

## Joint Programming Initiative “More Years, Better Lives”

### National Contact Point

#### AUSTRIA

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	Federal Ministry of Science, Research and Economy (Bundesministerium für Wissenschaft, Forschung und Wirtschaft – BMWFW)
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	500.000€
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<b>Eligible institutions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Universities</li><li>- Non-university research institutes / organisations</li><li>- SMEs</li><li>- Industry</li></ul>
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	Please check with the NCP
<b>Eligible costs</b>	Relevant project expenses, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Personnel</li><li>- Consumables</li><li>- Travel</li><li>- Documentation / Dissemination</li><li>- Subcontracts</li><li>- Equipment</li></ul>

## BELGIUM

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	<p>Belgian Science Policy Office (BELSPO)</p> <p>Service public de Programmation Politique scientifique - Programmatologisch Overheidsdienst Wetenschapsbeleid</p>
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	500.000€
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<b>Eligible institutions</b>	Non-profit and public organisations having scientific research in their statutes (universities, public research centres...)
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	please check with NCPs
<b>Eligible costs</b>	Full cost model: personnel costs of hired personnel, working costs, equipment, subcontracting (max 25% of total budget). Please check for further details with NCPs

## CANADA

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	530.000€ (approx.) \$750.000 CAD
<b>National Contact Point for the 1st call of JPI-MYBL</b>	Melody Sajedi Team Lead, Program Delivery Canadian Institutes of Health Research Phone: 613-960-9475 Email: <a href="mailto:melody.sajedi@cihr-irsc.gc.ca">melody.sajedi@cihr-irsc.gc.ca</a>
<b>Eligible institutions</b>	<a href="http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/22630.html#F31">http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/22630.html#F31</a>
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	A short application must be send to CIHR through ResearchNet at the application stage. Applications must be relevant to CIHR mandate.
<b>Eligible costs</b>	<a href="http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/805.html">http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/805.html</a>
	<b><u>Funding opportunity</u></b>

# DENMARK

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	Innovation Fund Denmark
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	1.000.000€
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<b>Eligible institutions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Universities</li> <li>- Non-university research institutes / organisations</li> <li>- SMEs*</li> <li>- Industry*</li> </ul> <p>*Private sector enterprises may receive funding within the EC's state aid rules for research and development. See national guidelines</p>
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	<p>- Requirements are not made as to the grant holders' and other participants' citizenship, however funded research activities must promote and strengthen Danish research</p> <p>Co-financing is expected. See national guidelines</p>
<b>Eligible costs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Salaries for research managers and principal researchers</li> <li>- PhD grants</li> <li>- Postdoctoral grants</li> <li>- Combination positions, i.e. salaries/salary subsidies for researchers who are employed for a fixed period of time at two institutions or at an institution and an enterprise</li> <li>- Salaries for technical/administrative staff</li> <li>- Guest researchers, e.g. bringing talented researchers from abroad to Denmark for a limited period</li> <li>- Procurement of research from high-quality research environments abroad that might be moved to Denmark for a period of time</li> <li>- Equipment costs</li> <li>- Support for dialogue between research institutions and public-sector institutions and/or private-sector enterprises etc</li> <li>- Subsidies for the cost of collaboration with research environments abroad</li> </ul> <p>Other costs, which are relevant in relation to the specific activities</p>

## FINLAND

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	Academy of Finland
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	900.000€
<b>National Contact Point for the 1st call of JPI-MYBL</b>	<p>Tiina Forsman Science Advisor, Academy of Finland, Culture and Society (coordinator at the Academy), Phone: +358 295 33 5013 Email: <a href="mailto:tiina.forsman@aka.fi">tiina.forsman@aka.fi</a></p> <p>Sirpa Nuotio Senior Science Advisor, Academy of Finland, Health Research Phone: +358 295 33 5082 Email: <a href="mailto:Sirpa.nuotio@aka.fi">Sirpa.nuotio@aka.fi</a></p>
<b>Eligible institutions</b>	Mainly universities and research institutes, but business enterprises and other registered communities are principally eligible, too.
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	The applicant for Academy of Finland research funding (i.e. the principal investigator or PI of a research project) must have the qualifications of a professor or a docent, or be a researcher with a doctoral degree.
<b>Eligible costs</b>	<p>Academy funding can be used to cover both direct and indirect research costs of the research team arising from, for example, the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- working hours (salary)</li> <li>- research</li> <li>- travel</li> <li>- national and international collaboration and mobility</li> <li>- work and researcher training abroad</li> <li>- preparation of international projects</li> <li>- publishing (e.g. open access publishing using the golden route).</li> </ul> <p>In this call, the Academy will fund approximately 2-4 projects.</p>

