

Annex A: Specific Funding Agencies' Budgets and Rules of Eligibility

The following tables are presented to give some guidance to the applicants when considering the consortium building process and to make it easier to read the specific Funding Agencies' rules.

Please consult Table 3 for the detailed eligibility criteria for each Funding Agency.

Table 1: Participating Funding Agencies: budget, RDI activities, topics and organisations eligible for funding

Country / Region	Funding agency	total budget [M EUR]	15minC	CUE	PED	Types of RDI activities eligible for funding	Maximum funding per project/project applicant/main applicant [K EUR]	Indicative mean or range of funding demand per project expected [K EUR]	Anticipated number of projects	Universities and research organisations	Municipalities	Business organisations and companies	NGOs and similar
Austria	FFG					-							
Belgium / Wallonia-Brussels	F.R.S.-FNRS					-							
Belgium / Flanders	VLAIO					-							
Belgium / Flanders	FWO					-							
Belgium / Brussels Capital Region	Innoviris					-							
Bulgaria	BNSF					-							
Cyprus	RIF					-							
Czech Republic	TACR					-							
Denmark	IFD					-							
Estonia	ETAg					-							
Estonia	MKM					-							
Finland	BF (AP)					-							
France	ADEME					-							
France	ANR					-							
Germany	DLR					-							
Germany	FZJ-PtJ					-							
Greece	GSRI					-							
Hungary	NKFIH					-							
Iceland	Rannis					-							
Italy	MIMIT					-							
Italy	MUR					-							
Latvia	LCS					-							
Lithuania	LMT					-							
The Netherlands	MINBZK					-							
The Netherlands	NWO					-							
The Netherlands	Taskforce for Applied Research - SIA					-							
Norway	RCN					-							
Poland	NCBR					-							
Portugal / Centro Region of Portugal	CCDR-C					-							
Portugal	FCT					-							
Romania ¹	UEFISCDI					-							
Slovenia	ARRS					-							
Spain	AEI					-							
Spain	CDTI					-							
Sweden	Formas					-							
Sweden	SWEA					-							
Sweden	Vinnova					-							
Switzerland	DETEC (AP)					-							
Switzerland	Innosuisse (AP)					-							
Switzerland	SNSF (AP)					-							
Türkiye	TUBITAK					-							
United-Kingdom	UKRI	2,500,000	2,500,000	-	-	-	475,000		5-7	Yes	See National annex for details	See National annex for details	See National annex for details

¹ the budget may be subject to changes during the running of the call

Table 2: Transition Pathways and topics coverage (X) by the Funding Agencies

Country / Region	Funding Agency	15minC TP			CUE TP			PED TP		
		Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3
Austria	FFG									
Belgium / Wallonia-Brussels	F.R.S.-FNRS									
Belgium / Flanders	VLAIO									
Belgium / Flanders	FWO									
Belgium / Brussels Capital Region	Innoviris									
Bulgaria	BNSF									
Cyprus	RIF									
Czech Republic	TACR									
Denmark	IFD									
Estonia	ETAg									
Estonia	MKM									
Finland	BF (AP)									
France	ADEME									
France	ANR									
Germany	DLR									
Germany	FZJ-PtJ									
Greece	GSRI									
Hungary	NKFIH									
Iceland	Rannis									
Italy	MIMIT									
Italy	MUR									
Latvia	LCS									
Lithuania	LMT									
The Netherlands	MINBZK									
The Netherlands	NWO									
The Netherlands	Taskforce for Applied Research -SIA									
Norway	RCN									
Poland	NCBR									
Portugal / Centro Region of Portugal	CCDR-C									
Portugal	FCT									
Romania	UEFISCDI									
Slovenia	ARRS									
Spain	AEI									
Spain	CDTI									
Sweden	Formas									
Sweden	SWEA									
Sweden	Vinnova									
Switzerland	DETEC (AP)									
Switzerland	Innosuisse (AP)									
Switzerland	SNSF (AP)									
Türkiye	TUBITAK									
United-Kingdom	UKRI	x	x	x						

