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# Funding for researchers

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# National Target

**“I am confident that Ireland will be in a position to target up to €1 billion euro in research and technology funding under the new Programme over the next six years. We need to set ambitious targets in ensuring that we maximise our drawdown of productive, job creating funds from Europe....”**

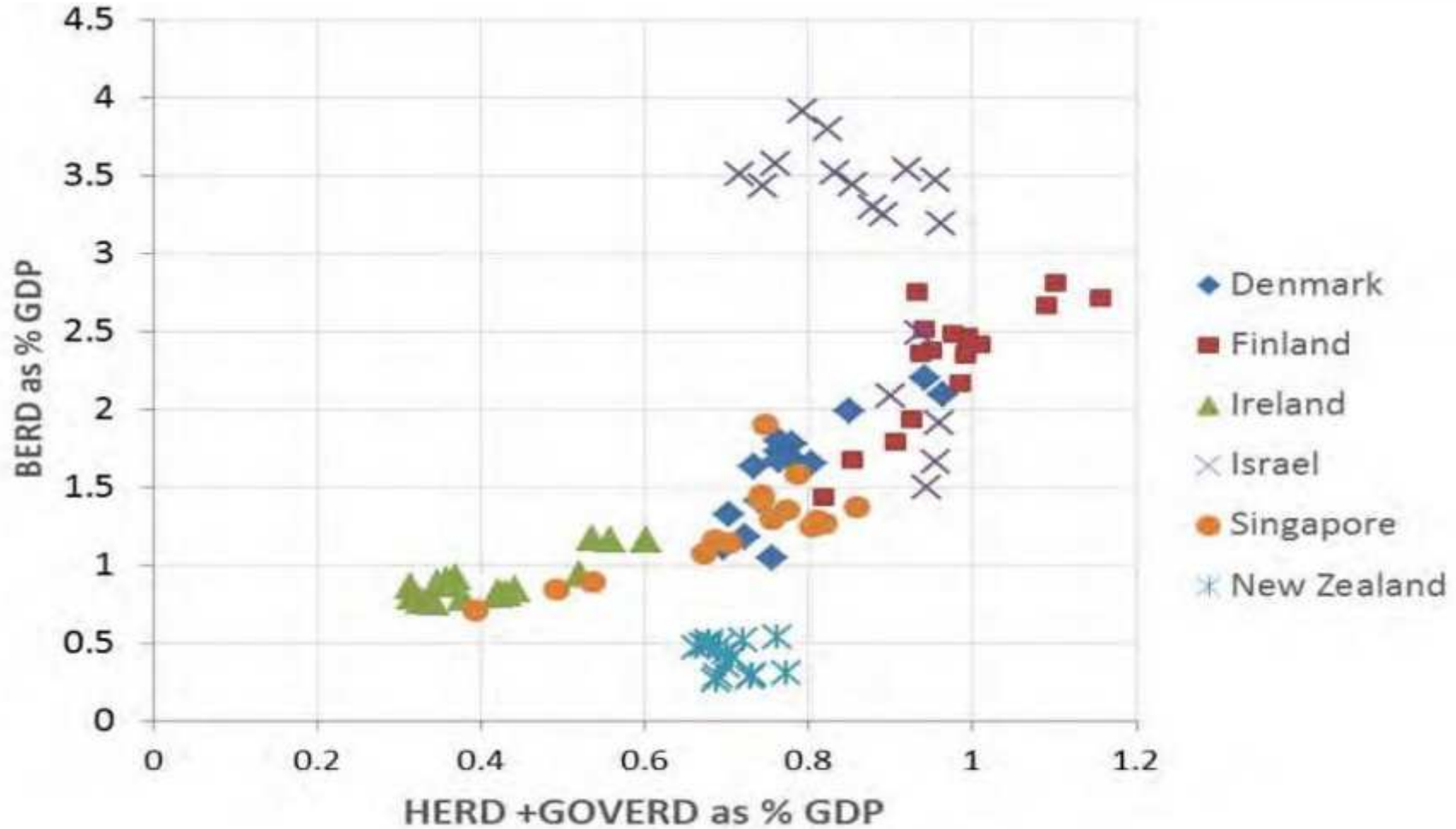
**Minister Sean Sherlock TD**

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# Six Small Advanced Nations

