



SLOVENIAN RESEARCH AGENCY



CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Joint Projects

The Slovenian Research Agency (ARRS) and the Hungarian Scientific Research Fund (OTKA) jointly offer the possibility to apply for bilateral Slovenian-Hungarian Joint Research Projects. Joint Research Projects should combine the **complementary expertise** of the project partners. The project parts should be **closely integrated** and there should be relevant **scientific input** from both sides. Applications will be dealt with following the **Lead Agency Principle**. The application must be prepared **in accordance with the formal guidelines of the Lead Agency**. The Lead Agency is in charge of carrying out the peer review procedure. Applications will be processed by the Lead Agency according to its standard evaluation and decision-making procedures. Projects can have a **maximum duration of three years**. **All fields of basic research** are eligible.

Where to apply?

In order to clarify which of the two funding agencies will act as the Lead Agency; applicants need to calculate the **direct costs** of the two project parts beforehand. The application/project description must be submitted **only** to the research funding organization that is in charge of **financing the more expensive project part**. This research funding organization in the sequel acts as the Lead Agency (for details, see below). In addition, applicants have to send the **application forms** to the second funding agency involved (for details, see below).

When to apply?

ARRS acts as Lead Agency (Slovenian project part is more expensive than the Hungarian part):

⇒ Submission possible **annually at the Call for research projects**.

OTKA acts as Lead Agency (Hungarian project part is more expensive than the Slovenian part):

⇒ There are **two deadlines** for the submission in accordance with **OTKA NN type** of proposals.

How to apply?

OTKA acts as Lead Agency	ARRS acts as Lead Agency
<p>Proposal/Project description is submitted to OTKA, following the application guidelines of OTKA K/NN type call for proposals (http://www.otka.hu/palyazatok/aktualis-otka-palyazatok)</p> <p>There are two deadlines yearly for the submission following the deadlines for OTKA NN type of proposal (10 September 2014, 9 February 2015, at 5.00 PM). The application forms must be submitted via the OTKA EPR as SNN type of proposal (Electronic Proposal for Research: https://www.otka-palyazat.hu/index.php?menuid=210&lang=EN)</p> <p>Please note that the maximum limit for the Hungarian partner is HUF 33 million for three years, which may be reached even if no employment is included in the proposal.</p> <p>Applications to OTKA must include additional information on :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the distribution of work between the partners (included in the work plan) - the added value of the co-operation (included in the research plan) - separate budget justifications for the Slovenian and the Hungarian part (both for personnel and non-personnel costs); the Slovenian partner can upload its budget and budget justification as PDF among other attachments <p>For Slovenian applicants, the Slovenian partner submits to the ARRS the form ARRS-RPROJ-LA-2014 available on the web page http://www.arrs.gov.si/sl/gradivo/. Eligibility criteria and fund limits apply as described on the ARRS web page: http://www.arrs.gov.si/sl/medn/vodilna/Razpisi/14/razpis-OTKA-14.asp</p>	<p>Proposal/Project description is submitted to ARRS, following the application guidelines of the Call for research projects.</p> <p>Applications to ARRS must include additional information on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the distribution of work between the partners - the added value of the co-operation - separate budget justifications for the Slovenian and the Hungarian part (both for personnel and non-personnel costs), as included in the online application form available to the Slovenian PI through the e-portal https://www.arrs.gov.si/eObrazciLogin/Login.aspx <p>For Hungarian applicants, all eligibility criteria for OTKA K type of call for proposals and fund limits apply (a maximum of HUF 33 million for three years, which may be reached even if no employment is included in the proposal).</p> <p>Hungarian applicants must send the separate budget plan, its justification, the Hungarian participants' list, their institution and FTE as well as references to other ongoing projects in which the PI is participating (filling in the form <u>Special documents for Hungarian applicants</u> available at http://www.otka.hu/palyazatok/aktualis-otka-palyazatok).</p>

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