



Enjoy your project

SYNAPSE is a firm specialized in the management of research and development projects in the biomedical sector, working with companies at both national and international levels (pharmaceutical companies, biotechnology companies, research centres, academia, hospitals, etc).

Our partners' goal is to attract and lead large research projects in the biomedical sector for which they need professional and specialised managerial support.

SYNAPSE focuses on research projects that are highly innovative, large, ambitious (with several million Euros funding), distributed (built on the collaboration of several institutions) and internationally oriented (with broad expertise in projects funded by the European Commission).

Services

SYNAPSE activities are focused on:

- Management of research and development projects (especially European projects), including admin and financial aspects, work plan follow-up, legal, and risk management, among others.
- Organization and implementation of training activities on research project management.

- Communication and dissemination of research activities and results.
- Assessment on valorisation of project results, IP strategy and innovation.
- Project Management coaching. **SYNAPSE** provides critical review of proposals and ongoing projects, identifying strengths and weaknesses and providing feedback and recommendations for improvement.

Our activities cover the whole project life-cycle, spanning from the project design, proposal preparation, negotiation, implementation, closing of the project and valorisation of results.

Founders

CARLOS DÍAZ. Project director with over 15-year experience managing large projects for the CNM-CSIC, the Fundació IMIM and currently through **SYNAPSE** for several pharmaceutical companies and research centres worldwide. He has been managing director of the CREAL Research Centre.

EVA MOLERO. Director of business development at **SYNAPSE**, project manager specialized in the legal and intellectual property aspects of research projects, and communication of the research results.

Without ideas there is nothing.



Partners & Projects

SYNAPSE's professionals have a track record of over 15 years in international collaboration projects, with special attention to EC-funded projects since FP3, including ESPRIT, INCO, LIFE, IST, ICT, HEALTH, ENV, NMP, and IMI JU among other programmes, directly supporting the co-ordinators of 8 running FP7 and IMI projects.

SYNAPSE regularly provides support to a variety of research institutions, companies and public agencies on project proposal preparation, negotiation, execution and exploitation. Collaborators include top-level researchers in e.g. UK, Spain, Netherlands, Switzerland and Italy, both from academia and industry. **SYNAPSE** manages two major national biomedical projects.

Leveraging your leadership.