

INDONESIA**National Research and Innovation Agency (BRIN)**

The National Research and Innovation Agency (BRIN) contributes to the 2023 Joint Call for Proposals of Science, Technology, and Innovation in the Thematic Areas of Circular Economy (including agriculture and food security, not including water-related projects) and Clean, Accessible, and Secure Energy Supply.

Indonesian Applicants should look into the South East Asia-Europe JFS call for proposals guidelines, which are available in the JFS-2023 Call Text document at <https://www.sea-europe-jfs.eu/call/2023-sti-joint-call-proposals-circular-economy-clean-accessible-and-secure-energy-supply-8th>

All processes for Indonesian applicants of International Research and Innovation Collaboration funding proposals must follow the National Research and Innovation Agency's policies and the RIIM Collaboration Guidelines, which are accessible through the Directorate of Research and Innovation Funding's website at <https://pendanaan-risnov.brin.go.id/>.

Proposals must be written in English, using the JFS template, and include all supporting documents. The applicants must submit proposals to the Directorate of Research and Innovation Funding - BRIN through email at dana-risnov@brin.go.id (subject: CFP8-JFS-Topik-Nama PC-PC Institution) and in parallel have to be submitted electronically to the JFS System through the PT-Outline Web at <https://ptoutline.eu/app/JFS23STI>.

Deadline: April 9, 2024 / 05:00pm Bangkok/Jakarta time

Eligibility

Research proposals must be submitted by Indonesia (based in Indonesia):

- Research institutions (BRIN)
- Universities researcher
- Business entity or community organization in Indonesia

JFS STI Call 2023 National Regulations

This call will fund collaborations between SEA_EU-JFS and Indonesia-based researchers working on Relevance to the 8th JFS Call 2023

Indonesian applicants must be eligible to apply for funding to support the 8th JFS Call 2023.

- The Project Coordinator (PC) is an Indonesian citizen, a BRIN or non-BRIN researcher (university or other research institution in Indonesia, either from a business entity or a community organization), with a doctoral degree and experience conducting research with international partners.
- A team member could only participate in a maximum of two proposals (one as project coordinator and one as a member, or both as a member);
- The project coordinator and members of the research team have relevant experience and expertise to the proposed research, as evidenced by a track record (portfolio) of research activities.

Funding modalities

The RIIM Collaboration funding scheme - BRIN, supported by the Endowment Fund for Education (LPDP) of the Ministry of Finance, encourages Indonesian applicants in science, technology, and innovation in the circular economy and clean, accessible, and secure energy supply.

The proposal budget submitted must be related to the Decisions of the Chairman of the National Research and Innovation Agency Number 2/I/HK/2023 Regarding BRIN Budget Implementation Cost Standards for Fiscal Year 2023 for both The Circular Economy and Clean, Accessible and Secure Energy Supply.

The maximum budget is RP 1,000,000,000 per project per year (including researcher mobility and infrastructure sharing). BRIN will support up to 5 applications. Based on the findings of evaluations each year, research funding can be implemented for a maximum of 3 years.

Indonesian applicants must attach details of the RAB to support BRIN's data needs when evaluating the budget plan (RAB), which includes information on RAB for research and innovation activities, RAB for researcher mobility, and RAB for infrastructure use services (The RAB template is available at <https://pendanaan->

[risnov.brin.go.id/.](https://risnov.brin.go.id/)) The detailed RAB attachment in question should only email at [dana-
risnov@brin.go.id](mailto:dana-
risnov@brin.go.id), not the JFS system.

Funding can in general be applied for:

- **Consumables**

- Purchase/procurement of chemicals/consumables such as raw materials or production components

- **Personnel Costs**

- Honorarium for field workers;

- **Travel and Subsistence**

- Domestic travel, directly related to the research activities;

Mobility of Indonesian and foreign researchers and experts

Mobility of Indonesian and foreign researchers and experts refers to the BRIN researcher mobility scheme (post-doctoral and/or visiting researcher).

- The Researcher Mobility Scheme is restricted to BRIN researchers only.
- For Indonesian researchers who will use the Researcher Mobility Scheme, they must engage the BRIN research group.
- <https://manajementalenta.brin.go.id/> provides information on the mobility of Indonesian and foreign researchers and experts.

- **Equipment**

Indonesian grant can not be use for equipment

Submission

- How to Apply

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Innovation Agency's policies and the RIIM Collaboration Guidelines, which can be found on the Directorate of Research and Innovation Funding's website, <https://pendanaan-risnov.brin.go.id/>.

Indonesian applicants must follow the rules of the 2023 STI Joint Call for Proposals: Circular Economy and Clean, Accessible, and Secure Energy Supply (8th Call), the other calls related to the consortium's composition (2+1 rule), and the other rules specified in the 2023 JFS Call Text Guidance Document.

