

F.A.Q – 2025 Doctoral Fellowship Call for Proposals

1. **Can I maintain a professional activity alongside my doctoral research?**
 - Yes, provided this is permitted by the institution responsible for implementing the doctoral contract.
2. **Can the scientific coordinator be different from the thesis supervisor?**
 - Yes, but in such cases, the organizational structure and the supervision arrangements must be clearly detailed in the project description.
3. **Will the doctoral candidate have access to the French Minds databases?**
 - Yes, the candidate will be granted access to data from the French Minds cohort. However, the project must not rely on data that are not yet available.
4. **Are projects in the field of addiction studies eligible?**
 - No, the doctoral project must focus on one of the four major psychiatric disorders: bipolar disorders, treatment-resistant depression, schizophrenia, or autism spectrum disorders.
5. **Do the documents required for the application have to be written in English?**
 - Yes, since the evaluation panel consists of international experts, all documents submitted as part of the application must be written in English