## Belmont Forum Collaborative Research Action "Mountains as Sentinels of Change - 2015"

## **National Annex: Germany**

**Partners:** This call is supported by the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG, German Research Foundation).

**Notice:** Depending on all conditions of eligibility and peer review being met, the budget earmarked by the participating Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft for this call will be up to 1,5 Mio. €.

The official national call announcement for Germany has been published on the DFG website (www.dfg.de). Details of the call and the application process are provided via the <a href="https://www.igfagcr.org">www.igfagcr.org</a> and <a href="https://www.bfgo.org">www.bfgo.org</a> websites. Applicants are advised to contact their National Contact Point before starting to prepare proposals for application. For German enquiries please see below.

**Eligibility and national funding modalities**: Proposals must fulfil the formal requirements of DFG as generally outlined in the Call documents. We would like to remind all applicants of the eligibility rules laid out in the guidelines for the DFG Research Grants Programme (no. 50.01). Engagement with users is welcome and an important prerequisite to submit proposals, but users are not eligible to apply for DFG funded proposal parts.

Also, we would like to remind applicants from outside universities scientific institutions of the rules on the duty to cooperate with partners from universities within the German proposal parts.

At the full proposal stage you will be asked to submit directly to DFG the signed form no. 54.011, by which you agree to the rules of good scientific practice and DFG's information policy.

It is expected that applications to this call will be Collaborative Research Grants with the consortium composition as defined in the call document, and the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft will fund the partner in Germany of any successful trans-national collaboration.

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