

APPENDIX 1: ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA PER FUNDING AGENCY

National Annex: Finland

Partner:

This call is supported by Academy of Finland

Notice:

Academy of Finland funds cutting-edge, responsible and high-impact research and promotes the renewal and regeneration of science.

Eligibility:

Academy funding is granted following the Finnish Act on Discretionary Government Transfers and the Academy's general conditions for funding. The Academy will fund a research project only if the site of research undertakes to provide the researcher with the necessary basic facilities for research.

The call is implemented under the full cost model where Academy's funding can be up to 70% of the total costs of a project. Academy funding can be used to cover both direct project costs (e.g. salaries) and indirect costs (e.g. cost of premises). Both types of costs are covered with the same percentage. The call follows the funding rules of the Academy project funding (eligibility of applicant, eligibility of costs etc).

The applicant for the Academy's funding **must have the qualifications of a professor or docent**.

Please visit **General conditions and guidelines for funding**: <http://www.aka.fi/en/funding/how-to-use-the-funding/general-conditions-and-guidelines-for-funding/>

If the applicant does not have an employment relationship with, for example, a university or research institute, they must give an account of how their salary will be covered during the funding period. Applicants must describe this at the application stage.

All Academy funding is always paid to and via a site of research (usually a university or research institute) that follows the Finnish Act on Discretionary Government Transfers. The applicant must check with the site of research that she/he will obtain their commitment to the research.

It is strongly recommended to contact the National contact person already in early stage of project preparation.

Funding modalities:

Maximum amount of funding for the call is 1 000.000 € for three years. Individuals may be applicant only in one proposal. Maximum of 330 000 € may be granted per proposal.

Funding term starts in January 2020. As a rule duration for R&D project is 3 years. In that case the whole consortium is 4 years the duration of the Academy funded project can be 4 years (has no effect on the maximum amount of funding). The funded Finnish projects will be integrated into the Academy of Finland's *Climate Change and Health Academy Programme (CLIHE)*.

Appendix (mandatory): Curriculum vitae for applicant (max 2 pages) & list of 10 most important publications for the research plan (in one document).

Other relevant documents/links:

<http://www.aka.fi/en/funding/our-funding-opportunities/> see Academy projects

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