Table 3: List of Funding Agencies for DUT Call 2023

Country	Funding Agency
Austria	Austrian Research Promotion Agency (FFG)
Belgium/Wallonia-Brussels Federation	F.R.S.-FNRS
Belgium/Flanders	The Research Foundation - Flanders (FWO)
Belgium/Brussels Capital Region	Innoviris
Belgium/Flanders Region	VLAIO
Bulgaria	Bulgarian National Science Fund (BNSF)
Cyprus	Research and Innovation Foundation
Czech Republic	Technology Agency of the Czech Republic (TA CR)
Denmark	Innovation Fund of Denmark (IFD)
Estonia	Estonian Research Council (ETAg)
Estonia	Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications (MKM)
Finland	Business Finland
France	ADEME
France	Agence Nationale de la Recherche (ANR)
Germany	Deutsches Zentrum für Luft- und Raumfahrt e.V. (DLR)
Germany	Forschungszentrum Jülich GmbH
Greece	General Secretariat for Research and Innovation (GSRI)
Hungary	National Research, Development and Innovation Office (NKFIH)
Iceland	Rannis- Icelandic Centre for Research
Italy	Ministero delle Imprese e del Made in Italy (MIMIT)
Italy	Ministero Dell'Università e Della Ricerca (MUR)
Latvia	Latvijas Zinātnes padome (LCS)
Lithuania	Research Council of Lithuania (LMT)
Netherlands	Ministry of the Interior and Kingdom Relations (MINBZK)
Netherlands	Dutch Research Council (NWO)
Norway	Research Council of Norway (RCN)
Poland	The National Centre for Research and Development (Narodowe Centrum Badań i Rozwoju)
Portugal	Centro region - CCDRC
Portugal	Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia (FCT)
Romania	Executive Agency for Higher Education, Research, Development and Innovation Funding (UEFISCDI)
Slovenia	Slovenian Research Agency (ARRS)
Spain	Agencia Estatal de Investigación (AEI)
Spain	Centro para el Desarrollo Tecnológico y la Innovación (CDTI)
Sweden	The Swedish Research Council for Environment, Agricultural Sciences and Spatial Planning (FORMAS)
Sweden	Swedish Energy Agency - Energimyndigheten (SWEA)
Sweden	Vinnova
Switzerland	DETEC (SFOE)



Country	Funding Agency
Switzerland	InnoSuisse
Switzerland	SNSF (Swiss National Science Foundation)
Türkiye	The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Türkiye (TÜBİTAK)
United Kingdom	United Kingdom Research and Innovation (UKRI)



Country /Region – UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)

(a) National/Regional information and eligibility criteria:

Information type	Details
Contact Point	<p>For all general enquiries: dutpartnership@esrc.ukri.org</p> <p>Please note that ESRC are coordinating on behalf of UKRI for this funding call.</p> <p>For queries within the remit of a single UK Research Council please contact:</p> <p>Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC): Kim Fuggle; Ben Miller, dutpartnership@esrc.ukri.org</p> <p>Arts and Humanities Research Council (AHRC): Emily Bultitude; James Phillips, heuh@ahrc.ukri.org</p> <p>Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC): Ajinkya Rao, Ajinkya.rao@epsrc.ukri.org</p>
Funding commitment	<p>£2.1M (approximately €2.5M)</p> <p>This is the amount available from UKRI to contribute to research projects. Please note that funding from the UK comes from AHRC, EPSRC, and ESRC, all of which are part of UKRI.</p>
Anticipated number of projects to be funded by the funding partner	5 - 7
Maximum funding per awarded project	£400,000 (at 100% FEC) per project for all UK partners involved. This is approximately 475,000 EUR.
Eligibility of a partner as a beneficiary institution	<p>UK applicants can be based at any organisation eligible for ESRC funding throughout the duration of the grant.</p> <p>UK applicants can be at any academic career stage; but the project team must have a level of skills, knowledge and experience that is appropriate to the proposed project.</p> <p>UK components may be submitted jointly by more than one UK applicant. In such cases, one person must be regarded as the UK National Contact Point (UK Project Lead) and take the lead responsibility for the conduct of the UK project component and the observance of the ESRC/UKRI terms and conditions. Correspondence regarding the ESRC/UKRI application and grant will be addressed to the UK National Contact Point (UK Project Lead) only and, in the case of any ESRC/UKRI offer letter, to their research office.</p>

