SALARY for an EDENE Cohort#3 PhD student/month: 2912 €** (≈ 1670 net monthly salary before tax) *taking into account a possible salary increase that could take place in 2023*

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| TOTAL EMPLOYER COST (36 months) | € 104 832 |
| Total EUROPE | € 69 660 |
| Remaining costs (Co-funding) | € 35 172 |

*NB: it is not mandatory for the supervisor to find co-funding for the salary, **but that it is strongly encouraged.** This co-financing can be provided by academic, industrial partners or other institutions (Région Nouvelle-Aquitaine for example); Co-supervision agreements are possible.*

- The **RESEARCH COSTS** (including computer equipment, experimentation and mobility costs...) **are provided by the co-funder. A proof of co-funding will be asked to the Supervisor. The project partners (Aquitaine Science Transfert, Enedis, Naldeo, Pôle Avenia, TotalEnergies, Téréga) can be approached for co-funding; other partners (academic or industrial) can participate in the co-financing too.**

NB: for an experimental project, the total research costs are estimated to 50 000 euros; for a theoretical project, the total research costs are estimated to 13 500 euros

THE SELECTION RULES ARE:

- ✓ **1st step:** candidates have to contact the **Research Laboratories from the UPPA** in their field of interest, in order to find a supervisor and prepare their Research project: <https://recherche.univ-pau.fr/en/labs-and-expertise/research-laboratories.html>
- ✓ **2nd step:** **before the call deadline in March 2023, applicants must submit their Research project**, previously reviewed with the host laboratory, on the platform of application
- ✓ **3rd step:** candidates will be selected on the basis of the quality of their curriculum and the relevance of their project proposal. The selection of the best candidates will be carried out by committees involved in the different stages of the process
- ✓ **Interview** – the best-ranked proposals will be short-listed (up to 40) for interviews; the candidate will be invited to defend her/his project in front of the **Selection Committee**

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