

Open Calls for Pilot Projects

Objectives of the pilot projects	<p>a) Contribute services, tools and/or data sets to the European Language Grid to increase coverage of ELG.</p> <p>b) Develop applications using language technologies available in the ELG.</p> <p>Results of the projects shall be made available through the ELG.</p>
Funding	<p>From €50.000 (minimum) to €200.000 (maximum amount per project)</p> <p>Approx. €2.000.000 to be distributed in total</p>
Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only SMEs and research organisations • Horizon 2020 eligible countries • One organisation per project only • Two proposals per applicant will be accepted for evaluation • Resubmission is allowed in the second call
Proposals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short proposal (approx. 5 – 10 pages, incl. formalities) • Lightweight procedure
Evaluation criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objective fit • Technical approach • Business, Integration and Dissemination (“BID”) plan • Budget adequacy • Team
Project execution	<p>Four-phase process, consisting of the following activities:</p> <p>(1) Open call</p> <p>(2) Experiment</p> <p>(3) Integration</p> <p>(4) Dissemination</p>
Schedule	<p>First call</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • published: March 2020 • project submission period: March – April 2020 • project start: July 2020 • project duration: 9 – 12 months <p>Second call</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • published: September 2020 • project submission period: September – October 2020 • project start: January 2021 • project duration: 9 – 11 months
Funding Principle	<p>Lump Sum in three payments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 50 % after signing the contract 2. 35 % after demonstrating the results after the end of activity Experiment 3. 15 % after completing the activities Integration and Dissemination
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