



Call for Partnering Grants

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CALL FOR PARTNERING GRANTS: STATE-OF PLAY

- Call launched on **31.03.2017**
- Pilot call: open for **5.5 months**
- Main objective: **capacity building**
- Joint initiatives between **MS + NO + IS** organisations
- Co-financing rate: **50%**
- Pre-financing: **50%**



CALL FOR PARTNERING GRANTS – TERMINOLOGY CHANGES



Knowledge Provider organisation – with RA capacity in certain scientific area



Knowledge Recipient organisation – wanting to strengthen RA capacity in certain scientific area

knowledge TRANSFER



Knowledge Sharing organisation – with RA capacity seeking partner with complementary RA capacity



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knowledge EXCHANGE

CALL FOR PARTNERING GRANTS: SCOPE

- Beneficiaries define **project details**
- Kept **open** on purpose
- **Capacity building** initiatives:
 - **EFSA's remit**
 - **Tasks** that can be entrusted to
Art.36 org. as per Reg. 2230/2004

CALL FOR PARTNERING GRANTS: OTHER ASPECTS

- **Project duration: max. 2 years**
- **3 meetings:** kick-off, interim & final (1st and 3rd at EFSA)
- **Impact assessment of project: measuring capacity building**
- **Final report:**
 - **2 months** after project activities **conclude**
 - Possible **publication** on EFSA's website

CALL FOR PARTNERING GRANTS: CRITERIA

- **Verification of submission requirements**
- **Eligibility criteria**
- **Exclusion criteria**
- **Selection criteria**
- **Award criteria**



CALL FOR PARTNERING GRANTS: AWARD CRITERIA

- Meeting the **call objectives**
 - Choice of **partners**
 - Consortium **size**
- **Sustainability** of activities
- Project **planning**
- Technical **consistency**
- Financial **coherence**



CALL FOR PARTNERING GRANTS: EXAMPLES OF IDEAS

- **32** capacity building **project ideas** in EU RAA
- EU RAA is **one possible source** of project ideas

**NextGen
Food Safety
Knowledge
Integration
Framework**

Germany

(SE, DK, HU,
NO, GR, FR,
UK, SK, NL,
PL, FI, HR, ES,
PT, ME, CY,
SI, RO)

**Project aim: development of
necessary infrastructural
resources**
(food-safety data standards,
models, software tools and
services supporting their
adoption)

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Strategies to
combat AMR in
food, food
processing
facilities and
agriculture

Czech Republic
CY, FI, HR, RS,
BE, ES, PT, ME,
GR, ABT, RO

To support **training programs
and knowledge exchange**
through workshops and
mobility of post-docs and PhD
students and staff

Biology and control
of some exotic,
emerging &
transboundary VB
and zoonotic
diseases

Bulgaria
DE, SK, NL, HU,
RS, ME, GR, EE,
RO

Involved countries will
benefit & **amplify scientific
results, building capacity and
setting research networks**
focused on certain VBD and
zoonotic diseases

CALL FOR PARTNERING GRANTS: CALENDAR

2017

31.03.2017

15.09.2017

NOVEMBER

DECEMBER

2018

1

Launch
*of pilot call
of Partnering
Grants*

2

Submission
*of proposals of
Partnering
Grants*

3

Notification
*of the
evaluation
results*

4

Signature
*of Grant
Partnering
Agreements*

CALL FOR PARTNERING GRANTS: MAIN ACTIONS FOR FPS

- Read the **details** on the call
- Regularly **promote** the call
- Some ideas for projects available on the [EU RAA catalogue](#)
- Support nat. org. in **networking at EU level**
- Questions by **01.09.2017** to:
EFSAProcurement@efsa.europa.eu

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QUESTIONS / COMMENTS

