

Masaryk University




- 2nd largest university in CZ (staff > 4,000 FTE; 31,700 students; 10 faculties; 2 institutes)
- host to 9 ERC PIs (2 of them did not apply with MUNI)
- 2 PE; 3 LS; 4 SH / 3 StG; 5 CoG; 1 AdG
- >25% of H2020 funding to MUNI came from ERC
- hosted only 1 ERC funded by FP7

Masaryk University: a tale of synergies

2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020

ERC establishment: 2007

2005-2014:  **CEITEC**
Surge of investments into
R&I infrastructures (ESIF)

2014-:
Horizon WIDENING programmes
(Twinning, Teaming, ERA Chairs)

2010-2015:
Complementary HR
Internationalization (ESIF)

2018-:
HRS4R process
(ESIF)

CEITEC/GAMU
ERC Support
Scheme

GAMU Support
Programme (MASH,
frontier research)

Masaryk University: challenge #1

- HR policy (not under central control)
- inbreeding (no open recruitment)
- position of new / young PIs (lack of funding, support, independence)