The Spanish National Research Council (CSIC) offers a variety of training and specialization programs that you can access based on your academic level.
1. UNDERGRADUE

**Degree students**

- **CSIC-Universities agreements**
  - Internships and Final degree project (DFP) carried out at CSIC’s research institutes
  - Traineeships for students through Erasmus+ programme

2. MASTER

**Postgraduate students**

- **Introduction to research fellowships: CSIC’s JAE Intro Programme**
  - Funded training period
  - Annual call
  - Two months mentored research training at CSIC’s research institutes

- **Student internship at CSIC’s Severo Ochoa Centres of Excellence**
  - Funded training period

- **Academic alliance UIMP-CSIC**
  - Official master’s degree led by CSIC’s researchers

- **Participation in masters**
  - Stable collaboration of CSIC’s researchers in masters from several universities

- **CSIC-Universities agreements**
  - Master internships and Master’s Degree Final Project at CSIC’s research institutes

- **Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degrees**

**Degree scholarships**

- Financial aids of the Spanish Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport (MECD) for undergraduate studies

**Master scholarships**

- MECD’s aids, UIMP’s excellence grants, foundations and international organizations
DOCTORATE (PhD)

Graduated students with 300 credits (ECTS)

Carrying out the doctoral thesis at the CSIC
- Led by a CSIC’s researcher
- Made in a CSIC’s research institute
- Remunerated with external or internal funding

CSIC-UIMP’s PhD programme
- PhD in Science and Technology
- Cross training courses for PhD students (entrepreneurship, ethics, skills, etc.)

CSIC-Universities agreements
- Carrying out a doctorate’s internship at CSIC’s research institutes

Predoctoral contracts
- External funding
  - Predoctoral contracts for PhD Programmes: MINECO, MECD, CCAA, foundations
  - EU funding (Early Stage Researcher): ITN-MSCA, EURAXESS offers http://bit.ly/1XwfcmG
- Internal funding
  - Predoctoral contracts associated to CSIC’s research projects through Employment opportunities (Job Bank) www.csic.es

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Postdoctoral contracts
- Juan de la Cierva and Ramón y Cajal calls (MINECO); from autonomous regions (IKERBASQUE, ICREA, ARAID and Oportunius), from foundations (Seneca Foundation), international organizations, etc.
- Temporary contracts associated with research projects
  - Through CSIC’s Employment opportunities (Job Bank) www.csic.es
  - Through self-contracting projects: European Research Council (ERC) Starting Grants, Consolidator Grants and Advanced Grants; ComFuturo project (FGCSIC) and R&D&I for young researchers without linkage or temporal link (MINECO)

Open Competition to work as a researcher public servant in the CSIC
- Public employment offers

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