## FRANCE

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	Agence nationale de la recherche (ANR)
<b>Maximum funding pre-commitment</b>	700.000€ (approximately 3 projects)
<b>National Contact Point for the 1st call of JPI-MYBL</b>	François Héran Phone: +33 (0)1 78 09 80 80 Email: <a href="mailto:francois.heran@agencerecherche.fr">francois.heran@agencerecherche.fr</a>
<b>Eligible institutions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Universities</li> <li>- Non-university research institutes / organisations</li> <li>- Non-profit organisation</li> <li>- SMEs</li> <li>- Industry</li> </ul> <p>Non-comprehensive list (see definitions in: <a href="http://www.agence-nationale-recherche.fr/fileadmin/documents/2014/Reglement-financier-2014-1.pdf">http://www.agence-nationale-recherche.fr/fileadmin/documents/2014/Reglement-financier-2014-1.pdf</a>)</p>
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	Please check the call's page on ANR website
<b>Eligible costs</b>	<p>Relevant project expenses, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Investment costs</li> <li>- Staff</li> <li>- Outsourcing</li> <li>- Travel &amp; subsistence</li> <li>- Other direct costs</li> </ul> <p>See <a href="http://www.agence-nationale-recherche.fr/fileadmin/documents/2014/Reglement-financier-2014-1.pdf">http://www.agence-nationale-recherche.fr/fileadmin/documents/2014/Reglement-financier-2014-1.pdf</a></p>

# GERMANY

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	Federal Ministry of Education and Research (Bundesministerium für Bildung und Forschung – BMF/BF)
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	1.000.000€
<b>National Contact Point for the 1st call of JPI-MYBL</b>	Dr. Marc Bovenschulte VDI/VDE-IT GmbH Project Management Agency of the BMBF, Berlin Phone: + 49 (0)30 310078 108 Email: <a href="mailto:marc.bovenschulte@vdivde-it.de">marc.bovenschulte@vdivde-it.de</a>
<b>Eligible institutions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Universities</li> <li>- Non-University Research Institutes</li> <li>- Non-profit organisations</li> <li>- Private sector enterprises (with varying percentages of funding)</li> </ul>
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Funded organisations must be based in Germany</li> <li>- Funded research activities must promote German research (and also added value for the economy and society, cf. German Hightech Strategy)</li> </ul>
<b>Eligible costs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Personnel</li> <li>- Project relevant equipment costs and consumables</li> <li>- Travel costs</li> <li>- Subcontracts</li> <li>- Dissemination</li> <li>- Other relevant research costs (e.g. data fees, field tests)</li> </ul>

SPAIN

<b>Funding organisation</b>	Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness (MINECO)
<b>Purpose of funding</b>	<p>The main objective of MINECO is to foster the participation of Spanish research groups in international consortiums in the European Research Area.</p> <p>The projects funded by the MINECO must be in line with the objectives described in the <i>Programa Estatal</i>.</p>
<b>Funding programme</b>	<p><a href="#"><u>Programa Estatal de Investigación, Desarrollo e Innovación Orientada a los Retos de la Sociedad, Plan Estatal de Investigación Científica Técnica y de Innovación 2013-2016</u></a>".</p> <p><b>Important:</b> Once the transnational evaluation procedure has been completed and the researchers involved have been notified by the JPI MYBL call secretariat, the Spanish applicants who have been selected for funding should formally apply to the call of <b>Acciones de Programación Conjunta Internacional (APCIN 2016)</b>, in the frame of the <i>Programa Estatal</i>. Please see <b>APCIN 2014</b> (<a href="#"><u>«BOE» núm. 192, de 8 de agosto de 2014, pages 63854 to 63899</u></a>) or the latest corresponding APCIN call as a reference for the national call procedures.</p> <p>- The final decision will take into account the transnational evaluation of the cooperative project and the financial resources available. Only excellent projects where international collaboration is a clear added value will be funded.</p> <p>The call is managed by the <a href="#"><u>Subdirección General de Proyectos Internacionales (SGPINT), Dirección General de Investigación Científica y Técnica</u></a>.</p>
<b>Eligible institutions</b>	<p>The eligible entities for MINECO funding are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Universities and other public research institutions, including public foundations</li> <li>• Private non-profit research institutions performing RTD activities in Spain</li> <li>• Technological centres</li> </ul> <p><i>Although for-profit entities will not be funded through this call by the MINECO, the Spanish private sector is very much welcome to participate as associate with Spanish research institutions, using their own funds or funding from other national or regional calls.</i></p>
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Minimum of three <b>eligible</b> applicants from three different countries participating in the Joint transnational Call per consortium.</li> <li>- Maximum two eligible Spanish applicants per consortium.</li> <li>- The same principal investigator (PI) is not allowed to apply for funding in more than one proposal to this transnational call.</li> </ul>
	<p>Incompatibilities pertaining to the participation in the APCIN call:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The same principal investigator will be allowed to submit only one proposal to the national APCIN 2016 call.</li> <li>- PIs granted through the APCIN 2015 call will not be allowed to apply for funding through the APCIN 2016 call, independently of the</li> </ul>



