

The Deputy Vice-Chairman

Marseille, 2018 February 02nd

Object : Labelling of 3 pre-maturation projects

Ladies and Gentlemen,

In coordination with SATT Sud-Est, CNRS, Inserm and Inserm Transfert, the Institut Carnot STAR and the Cancéropôle PACA, the A*Midex Foundation is committed to supporting the pre-maturation of projects with high potential for valuation, in order to promote technology transfers to industry or the creation of companies, based on the results from academic laboratories.

The objective of this new experimental scheme is 1) to support emerging projects that will have an impact on the Aix-Marseille site, 2) to build a continuum of financing, up to the point of obtaining valuable technological assets.

During the first pre-maturation project review committee, 9 projects submitted were evaluated. Based on the recommendations of this committee, the A*Midex steering committee of 2018 January 22nd approved 3 projects for a budget of 150,000 €.

Winning projects :

- **DiagLect : diagnostic précoce des troubles de la lecture**, projet porté par Stéphanie DUCROT (Laboratoire Parole et Langage,UMR7309), lauréate des Women Innovation Awards 2017.
- **Lymphotoxine alpha** , projet porté par Mme Magali IRLA (CIML, UMR 7280)
- **REDCELL-Test : suivi personnalisé de patients drépanocytaires**, projet porté par Annie VIALLAT (CINaM, UMR7325)

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