

DECISION DOCUMENT
on co-funding of Slovak – Serbian mobility projects
in the period 2022 - 2023
held by correspondence in 2022

I. Introduction

Based on the Agreement between the Government of the Slovak Republic and the Federal Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia on Scientific and Technological Cooperation signed on February 26, 2001 in Bratislava and on the Call for joint projects supporting cooperation between organizations in the Slovak Republic and the Republic of Serbia announced by the Slovak Research and Development Agency (SRDA) and by the Ministry of Education, Science, and Technological of Serbia Development in April 2021, the two Parties realize:

II. Evaluation of joint Slovak – Serbian project proposals

The Slovak Party received 58 (fifty-eight) proposals for joint mobility projects, 5 (five.) of them did not pass formal conditions. The Serbian Party received 64 (sixty-four) proposals for joint research projects; 11 (eleven) of them did not pass formal conditions.

The project proposals were peer reviewed by each Party.

53 (fifty-three) project proposals were thus considered for co-funding.

III. Approval of joint Slovak – Serbian projects for funding in 2022 - 2023

Based on the results of the evaluation of the project proposals both Parties came to an agreement that according to the peer review screening **17 (seventeen)** projects listed in Annex I, which is an integral part of this Decision Document, shall be jointly funded for the period of maximum two years. The research mobility exchanges for both parties should be finished up to December 31, 2023 at the latest.

IV. Administrative conditions of cooperation

Both Parties reviewed the administrative and financial terms and conditions of the bilateral S&T cooperation.

4.1. The administrative terms

Both Parties agreed that the project leader should submit a report on the Slovak Side to the Slovak Research and Development Agency and on the Serbian Side to the Ministry of Education, Science, and Technological Development of Serbia. Both sides will review the performance of the project and propose a framework for future cooperation. The results of cooperation are subject to the laws and practices applicable to each Party and jointly agreed.

4.2. The financial terms

The following financial terms shall be applicable to each approved project:

The Slovak Party will provide funding for a maximum **2 350 €**/calendar year/project; and **4 700 €** for project duration/project. Slovak Research and Development Agency (SRDA) will provide the finance for supported projects.

The Serbian Party will provide funding for a maximum **2000 €**/calendar year/project; and **4000 €** for whole project duration. The Ministry of Education, Science, and Technological Development of Serbia will provide the finance for supported projects.

In the case that either of the Parties is not able to provide financial support for a certain project/projects within the foreseen funding period 2022-2023, the Party in question will inform the other Party of this situation in written form no later than 1 month.

V. The National Institutions in charge of coordination and implementation of this Decision Document are:

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ANNEX 1

	Project title	Slovak organisation	Slovak principal investigator	Serbian organisation	Serbian principal investigator
1.	Advanced modelling of real materials and phenomena using the fractional-order wave equation	Technická univerzita v Košiciach	Tomáš Škovránek	University of Novi Sad, Faculty of Sciences	Sanja Konjik
2.	In vitro estimation of pharmacokinetic properties and molecular modelling – an integrated approach to the development of more efficient ALR2 inhibitors as potential drugs to treat diabetic complications	Univerzita Komenského v Bratislave	Andrej Boháč	University of Belgrade, Faculty of Pharmacy	Vladimir Dobričić
3.	Green approaches in plant metabolites and dietary supplements electroanalysis	Slovenská technická univerzita v Bratislave	Ľubomír Švorc	University of Belgrade, Faculty of Chemistry	Dalibor Stanković
4.	Antibacterial polymer coatings for global application	Ústav polymérov SAV	Mária Kováčová	Institute of Nuclear Sciences „Vinča“, University of Belgrade	Zoran Marković
5.	Literature in a processes of cultural-ethnic self-identification of the Slovak community in Serbia	Ústav slovenskej literatúry SAV	Dana Hučková	University of Belgrade, Faculty of Philology	Zuzana Čížikova
6.	Eco-friendly Self Reacting Friction Stir Welding of Al-alloys Aftertreated with Laser Shock Peening	Trenčianska univerzita Alexandra Dubčeka v Trenčíne	Jozef Majerik	University of Novi Sad, Faculty of Technical Sciences	Sebastian Baloš
7.	Implementation Security of Neural Networks	Slovenská technická univerzita v Bratislave	Hou Xiaolu	University of Novi Sad, Faculty of Technical Sciences	Mladen Kovačević
8.	The magnetic thermoresponsive nanogel: a versatile platform for nanodelivery systems in biomedicine	Univerzita Pavla Jozefa Šafárika v Košiciach	Adriana Zelenakova	Institute for Nuclear Sciences „Vinča“, University of Belgrade	Ana Mraković
9.	New lectins for glycan analysis with diagnostic, biomedicine and biotechnological applications	Chemický ústav SAV	Jaroslav Katrík	Institute for the Application of Nuclear Energy, University of Belgrade	Dragana Robajac

