# **Development of capacities for research and development II** (Call No 02\_18\_054)



## What is the aim of this call?

The objective of this call is to develop the capacities, knowledge and skills of research organizations' staff. Managers, researchers, as well as other staff can thus increase their expertise in managing research organizations and in strategic management of research and development. The aim of the call is also to create internationally competitive conditions and environment for excellence in research and development. The supported research organizations should achieve this by setting up strategic management in accordance with the terms of the European Charter for Researchers and the Code of Conduct for the Recruitment of Researchers.

# Who can apply for a grant?

• Entities that meet the definition of a research and knowledge dissemination organization according to the Framework for State aid for R&D&I (e.g. HEIs, public research organizations, business corporations, contributory organizations of the State and of the territorial self-governing units, or State organizational units).

Each applicant may submit no more than one grant application.

## What is the amount of financial support?

- Allocation of the call: CZK 1 100 000 000
- Minimum amount of expenditure: CZK 5 000 000
- Maximum amount of expenditure: CZK 70 000 000

### What activities are supported and what is their allocation?

#### Activities mandatory to select:

 setting up a research organization's strategic management in accordance with the terms of the HR Award.

This activity is compulsory for applicants who have not started the HR Award process in at least one component of their organization. For the other applicants, this activity is optional.

#### **Optional activities:**

- strategic set-up and development of human resources, gender equality and management of a research organization,
- strategic set-up and development of internal evaluation of a research organization,
- strategic set-up and development of international research and development (R&D) cooperation and internationalization of a research organization,
- strategic set-up and development of cross-sector cooperation and technology transfer,
- strategic set-up and development of open access to scientific information,
- strategic set-up and development of R&D popularization.

## How and when to apply?

The call was announced on 25. 02. 2019. Grant applications will be received through IS KP14+ (https://mseu.mssf.cz) in the period from 25. 02. 2019, 10:00 till 10. 06. 2019, 14:00.

## Who is the grant provider and where to find further information?

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