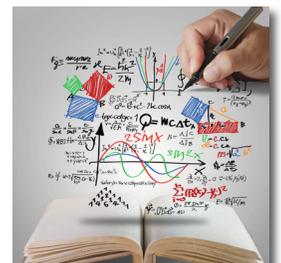


Mathematics and ...

Call 2014

The fourth call within the thematic programme "**Mathematics and ...**" of the Vienna Science and Technology Fund (WWTF) targets

- universities and non-university research institutions as well as scientists and researchers in Vienna, including those moving to Vienna as a result of this call
- who want to conduct an interdisciplinary research project over several years (2-4 years) with potential medium term economic or social benefits.
- Projects should strive for innovative mathematical methods that lead to applicable solutions in and together with other disciplines (a mathematical applicant together with a partner from another discipline or vice versa).
- Innovation is expressed through "inner-mathematical mobility" regarding promising application domains or strong methodological extension (e.g. method itself or combining methods).
- A total of € 4.5 million will be dedicated to this call. Funding range per project is € 200.000-650.000.



This is a two stage call where short proposals have to be submitted until January 31, 2014 and full proposals have to be submitted upon invitation until May 23, 2014.

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WWTF Project Call 2014 "Mathematics and ..." Focus and Key Facts

The WWTF "Mathematics and ..." programme targets high-quality scientific projects with no guaranteed short-term payoff but addressing an area where there is a recognized problem affecting society, economy and/or technology. This is the fourth project call within this thematic priority area addressing Viennese universities and non-university research institutions as well as scientists and researchers in Vienna, including those moving to Vienna as a result of this call.

Funding: The overall budget allocated for this call is € 4.5 million.

Deadlines: The call starts on October 25, 2013 and the deadline for short proposals is January 31, 2014 at 2pm. Note, that this is a **two-stage selection process**; full proposals are only accepted upon invitation. The deadline for full proposals is May 23, 2014 at 2pm.

WWTF provides funding for scientific projects which should

- bring together researchers from mathematics with those from other disciplines
- be characterized by a well-defined scientific research programme addressing clearly identified, promising medium term research questions with specified hypotheses and a catalogue of sound methods to address these questions
- have a proposing team of researchers documenting a scientific track record according to academic age
- include a clear statement of the perspective for medium term economic and/or societal benefits
- last 2-4 years and will typically request WWTF funding between € 200.000 and € 650.000.

Please also consider the following do's and don'ts:

- While the scope in principle includes all areas of mathematics, it excludes projects that are solely applications of existing methods in other application domains. Additionally, purely theoretical projects will not be funded.
- Typically, project proposals cover the whole span from furthering the state-of-the-art in mathematics to using real data sets in promising application domains.
- The main project activities should take place in Vienna. Scientific partners can be based worldwide, up to 20% of funding for researchers may be allocated outside Vienna.
- No industry involvement is required. No funding for industry partners can be provided.

WWTF wants to especially encourage women and young researchers to apply for funding and to act as principal investigators. This means that in case there are more top quality proposals than funding available, those top proposals with women and young researchers as principal investigators will be favoured. For more details kindly refer to the "WWTF Funding Guidelines" and to the "Guide for Writing a Proposal", both available online at www.wwtf.at.

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