### JPND call for proposals

European research projects on neurodegenerative diseases: risk and protective factors, longitudinal cohort approaches and advanced experimental models



Country: Sweden

Organisation: Swedish Research Council (VR)

#### Who is addressed by this information?

This document contains information on specific requirements for researchers applying for Swedish Research Council funding. Following the specific requirements is mandatory. To make sure that all requirements are met and to receive latest information, please contact the respective national contact point.

IMPORTANT: Application and budget must be approved by the Head of Department of the administrating organisation. Please contact the National contact point for instructions.

#### Contact

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## **Eligibility**

Eligible Institutions	Grants distributed by the Swedish Research Council must
	be administrated by a Swedish university, higher education
	institution (HEI) or other public organisation that fulfils the
	Swedish Research Councils 2014-12-11 criteria for an
	administrating organisation. A list of eligible organisations is
	found at:
	http://www.vr.se/inenglish/researchfunding/applyforgrants/g
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Eligible topics	The call topics listed below are supported by SRC.
	Topic 1: Genetic, epigenetic and environmental risk and protective factors for neurodegenerative diseases
	Topic 2: Longitudinal cohort approaches in neurodegenerative diseases
	Topic 3: Advanced experimental models of neurodegenerative diseases
Additional requirements	Same eligibility criteria as for ordinary applications to the Swedish Research Council, i.e the principal investigator needs to hold a PhD at the time of application submission and employed by, or associated to, an eligible institution (minimum 20%).

# Budget

Total earmarked national budget	3.5 Mio. €
Anticipated no. of funded groups	8-15
Fundable costs	The grant can be used to cover any type of project-related costs, for example salaries (including your own salary, corresponding to your level of activity in the project), travel (including visits to, and stays at, research facilities), publication costs, minor equipment, depreciations, and indirect costs etc.  The grant may not be used for scholarships. For doctoral
	student salaries, teaching-time may not be funded by this grant.  The minimum amount for Project Research Grants is SEK 300 000 per year, including indirect costs. Applications for lower amounts will not be accepted.  A grant may be awarded with a reduced budget.