

# PAVING THE FUTURE



RAMON MOLINAS  
FOUNDATION

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## **THE FOUNDATION**

The Ramon Molinas Foundation (RMF) was founded in 2012 with the aim of being a useful tool for people and society. In order to achieve this aim, the activities of RMF are organised into two areas: education and research on the one hand, and community action on the other. These fields provide help to those students and graduates who lack the resources needed to develop their talent, and on the other hand, to promote the integration of disadvantaged people, especially with regard to access to technology.

The Ramon Molinas Foundation activities include the promotion of, collaboration with and participation in initiatives of a scientific, technological or social nature. Awards, grants and subsidies will be created for institutions and people to be able to undertake research projects, studies or programmes that are in keeping with the areas in which the Foundation is active. It also involves the promotion of, participation in and collaboration with courses, seminars, conferences, meetings and other events related to scientific research, technology and community action.

The vision of the RMF is to become a foundation of reference and example of best practices in the area of community action and technological and scientific innovation.

### **Values**

#### **Innovation**

An **innovative spirit** is one of the cornerstones of the RMF. With scientific and technological development in its sights, the Foundation seeks to generate the synergies and ideas required to foster progress amongst people and society.

#### **Learning, collaboration and tenacity**

New things are discovered every day. What the Ramon Molinas Foundation pursues is **learning** based on **collaboration**, **tenacity**, initiative and curiosity. Keeping an open mind is the way to take advantage of every possible solution in order to reinvent the present for a better future.

#### **Service to society and optimism**

The RMF aims to **satisfy the needs of society** with great enthusiasm and **optimism**, prioritizing our choice of projects in order to maximize our impact.

## **AREAS OF ACTIVITY**

### **Education and research**

The Ramon Molinas Foundation, through its education and research programme, is committed to investment in the education of emerging bright minds. The aim is to help extend the knowledge of students and university graduates in order for them to be able to develop their full potential. The RMF's activity in this area is based around three types of grant (postgraduate, masters and doctorate) and the creation of a series of awards.

### **Community action**

The Ramon Molinas Foundation, through its community action programme, is committed to the society to which it belongs, and has set up different initiatives to reduce the inequality suffered by the most underprivileged people and groups. In order to foster social integration, the RMF provides training, supplies the necessary materials by collaborating financially through its own programmes or by establishing synergies with distinguished actors in the sector.

The community action area wishes to focus special attention on inequalities associated with access to technology that accentuate the so-called digital divide, and that generates a further form of exclusion.



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