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EATRIS Appoints 7 EATRIS Expert Centres

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We are pleased to announce that EATRIS, the European infrastructure for translational medicine, has appointed 7 Expert Centres, to provide high value added services historically offered by EATRIS Coordination and Support. Those expert services that are complementary to the existing laboratory research services offered by EATRIS institutions cover crucial areas such as innovation management, regulatory strategy, translational feasibility, and early health technology assessment. With 7 newly appointed Expert Centres, EATRIS will continue serving Europe's translational research efforts and growing demand for expert services.

The nomination of the 7 expert centres followed the adoption of the *General Framework for the Decentralised Implementation of Expert Services* by the EATRIS Board of Governors on 10 May 2022. All 7 institutions were selected based on their track records and expertise supporting innovation of Translational Research projects. They all signed the *EATRIS Decentralised Expert Services Agreement (DESA)*, providing the framework for services offering on behalf of EATRIS-ERIC.

The institutions that were appointed as 'EATRIS Expert Centres' were:

1. [Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore](#), Italy.
2. [Association for Innovation and Biomedical Research on Light and Image \(AIBILI\)](#), Portugal.
3. [Instituto Pedro Nunes \(IPN\)](#), Portugal.
4. [Istituto Mario Negri, Istituto di Ricerche Farmacologiche Mario Negri](#), IRCCS, Italy.
5. [The Bellvitge Biomedical Research Institute \(IDIBELL\)](#), Spain.
6. [Germans Trias i Pujol Research Institute \(IGTP\)](#), Spain.
7. [Instituto de Medicina Molecular João Lobo Antunes \(IMM\)](#), Portugal.

We expect to launch similar calls of this nature in the future.

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