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## Belmont Forum OCEAN 2

## Annex for Agencia Nacional de Investigación e Innovación de Uruguay - ANII

| Duration of time:  | 3 years  |
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| Country/(ies) supported  | Uruguay  |
| Description/qualifications of eligible participants                          | Research groups based in national, public or private organizations.  |
|  | The Principal Investigator's organization must be the Proposing Organization from Uruguay.   |
|  | The proposing organization will sign the financing contract with ANII and receive the funding.   |
| Stipulations for the maximum number of researchers in the consortium         | No limit.  |
| Type of contribution +<br>amount of contribution<br>(K€)                     | USD 45.000 equivalent in Euros.  |
| Maximum amount that can<br>be requested per project or<br>by researcher (K€) | USD 45.000 equivalent in Euros.  |
| Restrictions for use of funds  | The funds to be provided by ANII may be allocated to the following items:  |
|  | Dissemination. Expenses associated with activities whose purpose is to communicate the knowledge acquired to a broad non-specialized public.     Modalities and styles of communication accessible to those who do not know about the specific subject will be sought, aiming to promote dialogues with different social sectors and contributing to the processes of democratization and social appropriation of knowledge. |
|  | Promotion. Expenses such as registration fees for congresses, dissemination material and supplies destined to academic events may be included.   |
|  | 3. Laboratory equipment.   |
|  | 4. Other equipment.  |
|  | 5. Materials and supplies.   |
|  | 6. Bibliographic material.   |
|  | 7. Training.   |
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|                                 | <ul> <li>8. Technical Staff. The incremental costs of researchers' dedication to the project or the incorporation of new researchers to meet the project's objectives will be financed. The costs associated to technical or support staff will only be accepted when their participation is clearly defined and justified based on the proposed objectives and work plan. Researchers who are beneficiaries of an ANII scholarship whose activities coincide with those expected to be carried out in the project, may not request additional funding to cover their dedication to those activities (in case of non-compliance the project will be considered ineligible). Fees will be recognized according to ANII's guideline of maximum recognizable fees for researchers and technical support personnel (available on the ANII website).</li> <li>9. Visiting professors. Economic support will be recognized for the development of activities such as the teaching of sources, seminars and conferences.</li> </ul> |
|                                 | the teaching of courses, seminars and conferences during stays at Uruguay.   |
|                                 | 10.Air tickets.  |
|                                 | 11. Travel and lodging: Food, lodging and local transportation of the team members and visiting professors will be financed only for activities related to the project or to the presentation of its results. Expenses will be recognized according to ANII's guide for budgeting travel expenses of R&D projects (available on the ANII website).   |
|                                 | 12. Services.  |
|                                 | 13. Consulting services.   |
|                                 | 14.Protection of intellectual property rights.   |
|                                 | 15. Software and Licenses.   |
|                                 | 16.Administration expenses (maximum 5% of the total budget contributed by ANII).   |
|                                 | 17. Contingencies (maximum 5% of the total budget contributed by ANII).  |
|                                 | All expenses must be directly related to the project's activities. The acquisition of vehicles and land will not be funded.  |
| Specific themes within the call | Projects will be considered in the three lines of the call without restrictions.   |
| Where to submit proposal        | Registrations and Full proposals are submitted to the Belmont Forum via www.bfgo.org.  |
|                                 | In parallel to the Full proposal, the PI from Uruguay must submit to ANII via <a href="mailto:investigacion@anii.org.uy">investigacion@anii.org.uy</a> :   |
|                                 | A Letter of endorsement of the proposing   |



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|                                 | <ul> <li>organization and the participating organizations (if applicable) for Uruguay. The models for the corresponding letters are available on ANII's website.</li> <li>Proof of presentation to the Ethics Committee, for those projects in which it is applicable. The signing of the contract will be conditioned to the approval of the Committee.</li> </ul>  |
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| [Additional information]        | <ul> <li>The Principal Investigator (PI) must be residing in the country.</li> <li>All researchers based in Uruguayan organizations must have an updated CVUy by the closing moment of the call.</li> <li>Proposals will not be accepted if, by the closing date of the call, the PI is in non-compliance with ANII in any of its programs.</li> </ul>   |
|                                 | <ul> <li>By the time the contract is signed, no national<br/>member of the research team (PI and other research<br/>roles) may exceed 60 hours per week, considering all<br/>the work activities in which they perform (including<br/>teaching hours or other public or private jobs).</li> </ul>  |
|                                 | <ul> <li>All works resulting from or related to the selected<br/>projects must be deposited in the open access<br/>digital repository of the corresponding proposing<br/>institution in Uruguay or in the institutional<br/>repository of ANII, as established in the ANII Open<br/>Access Regulation (see:<br/><a href="https://www.anii.org.uy/institucional/documentos-de-interes/30/reglamento-de-acceso-abierto/">https://www.anii.org.uy/institucional/documentos-de-interes/30/reglamento-de-acceso-abierto/</a>).</li> </ul> |
|                                 | <ul> <li>The results of the investigation will be compiled in a<br/>final technical report to be presented to ANII. Part of<br/>this report will be published in REDI<br/>(redi.anii.org.uy), the ANII institutional repository.</li> </ul>  |
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