**COUNTRY: THAILAND**

**PMU-B - Program Management Unit for Human Resources & Institutional Development, Research and Innovation**

PMU-B is participating in Belmont Forum 2022 Collaborative Research Action on Systems of Sustainable Consumption and Production (SSCP).

PMU-B can support projects in the themes of

1. Sustainable and Resilient industries and their governance systems

2. Integrating new technologies, policies, and practices into everyday life

**Available funding:**

Depending on all conditions of eligibility and peer review being met, the total budget earmarked by PMU-B for this call will be up to 125,000 € (according to exchange rates at time of funding).

If applicants have any questions about their eligibility, they are advised to contact PMU-B to enquire about their eligibility for the call before developing the proposal.

**Eligibility**

Research proposals may be submitted by researchers from :

- Public research institutions

- Higher education institutions

in the territory of the Kingdom of Thailand.

Each consortium must include partners from at least three participating countries. The project must include collaboration between natural and social sciences and must show clear links to end-users/stakeholders. Researchers from countries not represented by any of the partner-countries can participate in the research project at their own expense but do not count toward the 3-participating country minimum.

**Funding modalities**

The maximum funding allocated per project is 2,500,000 THB or 62,500 € for the project with the maximum of 3 years. PMU-B will support up to 2 projects. The following costs are eligible:

* **Personnel costs**

Costs for researchers or student research assistants can be covered for the whole period of the project if their work is clearly related to the research project.

* **Mobility of scientists and experts**

- round-trip economy class tickets to the project partner countries

- airport transfer costs upon presentation of a receipt

- visa costs

- accommodation costs

* **Equipment**

Equipment cost is allowed on a limited scale. Details and specifications are required to be provided with full justification.

* **Consumables**

Consumable costs include laboratory chemicals and materials, but does not include office supplies such as paper, stationery, and etc. Consumable costs are to be spent in Thailand.

* **Indirect costs**

Total indirect costs should not exceed 10% of total budget, excluding equipment costs.

**Note:** After the project get selected from this Joint Research Projects, Thai principal investigators must submit the proposal format in accordance with PMU-B regulation.

**Submission**

Projects must be written in English and submitted electronically via the Belmont Forum Grant Operations website: <http://bfgo.org>

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