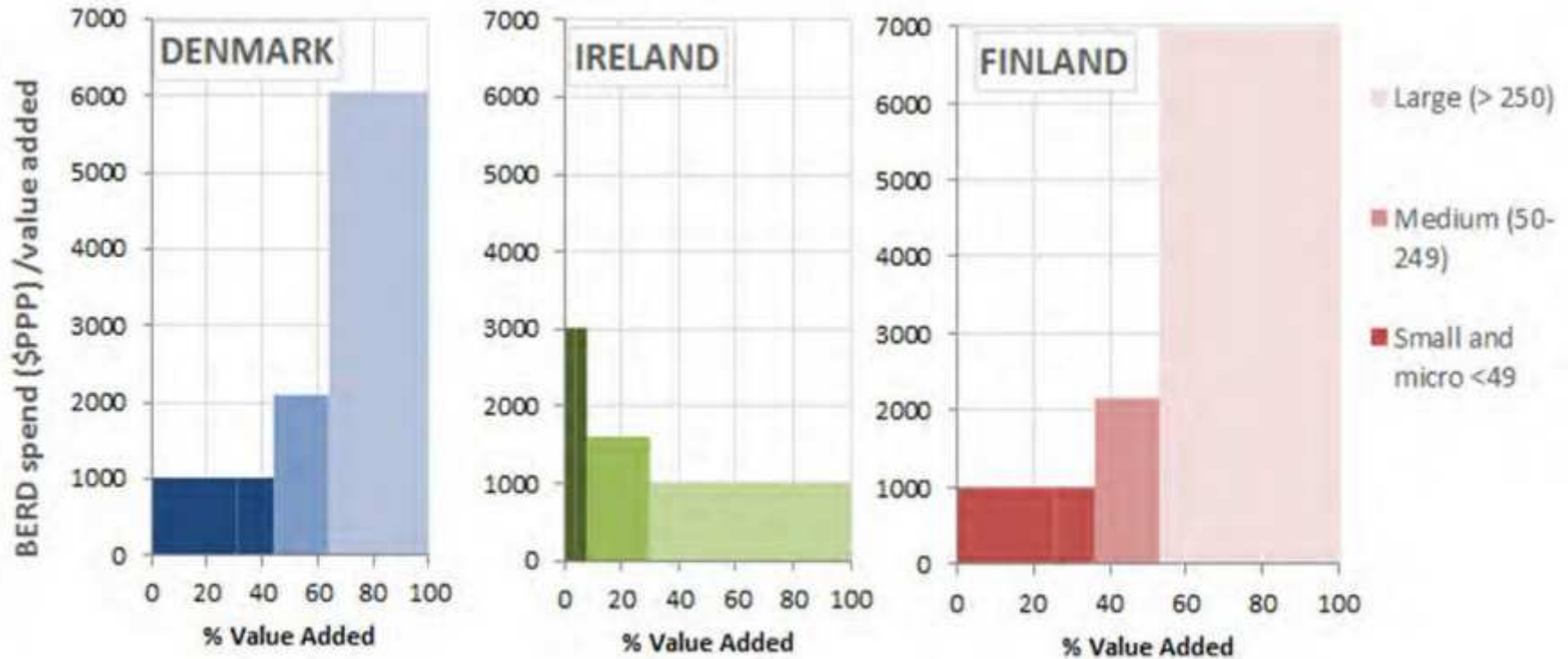


Comparison of private R&D expenditure (BERD) versus public R&D expenditure (HERD & GOVERD) as a % of GDP

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# Six Small Advanced Nations



Spend on R&D per unit of value added to GDP, split by enterprise size  
Note the major opportunity for Ireland in large companies

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# Available funding

## Exchequer

Science Foundation Ireland  
Irish Research Council  
Enterprise Ireland  
Teagasc/EPA/SEAI/HRB...

## Non-Exchequer

EU Horizon2020  
EU ERC  
EU Marie Curie  
Wellcome Trust  
ESF ...

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# Funding for research vs funding for researchers

## Researcher

SFI PIYRA

SFI SIRG

SFI Industry Fellowship

Visiting Fellowships/Internships

SFI Spokes Program

SFI Women in Science

SFI-Welcome Trust Fellowship

EU Horizon 2020 Support

## Research

A lot of programs...

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# Programmes Planned for 2014

PROGRAMME	Anticipated Launch Timeframe *
SFI Investigators Programme (IvP) 2014	Q 1 2014
SFI / EI Technology Innovation Development Award (TIDA) Feasibility Study	Q 1 2014
SFI International Strategic Cooperation Award (ISCA)	Q 2 2014
SFI Research Centres – Spokes 2014: Fixed Call	Q3/Q4 2014
SFI Research Centres – Spokes: On-going Rolling Call	Rolling
SFI Partnerships Programme	Rolling
SFI Advance Fellowship Call	Q1 2014
SFI Industry Fellowship	Q 1 2014
SFI Internship Programme	Rolling
SFI-HRB-Wellcome Trust (WT) Biomedical Research Partnership	WT deadlines
President of Ireland Young Researcher Award	Rolling
SFI Research Professorship Programme	Rolling
US-Ireland R&D Partnership Programme	Rolling
SFI ERC Support Programme	Rolling
SFI ERC Development Programme	Rolling
SFI Conferences and Workshops	Rolling
SFI Discover Programme 2014	Q3/Q4 2014
SFI STEM PhD (IRC Postgraduate Scholarship Scheme)	Q3/Q4 2014
SFI Science Policy (IRC Project Scheme)	Q3/Q4 2014
Employment Based PhD Programme (IRC)	Q2/Q3 2014

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# EU funding for research vs EU funding for researchers

## Researcher

ERC  
Marie-Curie

## Research

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