



Slovenia (MIZS - Ministrstvo za izobraževanje, znanost in šport)

National Eligibility Requirements for applicants based in Slovenia applying for CHANSE CALL: Theme "I. CULTURAL TRANSFORMATIONS IN THE DIGITAL AGE" / targeting researchers from the field of Humanities

Who can apply?

Eligibility of a partner as a beneficiary institution: Slovenian universities, public and private research institutes may participate in a consortium as Project Leader or as Principal Investigator (project partner). Research organizations as defined in the national Research and Development Act ([Zakon o raziskovalni in razvojni dejavnosti](#)). All participating institutions have to be registered in the Slovenian Research Agency register of research institutions (Informacijski sistem o raziskovalni dejavnosti v Sloveniji - [Sicris](#)).

Eligibility of project leader (PL), principal investigator (PI) and other research team members: The project activities of the Slovenian partner has to be under the supervision of the primary investigator (PI) researcher who fulfils the requirements for project leader (doctoral degree, employed at the Slovenian host institution). Slovenian Project Leader (PL) and/or Principal Investigator (PI) are required to have in the time of the final submission of project proposal their bibliographic indicators of research success ≥ 100 (bibliografski kazalci raziskovalne uspešnosti), $A1 \geq 1$, $A3 \geq 0$, $CI \geq 1$. The criteria are determined in the Rules on Determining the Fulfilment of Conditions for a Research Project Leader ([Pravilnik o kriterijih za ugotavljanje izpolnjevanja pogojev za vodjo raziskovalnega projekta](#)). All participating researchers have to be registered in the Slovenian Research Agency register of researchers ([Sicris](#)) and must have enough free research hours available to work on CHANSE project for the period planned.

What are eligible costs for Slovenian researchers?

Personnel costs - Salary (plača)

Salary taxes and social & health security (prispevki delodajalca)

Material costs (Blago in storitve: materialni stroški, blago, storitve, službene poti)

Amortisation (amortizacija opreme)

Source: Slovenian Research Agency (ARRS): Cena ekvivalenta polne zaposlitve za leto / Raziskovalni projekti: <https://www.arrs.si/sl/progproj/cena/cena-21.asp>

Overheads up to 20% of all realised eligible costs.

VAT is not an eligible cost in case the institute can reclaim VAT from the Slovenian tax authorities in conformity with Slovenian tax regulation.

100 % of all eligible costs will be funded for research organization (such as universities, public and private research institutes) who's financed activity is non-economic in accordance with the provisions of Community Framework for State Aid for Research and Development and Innovation (OJ EU C 198, 27. 6. 2014).

Maximum funding per awarded project

- Recommended cap on funding for one international project is 1.5 mio. EUR;
- Up to max. **279.760** EUR for the period of 36 months if Slovenian applicant is a coordinator (PL) in transnational project consortium;
- Up to max. **186.507** EUR for the period of 36 months if Slovenian applicant is a partner (PI) in the transnational project consortium.

What kind of documentation do we need to submit to MIZS before the end of Full proposal stage (2nd stage)?

Before the end of Full Proposal stage all Slovenian applicants must contact MIZS as the proposed budget for Slovenian applicants will be checked by MIZS prior to official online submission at CHANSE. Slovenian applicants are therefore requested to submit their 1) CHANSE financial budget template and 2) national financial budget template to MIZS.

Furthermore, at the Full Proposals stage, each Slovenian PIs must submit a 3) formal commitment letter signed by the proper authority from their institution (rector of the university or director of the institute) to MIZS. Original signed letter and financial templates must be sent by post.

All the national templates will be provided on MIZS website and/or sent directly to the Slovenian PIs participating at the full proposal stage.

More information on the MIZS's national CHANSE website:

<https://www.gov.si/zbirke/projekti-in-programi/chanse/>

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