

Country: Switzerland
Organisation: Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF)

This document contains **information on specific requirements** for researchers applying for funding by the funding organisation indicated above. To make sure that your application is fully in line with the specific requirements and to receive latest information, please contact the respective **national contact person**. Not fulfilling the requirements may lead to ineligibility of the application.

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Eligibility

Eligible Institutions	<p>Projects must comply with the SNSF Project Funding regulations.</p> <p>All applicants and co-applicants seeking SNSF support must be eligible for SNSF Project Funding. Project Funding. Please note that applications submitted by a non-eligible person will not be considered nor evaluated. Please refer to the regulations and contact the national contact person for questions and re-assurance.</p> <p><u>APPLYING REGULATIONS</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SNSF Funding regulations • SNSF Project Funding regulations • General implementation regulations for the Funding Regulations
Additional requirements	<p>Participation as Swiss applicant to the JPND call is restricted to one proposal per call.</p> <p>The SNSF exclusively funds research conducted for purposes that are not directly commercial. Pursuant to the Research and Innovation Promotion Act RIPA and the legal framework of the SNSF, no research grants are awarded if the relevant research is conducted for directly commercial purposes or if the persons involved in the research work are not scientifically independent.</p> <p>Swiss applicants must submit pre-proposals and full proposals via mySNF at the same deadline as the consortium applications are submitted to the Call Secretariat and in addition to the documentation submitted to the Call Secretariat.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> _ Pre-proposal forms are created by choosing “Programmes (national and international): ERA-Net + EJP: Pre-proposal”. _ Full proposals forms are created by selecting “Programmes (national and international): ERA-Net + EJP” and linked to the pre-proposal by selecting its number in the data container “Link to other

	<p>SNSF projects”.</p> <p>PARTNERS Partners of the international project consortium applying for funding at funding agencies other than the SNSF cannot be declared as '<i>project partners</i>' in the sense of article 11.2 of the SNSF Funding Regulations. They are to be declared as '<i>consortium partners</i>' and apply for their funding at their respective research funding organisation.</p> <p>Data Management Plan (DMP) In case of funding, applicants have to submit a Data Management Plan (DMP). Researchers need to develop a DMP for the entire Collaborative Research Project (CRP). The DMP must comply with the SNSF policy on open research data and is mandatory for the release of funds for Swiss sub-projects. For further information, please refer to http://www.snf.ch/en/theSNSF/research-policies/open_research_data/Pages/default.aspx</p> <p>Material check and overlapping SNSF projects Besides the eligibility check, the SNSF proceeds to a material check. This refers to the applicant's experience and research activity during several years as well as the demonstration of their scientific independence (Art. 4, Project funding regulations).</p> <p>Although the JPND grant does not count into the maximal number of grants that an investigator can hold in SNSF project funding, in case of several overlapping SNSF projects, all projects must significantly distinguish themselves from each other (Art. 13.2 & 13.3, Project funding regulations).</p>
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Budget

Total earmarked national budget	CHF 1'000'000 (approx. € 900'000)
Anticipated no. of funded groups	3-4
Budget restrictions	Financial request: min. CHF 50'000 Project duration: min. 12 months-max. 3 years
Eligible costs	<p>As outlined in the SNSF regulations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SNSF Funding regulations • SNSF Project Funding regulations • General implementation regulations for the Funding Regulations <p>OVERHEAD CONTRIBUTIONS Overhead contributions cannot be applied for. They are calculated on the basis of the research funding acquired by eligible institutions under eligible funding schemes. Contributions are paid in retrospect at a flat rate.</p>