



Fram Centre

Applications to the terrestrial flagship «Effects of climate change on terrestrial ecosystems, landscapes, society and indigenous peoples» of the Fram Centre for the year 2019:

As in previous years, applications should describe projects belonging to one of the following categories:

- Incentive projects; new pilot studies that may later lead to full research projects or increased collaboration between researchers and/or work packages within the flagship. Incentive projects can also aim for example at testing a new method.
- Research project support; additional support to projects that have obtained funding from external research agencies (e.g. NFR, EU) and where additional support from the flagship give a clear added value, in particular in terms of increased collaboration between flagship members.
- Strategic support; support strategically important flagship activities that lack external funding options. Strategic support may also be applied for to fund work to participate in some processes lead for instance by the Arctic Council, the Nordic Council, or IPCC.
- Outreach projects; extraordinary outreach activities

The projects have to be clearly related to the science plan of the flagship (accessible on www.ifram.no), and the project description should mention which work package(s) of the science plan the project is most relevant for. Pay specific attention to the aims of each work package for the years 2016-2020. We specifically encourage projects with an interdisciplinary or societal approach. This year it is also possible to apply for incentive or strategic funding projects which aim at participation in processes lead by the Arctic Council, the Nordic Council or similar institutions. Moreover, it is possible to apply for support to involve people from non-teaching institutions in teaching activities. Each project can apply for a maximum of 600 000 NOK this year, but the amount granted may be shortened, if there are many good projects..

Projects of the category «Research project support» can receive support for the same number of years as the externally financed project will last. This implies that if the project did not receive support in its first year (because the answer from the funding organization was received after 1. November), support from the flagship can be applied for in the year after the project was completed. Generally, flagship support is granted for maximum three calendar years, but in cases of complex externally financed projects lasting 48 month or more, flagship support for more than three calendar years may be considered. Even if a project extends over several years, it is necessary to apply every year. For new projects of the category «Research project support», the review report of the main project needs to be joined to the application. New projects of the categories «incentive project» or «strategic support», which were not previously reviewed, will be sent to the flagship's external reviewers.

To apply, follow the procedure outline on <http://www.ifram.no/proposal-for-flagship-funding-budget-year-2018.5897301.html>

- Applications should be written in English. Note the 6-page limit.
- A short CV for key participants (at least the project leader) should be attached.
- The application should be uploaded electronically as explained on ifram.no (see above).

Deadline 1. November 2018