LABEX WHO AM I? - 2018 POST-DOC CALL

The Who Am I? transdisciplinary Mentoring Program aims at financing innovative and cross-disciplinary post-doctoral project focusing on the identity question and specifically on the Who Am I? scientific objectives.

**Eligibility:** Submitted proposals should enter one of the following categories:

**Category 1:** Collaborative project: involving at least two research teams from two different partner institutes of the Labex Who Am I?. Each team should be a member of the Who Am I? consortium. Interdisciplinary projects involving social sciences are encouraged.

**Category 2:** Single-team Project: innovative proposals that are specifically aimed at strengthening the focused scientific axes of the Labex renewal project:

- Maintenance, homeostasis and integrity
- Plasticity and changes in identity
- Impact of the external environment on identity

**Category 3:** Proof-of-Concept project: inventive research with potential societal or commercial application. Proposal should include: innovation potential, foreseen benefits and uses as well as IP plan of the discovery to be taken to the proof-of-concept, before further development towards a transfer (to Industry, Editor, etc...) which might be supported by the SATT IDF-Innov.

**Evaluation procedure:**

- **Scientific project evaluation Step 1:** the Who Am I? executive committee will pre-select scientific proposals.
- **Scientific project evaluation Step 2:** Pre-selected proposals will be evaluated by either the Who Am I? Scientific Advisory Board or the Who Am I? Technology Transfer Committee (for the Proof-of-Concept projects).
- **Post-doctoral candidate selection:** Applications of the post-doctoral candidate proposed by the team(s) for the selected project will be evaluated by the executive committee.

**Evaluation criteria:**

- The scientific quality of the project
- The relevance to identity and to strengthening the Who Am I? scientific objectives
- The feasibility of the proposal given the allocated budget and time
- High-risk collaborative projects spanning different disciplines are encouraged

**Funding:** post-doctoral fellow salary (senior or junior level, depending on the experience)

**Max Duration:** 2 years

**Deadline** The research proposal (see below) should be submitted before February 21, 2018
Research proposal (max. 4 pages)

Names of the PI(s):
Who Am I? team(s):
Host institution(s):

Title and category (1, 2 or 3) of the project:

1) State of the art
2) General objective of the project
3) Relevance to identity and to Who Am I? scientific themes
4) Preliminary results
5) Specific objectives, research plan and methodology
6) Tentative agenda
7) Expected results and outcomes
8) 5 major publications (recent) of each team involved in the project

Application should be sent by email to: pauline.andreu@univ-paris-diderot.fr
If the scientific proposal is selected, the implicated team(s) should then identify a post-doctoral candidate and submit its application to the Who Am I? Executive Committee (EC). Please note that the post-doctoral candidate must be identified and validated by the EC within the six months following the notification of the call results.

Interested candidates should submit:

- CV (1 page)
- List of publications
- Motivation letter
- 3 letters of reference