

VR/AR/XR Lab Access Rates

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The VR/AR/XR Lab has historically been only used by i2CAT as an internal resource, or by other organizations in the context of funded research/innovation programmes (e.g. H2020 or Horizon Europe). During the last years i2CAT has been progressively opening the use of the VR/AR/XR Lab to third parties that can benefit of the infrastructure and services provided by the Lab.

As of today, the VR/AR/XR lab offering is not mature enough to allow for completely well-defined services with closed rates. Currently each experimental request is treated as an individual project. Hence, the requester organization and i2CAT work together to define the scope of the experiment and produce a project plan that is next budgeted according to the following concepts:

- **Personnel effort.** The number of hours that the i2CAT personnel will devote to produce a low-level design, implementation, and execution of the experiment at the VR/AR/XR lab. The hourly rates calculations will consider both the experience of the employees (Junior, Professional, Senior) as well as their profile (infrastructure operator, scientific / research consultant).
- **Acquisition of consumables.** In case the experiment requires the acquisition of consumables that will be fully devoted to the experiment's execution, i2CAT will carry out the related purchases and charge the costs to the requesting organization.
- **Travel.** In case the experiment involves travel expenses, they will be charged to the requesting organization.

i2CAT will apply discounted personnel hourly rates to all the research centres belonging to the CERCA system.