

Minimal eligibility standards for the project leader and the evaluators

a) For fields outside the humanities and social sciences

To have published, in the period 2001 – 2011, as a main author (see Appendix 5 - Definitions), articles in journals with a relative influence score¹ not less than 0.5, and with a cumulated relative influence score of not less than 1. These articles must be published in journal indexed in the Web of Science database, labeled with the document type *article* or *review*.

b) For the social sciences (see Appendix 4 – Scientific Domains)

To have accumulated at least 50 points from published works after January 1st 2001, from the following categories:

1. Books published as author or co-author: 60 points per book;
2. Chapters published as author or co-author in collective volumes: 30 points per chapter;
3. Articles published as the main author (see Appendix 5) in journals with a relative influence score¹ not less than 0,25. These articles must be published in journals indexed in the Web of Science, labeled with the document type article, review or proceedings paper. For each such article, points are obtained as follows: 50 points × relative influence score.

For categories 1 and 2: will be considered only works available in at least 3 libraries of higher education institutions from the other member states of the European Union, or from the member states of the Organisation of Economic Cooperation and Development, indexed in the worldwide catalogue WorldCat (available at www.worldcat.org²).

c) For the humanities (see Appendix 4 – Scientific Domains)

To have accumulated at least 50 points from works published after January 1st 2001, from the following categories:

1. Reference works for the humanities (authored books, dictionaries/encyclopaedias, particularly difficult critical editions³), published at publishing houses from outside of Romania and of the Republic of Moldova, in major international languages (see Appendix 5). These works must be available in at least 3 libraries of higher education institutions from other member states of the European Union or from member states of the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and

¹ The relative influence score is defined in Appendix 5 and is available on the UEFISCDI website www.uefiscdi.gov.ro

² In order to determine the number of libraries, after searching for the work in WorldCat, you must fill out the “Enter your location” field with a city name such as “Paris”, since WorldCat does not recognize Romanian cities.

³ By „particularly difficult critical edition” is meant the publishing of a volume which contains sources relevant for at least one discipline in the humanities, and whose origins are not restricted to a certain period if they consist of manuscripts, but which date to before 1800 for printed texts, and the editing work involved at least 2 of the following activities: 1. the (re)establishment of the text by the critical comparison of several versions; 2. the (re)translation of the original text and editing it bilingually, by using rare paleographic/epigraphic/linguistic knowledge (by which one means the knowledge of languages particular to civilizations from the antiquity or the middle ages, or from the early modern period); 3. the elaboration of an introductory contextualizing study or of an ample series of explicative notes.

Development, indexed in the worldwide catalog WorldCat (disponibil la www.worldcat.org): 100 point per work.

2. Reference works for humanities published at publishing houses in Romania or the Republic of Moldova (authored books, dictionaries/encyclopaedias, particularly difficult critical editions³). These works must be indexed in the world catalogue WorldCat. Maximum 2 works may be considered from this category: 20 points per work.

3. Studies published in journals indexed in the Arts & Humanities Citation Index sau included in the European Reference Index for Humanities (ERIH), categories A or B (www.esf.org/research-areas/humanities/erih-european-reference-index-for-the-humanities.html), or chapters authored in collective volumes edited in major international languages, or volumes edited in major international languages. The collective volumes must be found in not less than 3 libraries of higher education institutions from other member states of the European Union, or member states of the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development, indexed in the worldwide catalogue WorldCat: 10 points per study, chapter or volume editate