Subsequent Funding

For successfully concluded initiatives already supported by BaCaTeC, there is an opportunity for subsequent funding to facilitate these projects in expanding and in recruiting other, more extensive funding through third party sponsors.

Funding proposals should demonstrate concrete plans and may not exceed a maximal sum of € 20,000. BaCaTeC stipulations restricting travel expenses do not apply.

The annual deadlines for applications are April 15th and October 15th of each year. See more information at: www.bacatec.de/en/anschlussfoerderung.html.

Application forms: www.bacatec.org
The Bavaria California Technology Center

The mission of the Bavaria California Technology Center, BaCaTeC, is to expand and promote cooperation between researchers in Bavaria and California, whether academically or commercially based.

The center provides information to assist the identification of potential partners and facilitates the establishment of contact with its Scientist Contact Exchange online at www.bacatec.org.

Of strong emphasis in BaCaTeC's operations is the identification of promising research projects with the potential to attract future external funding. BaCaTeC sponsors seed money for select projects in the high-tech-areas mentioned on the back side.

Founded in the summer of 2000 under sponsorship of the Bavarian governor, the BaCaTeC serves as a key element of the framework program "High-Tech-Offensive Zukunft Bayern". As a central institution of the Bavarian universities, BaCaTeC is headquartered at the Friedrich-Alexander-University in Erlangen-Nuremberg.

Project based exchange of scientists

Research proposals for collaborative projects by academic and/or commercial Bavarian and Californian institutions will be considered for support.

Initial funding provided by BaCaTeC is intended to mainly cover travel expenses. Research projects must already have basic funding.

The upper limit of financial support from BaCaTeC is € 10,000 per project. The annual deadlines for applications are April 15th and October 15th of each year. Application forms are available online at www.bacatec.org.

Wolfgang Hillen Summer School:* High-Tech for students from Bavaria and California

Each year BaCaTeC also funds the organization of a summer school for graduate and undergraduate students. BaCaTeC covers travel and accommodation expenses of speakers as well as stipends for students. Participating universities and institutions are expected to share in the expenses.

Applications including topic, estimated expenses and a schedule outline are accepted by BaCaTeC until October 15th of each year by e-mail, letter or fax. Proposals may be submitted informally or using an application form available at www.bacatec.org.

* In memory of the founder and longtime spokesperson of BaCaTeC Wolfgang Hillen, who died in 2010.