Indonesian researchers who do not have a partner in question may access the JFS Partnering Tool <https://www.sea-europe-jfs.eu/info-partnering-tool>. The JFS Partnering Tool aims to link ambitious researchers and innovators from Southeast Asia, Europe, the two regions, and beyond. To use the JFS Partnering Tool, simply register with your email address and password.

Indonesian Researchrer applicants and consortiums must comply with the national funding regulations of each participating country, which are available on the JFS website (<https://www.sea-europe-jfs.eu/calls>).

If an Indonesian researcher submits an application as a project coordinator, the proposal must meet the consortium requirements, which require having a 2+1 rule partner and involving collaborators from countries that are participating in the 8th call of the 2023 Joint Call for Proposals of Science, Technology, and Innovation in the Thematic Areas of Circular Economy and Clean, Accessible, and Secure Energy Supply.

If the project coordinator from Indonesian researchers involves partners from non-participating countries, this is allowed; however, the partner institutions must commit to contributing their own funds (The institution's funding commitment letter serves as proof of this).

If Indonesian researchers propose to be team members, the applicants must already have a partner (a project coordinator from the participating country) and other partners assigned according to the 2+1 rules. Proposals submitted by the project coordinator must also be submitted to the BRIN research and innovation funding directorate email address.

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Proposals must be written in English, using the JFS template, and include all supporting documents. All documents must be complete and original. The applicants must submit proposals to the Directorate of Research and Innovation Funding (BRIN) through email at dana-risnov@brin.go.id (subject: CFP8-JFS-Topik-Name of PC-PC Institution) and, in parallel, electronically to the JFS System through the PT-Outline Web at <https://ptoutline.eu/app/JFS23STI>.

If the Indonesian applicant is not the project coordinator (as a team member), proposals should still be submitted only to dana-risnov@brin.go.id (subject: CFP8-JFS-Topik-Name of Indonesian applicant-Name of PC-PC Country) but they are not permitted to submit proposals through the JFS system.

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Prior to an JFS evaluation team begins the substance review process, BRIN will conduct an administrative selection and, in collaboration with the JFS secretariat, assess the applicant's eligibility (not substantive). The JFS Call 2023 evaluation system followed the established criteria and rules.

Applicants who are confirmed to have passed the selection and accepted the BRIN Collaboration RIIM funding scheme through the Southeast Asia and Europe Joint Funding System "Circular Economy And Clean, Accessible, And Secure Energy Supply" will be prompted to apply for the collaboration RIIM funding system electronically through the website <https://pendanaan-risnov.brin.go.id/funding-risnov> for the funding administration process.

The funding disbursement will be executed in two phases. For the second phase of disbursement, the Indonesian Project Coordinator must successfully submit a progress report on the status of joint research to BRIN. After the joint research period is completed, the Indonesian Project Coordinator must submit a final report on the results to BRIN within a month.

Research output refers to the RIIM Collaboration Guidelines and Joint Call Text of the South East Asia -Europe Joint Funding Scheme for Research and Innovation Rules.

Indonesian applicants must follow BRIN policies and rules, consisting of ethical clearance and foreign research permits, material transfer agreements, intellectual property, genetic resources, traditional knowledge, and mandatory disposal, with the following explanation:

- Ethical Clearance and Foreign Research Permit

Researchers and Foreign Parties have to obtain a research permit. To obtain a research permit, Researchers and Foreign Parties must apply for Research Ethical Clearance and foreign research permit request. This application is done through the Research Ethical Clearance information system (<https://klirensetik.brin.go.id/>)

- Material Transfer Agreement

Awardee agree that any tangible research materials required to be taken from the Republic of Indonesia for research purposes of the approved collaborative project shall be transferred through a Material Transfer Agreement (MTA) between concerned research organizations in strict compliance with the legislation of the Republic of Indonesia.

- Intellectual Property

In the event of joint research cooperation, it is the responsibility of the respective member of the collaborating project partners to determine in advance how any exploited IP will be divided amongst the partners in accordance with the prevailing laws and regulations of the respective countries of the institutions Participants and the institutions' policies and procedures. Details of this agreement shall be included in the collaborative agreement.

- Genetic Resources and Traditional Knowledge

1. The Parties recognize the importance of the protection of genetic resources and traditional knowledge associated with genetic resources (hereinafter referred to as the "GRTK"). Awardee to carry out any research activities in accordance with the provisions of International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture (ITPGRFA) FAO, the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) and other international agreements, particularly

taking into account the principle of prior informed consent and of fair and equitable benefit sharing.

2. Details regarding the management of GRTK shall be included in the Collaborative Agreement of any collaborative projects.

▪ Data and material Management

Data and information resulting from the research activities shall be submitted and stored at the Indonesian national repository (Repositori Ilmiah Nasional) through the page <https://rin.brin.go.id/> in accordance with applicable laws and regulations; Material or specimens resulted from the research activities must be lodged with the BRIN cq. Directorate of Scientific Collection Management.

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