

ANNEX: European Country Partnering Awards

Please use this annex in addition to the standard International Partnering Awards guidelines.

Scope: Up to £30,000 is available over a period of 4 years. There are no restrictions on the scientific area for applications to the European Countries Partnering Awards (other than that it must fall within our remit).

European Countries Partnering Awards provide an opportunity for BBSRC researchers to collaborate and access facilities with partners in European countries. The funding enables linkages to and between European countries in a bilateral or multilateral manner. The intention is to enable the initiation of joint working, with a view to preparing future research funding proposals.

Horizon Europe is a particular funding opportunity available to researchers that could be explored as an option to take forward collaborative partnerships, following the pump priming phase of European Partnering Awards. Further details may be found here:

https://ec.europa.eu/info/research-and-innovation/funding/funding-opportunities/funding-programmes-and-open-calls/horizon-europe_en

Application Checklist: Please refer to this checklist in addition to the checklist in the standard guidance document.

✓ The project title must start with the country that you are proposing your partnership with.

NOTE: Institutions subscribing to UKRO (UK Research Office) are reminded that meeting rooms are available at the UKRO offices in Brussels. Further details are available here:

https://www.ukro.ac.uk/aboutukro/Pages/ukro_services.aspx