

Research Grants Calls 2018 (Feb 2018 update) - Compiled by CAES /MAK Research Grants Office

Call	Funder	Thematic focus	Amount	Deadline	Who is eligible	Further details
RESEARCH GRANTS						
FAO: Fourth Call for Proposals under the Benefit-sharing Fund	FAO International	Bringing technology and knowledge to the community and farm levels, and highlighting the important role of women in biodiversity management, farming and rural development.		1-Mar-18	Applicants include governmental and non-governmental organizations, including farmers and farmers' organizations, genebanks and research institutions, as well as regional and international organizations based in developing countries	www.fao.org/plant-treaty/news-detail/en/c/1073028/
JRS Biodiversity Foundation Call for proposals	JRS Biodiversity Foundation	Biodiversity data, knowledge and information services related to freshwater biodiversity and pollinator biodiversity	USD \$1600000	9-Mar-18		jrsmultimedia.org/how-to-apply/current-opportunities/2018-rfp
Minor Foundation for Major Challenges' Grant Program	The Minor Foundation	Promote efforts to protect the natural environment, primarily through the support of national and international projects.		30-Mar-18	Advocacy organisations and projects aiming to influence public opinion and increasing political support for cutting GHG emissions	www.minor-foundation.no/for-grantseekers
CFC 12th Call for Proposals	Common Fund for Commodities (CFC)	Field of commodity development, including agriculture, minerals and metals in Developing Countries		15-Apr-18	Share CFC's values, including internationally recognized principles concerning human rights, labour, the environment and anti-corruption as reflected in the United Nations Global Compact	https://www2.fundforcommodities.org/economic-development/common-fund-commodities-12th-call-proposals-support-commodity-development/
Nestlé Foundation — Human Nutrition in Developing Countries 2018	Nestlé Foundation	Research in human nutrition, food policy, food production, and food technology in low-income and lower middle-income countries	\$20,000- \$ 50,000	10-May-18		www.nestlefoundation.org/e/research.html
Tropical Rainforests	The Waterloo Foundation	Preference will be given to initiatives working to protect tropical rainforests for their value to the climate, communities and biodiversity, principally through avoided deforestation. We will consider both practical local projects, and strategic initiatives.	£50,000 - £100,000	1st December every year	NGOs	http://waterloofoundation.org.uk/Environment/TropicalRainforests.html

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Agropolis Foundation — Research and Education in Agriculture for Sustainable Development	The Agropolis Foundation in France	Seeks partnerships to address the world's challenges related to food, agriculture, and biodiversity.		Open	Co-investment arrangements with private and public partners	http://terravivagrants.org/agropolis-foundation-research-and-education-in-agriculture-for-sustainable-development-2/
CHALLENGE AWARDS						
Africa Biosciences Challenge Fund 2017-2018	International Livestock Research Institute / The Biosciences eastern and central Africa (BecA) Hub awards	Agricultural research		Ongoing basis through 30 June 2018	Candidates should be currently engaged in agricultural research and be affiliated with a national agricultural research system	http://terravivagrants.org/international-livestock-research-institute-africa-biosciences-challenge-fund-
SCHOLARSHIP/TRAINING SUPPORT						