	<p>Additional applicants making a significant contribution to the conduct of the project should be identified as Co-applicants (Project co-leads).</p> <p>Business, third sector or government body Co-applicants based in the UK can also be included on proposals as a project co-lead. Read Including project co-leads from business, third sector or government bodies for details of eligible organisations and costs. Co-applicants from these organisations <u>cannot</u> be the UK National Contact Point (UK Project Lead) i.e. they can only be a co-applicant on a proposal involving another UK organisation that is eligible to be a UK National Contact Point (UK Project Lead) and are unable to be a Main Applicant.</p> <p>The UKRI project co-lead (international) policy does not apply to this funding opportunity.</p>
Eligible topics	15-Minute Cities: all topics (1-3)
Eligible type of research and TRL	<p>Strategic Research; Applied Research</p> <p>[Please note that definitions of these terms can be found earlier in the call text in Section 2.2]</p>
Submission of the (pre)proposal at the national level	<p>UK applicants do not need to submit to the UKRI funding system at pre-proposal or full proposal stage.</p> <p>The UK component of successful proposals will be invited to submit to UKRI’s Funding Service (TFS) so that ESRC can administer the UK research costs on behalf of AHRC/EPSRC/ESRC. Further cost checking will be conducted, as per the standard ESRC process, and to confirm that the costs are in line with the original costings.</p> <p>The submission to TFS is a formality to administer the funds, and projects will not be subject to further peer review or assessment of the project quality.</p>
Additional eligibility criteria for the funding agency	<p>Open data: UKRI is strongly committed to opening up research data for scrutiny and reuse, to enable high-quality research, drive innovation and increase public trust in research. See our open data policy.</p> <p>UK applicants must submit the ‘UK expenditure and additional information form’ alongside the other documents required for the preproposal submission process. This form is available on the associated UKRI opportunities webpage.</p>
Eligible costs	AHRC/EPSRC/ESRC use the Full Economic Cost (FEC) model of funding and typically fund 80% of the total cost of research projects. This means that for most eligible costs, AHRC/EPSRC/ESRC will provide 80% of the total cost of the research that will be funded through this call.



	<p>Please see the ESRC research funding guide for further information on what costs are eligible to request as well as the FEC model. Examples of the type of costs we fund include applicant time, research costs, travel and subsistence, dissemination and communication activities.</p> <p>All figures in the DUT call template should be provided at 100% of the Full Economic Cost for the UK budget, except the 'Requested funding in EUR' amount which should state the amount UKRI will be contributing to the project costs. Because of the funders' cost eligibility regulations, the total cost of a project will be greater than the amount of funding allocated.</p> <p>Please ensure you have read Section 5 'Project Implementation' to understand all the costs you need to include in your budget related to DUT programme activities that successful projects must engage with. For example, mandatory project events and support for the DUT Knowledge Hubs.</p>
Website with additional information	<p>For general guidance for applicants please see the ESRC Research Funding Guide.</p> <p>Information about the UK involvement in this call will also be available on the UKRI Funding Finder.</p>
Additional information	<p>The UK component of any project, as noted before, will be funded by AHRC, EPSRC, and ESRC. Whilst acknowledging the strong interdisciplinarity of this call, it is essential that the UK component is substantively social science led (over 50% social science) and research based. In addition, we strongly encourage the involvement of UK partners from an arts and humanities and engineering and physical sciences background.</p> <p>For information on ESRC's scientific remit (as the social science funder) please refer to our eligibility page.</p> <p>For information on AHRC and EPSRC's remit please refer to the information provided on AHRC remit guidance and EPSRC remit guidance webpages.</p> <p>If you are unsure if the UK project component meets the social science requirement, please contact the ESRC Contact Point listed above.</p> <p>We highly recommend contacting us during the preparation of the project to ensure that your proposal meets our eligibility requirements.</p> <p>ESRC data infrastructure</p>



	ESRC supports a range of data infrastructure. Where relevant, we encourage applicants to consider whether the use of these resources could add value to the project. See Facilities and resources for information on finding and using ESRC datasets which are available across the UK.
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(b) Funding rates:

Organisation type	Basic research	Industrial / Applied Research	Experimental development / Innovation
Large Enterprises	100%*	100%*	
Medium Enterprises	100%*	100%*	
Small Enterprises	100%*	100%*	
Universities, public research organisations	80%	80%	
Public authorities	100%*	100%*	
Associations without economic activities, NGOs	100%*	100%*	

*Please read the 'Eligibility of a partner as a beneficiary institution' and 'Eligible costs' sections for further details on what costs may or may not be eligible to apply for.