	<p>international programme in which the proposal is included.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- PIs granted through APCIN 2016 will not be eligible to apply to another APCIN call, (or to the national instrument designed for funding international actions by the MINECO), until two thirds of the project duration has been completed.</li> </ul> <p>Participation in this transnational call is compatible with Spanish State Programme calls other than APCIN. Nevertheless the MINECO will avoid double funding and will not fund projects or parts of projects already funded through other national or EU calls.</p>
<b>Eligible costs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Personnel costs for temporary contracts. Fellowships (“becas”) are not eligible.</li> <li>- Current costs such as small scientific equipment, disposable materials, travelling expenses and other costs that can be properly justified as necessary to carry out the proposed activities</li> <li>- Indirect costs (overheads) or clinical assays (proofs of concept, proofs of principle) are not eligible for funding.</li> </ul>
<b>Funding rates (approx.)</b>	<p>Maximum funding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- up to 50.000 € per project partner (up to 75.000 € per project for the whole Spanish part in case more than one Spanish partner participates in the same proposal);</li> <li>- up to 75.000 € per project coordinator (up to 125.000 € per project for the whole Spanish part in case one Spanish eligible institution coordinates the project consortium).</li> <li>- Two or more researchers from the same institution and applying within the same international consortium should apply as one partner with one of the researchers being the PI.</li> </ul>
<b>Further instructions</b>	<p>Spanish partners awarded funds in this call will be obliged by the regulations established in the corresponding national call APCIN 2016, by the funding limits established above, as well as by the responsibilities and reporting requirements established by the international call.</p>
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	<p>Maximum total funding: 300.000 €</p>
<b>National Contact Point for the 1st call of JPI-MYBL</b>	<p>Dr. Vicente Rodriguez Rodriguez  Dr. Teresa Jurado Guerrero  Phone +34 91 602 24 06  E-mail: <a href="mailto:mybl@mineco.es">mybl@mineco.es</a></p>

# SWEDEN

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	Forte – Swedish Research Council for Health Working Life and Welfare
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	1.200.000€
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<b>Eligible institutions</b>	Public and private scientific institutions; universities and other higher educational institutions.
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	Please consult <a href="http://www.forte.se/">http://www.forte.se/</a> and the national contact persons above.
<b>Eligible costs</b>	Salaries, equipment, traveling and indirect costs.

## THE NETHERLANDS

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	The Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development (ZonMw)  <a href="http://www.zonmw.nl">http://www.zonmw.nl</a>
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	400.000€
<b>National Contact Point for the 1st call of JPI-MYBL</b>	Klaartje Klaver Phone : +31(0)70 349 5205 Email : <a href="mailto:klaver@zonmw.nl">klaver@zonmw.nl</a>
<b>Eligible institutions</b>	Please consult <a href="http://www.zonmw.nl/nl/subsidies/voorwaarden-en-financien/">http://www.zonmw.nl/nl/subsidies/voorwaarden-en-financien/</a> or your national contact person
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	The call topics listed below are supported by organisation. Applying for funding for any other topic is not permitted.  (iii) Health challenges (iv) Caring responsibilities
<b>Eligible costs</b>	Please consult <a href="http://www.zonmw.nl/nl/subsidies/voorwaarden-en-financien/">http://www.zonmw.nl/nl/subsidies/voorwaarden-en-financien/</a> or your national contact person

## UNITED KINGDOM

<b>Funding Organisation</b>	ESRC
<b>Initial funding pre-commitment</b>	£500.000
<b>National Contact Point for the 1st call of JPI-MYBL</b>	Helen Hunt Vera Raivola
<b>Eligible institutions</b>	See finding guide link <a href="http://www.esrc.ac.uk/funding-and-guidance/applicants/research-funding-guide.aspx">http://www.esrc.ac.uk/funding-and-guidance/applicants/research-funding-guide.aspx</a>
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	See funding guide link <a href="http://www.esrc.ac.uk/funding-and-guidance/applicants/research-funding-guide.aspx">http://www.esrc.ac.uk/funding-and-guidance/applicants/research-funding-guide.aspx</a>
<b>Eligible costs</b>	See funding guide link <a href="http://www.esrc.ac.uk/funding-and-guidance/applicants/research-funding-guide.aspx">http://www.esrc.ac.uk/funding-and-guidance/applicants/research-funding-guide.aspx</a>