

Belmont Forum Collaborative Research Action “Scenarios of Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services - 2014”

National Annex: Norway

Partners: This call is supported by The Research Council of Norway (RCN)

Funding principles

The official national call announced is distributed on the RCN website. Applicants are advised to contact their National Contact Point (see below) before starting to prepare proposals for application.

Depending on all conditions of eligibility and peer review being met, the budget earmarked by the RCN to Norwegian researchers for this call will be 1,2 million NOK (~0,15 million Euros).

Eligibility and national funding modalities

Under the call, the RCN will accept applications for the project type [Other Support](#). It is expected that applications to this call will be Networking Grants with consortium composition as defined in the call. In addition, to benefit from the additional geographic breadth, all proposals should include partners from at least one country outside Europe. RCN will fund the Norwegian partner of any successful trans-national collaboration. Researchers from countries not represented by any of the partner countries are welcome to participate in the projects at their own expense.

Climate-friendly operation

Projects receiving funding from the RCN under the present call are called to

- As for any project meetings arranged in Norway, to allow for virtual participation by video
- Select venue and starting/closing times in a way that keep distances travelled to a minimum and are easily reachable via climate-friendly modes of transport by the highest number of participants

The funding and follow-up of approved projects will follow normal RCN procedures.

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