The Instituto Gulbenkian de Ciência (IGC) is a private institute devoted to basic biological and biomedical research, and to graduate training. The IGC was set up by the Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation, a Portuguese private institution of general public utility, in 1961.

RESEARCH at the IGC is organism centred and hypothesis driven.

AREAS of RESEARCH:
- Evolutionary Biology
- Cell Cycle, Aging & Cancer
- Inflammation, Immunity & Auto-immunity
- Host-pathogen Interactions
- Disease Genetics
- Developmental Biology
- Plant Biology
- Theoretical & Computational Biology
- Neurosciences

The IGC pioneered GRADUATE EDUCATION.

Who are the PEOPLE at IGC?

Data as of March 2016

- 394 people work at IGC
- 32 Nationalities
  - 290 Portugal
  - 104 Other countries
- 37 Average age

RESEARCH Groups

Data as of March 2016

- 42 Internal
- 29 External

Associated Groups

Data as of March 2016

- 2 PhD programmes running in 2016
- 10 PhD programmes
- ~ 80 speakers/year/programme
- ~ 10 students/year/programme

SCIENTIFIC COMMUNICATION

In the last 5 years,
- 730 Scientific Publications
- 2000 Scientific Publications
- 3000 Citations

Competitive AWARDS secured by IGC researchers

Data as of March 2016

- EU Framework Programmes (Including European Research Council)
- Howard Hughes Medical Institute (USA)
- Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (USA)
- Human Frontiers Science Programme
- Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia (Portugal)
- Other sources

57% of IGC budget is secured through competitive grant awards of national and International, public and private funding agencies. Since 2004, IGC researchers have secured more than 300 grants from: