

NATIONAL REGULATIONS OF FUNDING PARTIES

Applicants will be advised to check with the respective national Call Contact Person the eligibility as to who may apply and what costs are eligible before a consortium submits the complete application.

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Initial Funding Commitment	EUR 500.000. This budget will be flexible for all areas of knowledge and depending on the budget availability.

Type of funding model

The project proposals cannot exceed EUR 100.000. The funding will depend of the proposed activities, the methodology, the expected potential impact, and, should be justified in terms of the resources needed to achieve the objectives of the project.

Who can apply?

According to the applicable legal framework for the presentation of programs and projects of R&D in Ecuador, the specific calls are targeted to the actors of the National System of Science, Technology, Innovation and Ancestral Knowledge actors including:

- Public Universities and Polytechnic Schools
- Public research institutions
- Research and development (R&D) National public institutions
- Public companies with a R&D department
- Private universities and institutions that have a R&D department are able to participate as co-executors of projects.
- Others approved by the Executive Committee of research programs and/or projects

All the proposals must be submitted by two or more public or private institutions. Participating institutions must work in network, between two or more.

What types of costs are eligible for funding?

- Human resources

- Technical visits
- Equipment
- Project management
- Bibliographic resources and software
- Research materials and supplies
- Materials and office supplies
- Transfer of results
- Subcontracts and services
- Training

Upper funding limits for eligible costs?

- For this call there are not upper funding limits for eligible costs

Additional national eligibility criteria for the proposal beyond the general criteria in the Terms of Reference of the Joint Transnational Call

- Research quality 30%;
- Research team 20%;
- Project management 20%;
- Relevance and viability 15%; and,
- Impact, potential for generating change accordingly with the National Government Policies 15%.

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