Belmont Forum Collaborative Research Action on Transdisciplinary Research for Pathways to Sustainability

Country: Nigeria
Participating Partner: This call is supported by the Nigerian Institute of Medical Research (NIMR)
Notice:
NIMR will provide in-kind contributions to the Belmont Forum’s Collaboration Research Action (CRA) for transdisciplinary research which will improve understanding of the pathways between climate, environment and health to protect and promote human health and well-being in the face of climate challenges. This will further enable Nigerian universities, research institutions and non-governmental or community-based organizations to partner with their counterparts in Africa and beyond to address topics of mutual interest that relates to the Belmont Forum Collaborative Research Action.

The official national call announcement for Nigeria will be published on NIMR website (https://nimr.gov.ng/) and network platforms for sharing information. The call will also be published in the National newspaper, disseminated to the Research Offices of the various universities and research institutions in Nigeria and the Nigeria Network of NGOs (NNNGO). Details of the call and the application process are provided via the Belmont Forum website (http://www.belmontforum.org/opportunities/). This is a collaborative research grant therefore applicants are expected to apply as a consortium as defined in the call document.

NIMR contributions will include the following:
- Providing a platform for Nigerian researchers, institutions and organizations to have discussions relating to the call and for successful applicants to engage in trans-national research collaborations.
- NIMR may, at its discretion, offer a limited number of administrative support to successful applicants, including cost of internal travels, per diem, printing and stationery, associated with the Belmont Forum to foster collaborations.

Eligibility and national funding modalities:
This call is open to researchers and practitioners in Nigerian universities, research institutions and non-governmental or community-based organizations. Applications should seek to align their research projects with the Belmont CRA. Applicants will be required to meet the specific eligibility criteria as spelt out in the call. All applications will be assessed on the basis of these eligibility criteria as well as the selection criteria described in the call.

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