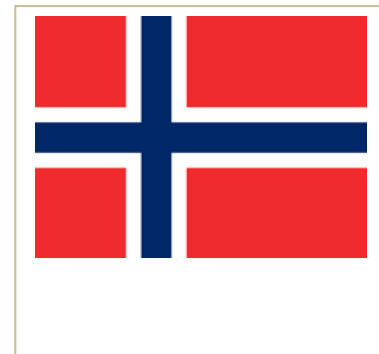


## Norway



### Participating organisation:

The Research Council of Norway (Budget for this call: 1 500 000 €)

### National Contact Person:

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### National funding programme:

Funding programme for FACCE-ERA-NET+:

BIONAER programme (Sustainable innovations in food and bio-based industries)

[www.forskningsradet.no/bionaer](http://www.forskningsradet.no/bionaer)

The Norwegian participation must follow RCN's General Terms and Conditions for R&D Projects: <http://www.forskningsradet.no/servlet/Satellite?c=Page&cid=1138882213515&pagename=ForskningradetEngelsk%2FHovedsidemal>

Only the Norwegian project partners of positively evaluated projects in the first step will be eligible for the second step. Project partners of financed projects will have to submit national application forms to The Research Council of Norway after notification.

### Maximum project duration:

Proposed projects may last up to 36 months

### Maximum funding per project:

The maximum grant for Norwegian participation is set to 500.000 € per proposal.

### **Who can be eligible for funding?**

Norway will support *Researcher Projects* in this call. This implies that the responsible Norwegian partner in the project has to be a Norwegian research institution while Norwegian companies/groups of companies/trade and industry organizations are welcome to join the projects as partners or subcontractors.

Norwegian participation must fulfil RCN's requirements for researcher projects:

<http://www.forskningsradet.no/servlet/Satellite?c=Page&cid=1195592882768&pagename=ForskningsradetEngelsk%2FHovedsidemal>

### **National priorities:**

Norway will prioritize projects on topics related to:

- Genetics and breeding of animals and plants to increase resilience to climate change
- Adaptive management of water and soil resources – but not on topics related to water use, irrigation or drought
- Options for adapting agricultural systems

RCN will prioritize support to Norwegian partners in consortia where the overall idea of the project supports the national agricultural policy.

### **Information meeting:**

The Research Council of Norway will arrange a national information meeting on October 15<sup>th</sup>, 10:00-12:00, in Oslo, for researchers interested in participating in the call.