

APPLICATION FORMS:

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Take note: there is always an institutional internal closing date to allow for review, feedback and validation. This will be indicated in the Calls sent out by DRD.

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GRANTS FOR BILATERAL & MULTILATERAL COLLABORATION



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ABOUT THE PROGRAMME

At national level bilateral or multilateral agreements are signed and funding made available in South Africa and its partner countries. The purpose of these programmes is to enhance scientific and technological cooperation between South Africa and one (bilateral), two (trilateral) or several (multilateral) partner countries. These programmes encourage collaboration between students, postdoctoral fellows and academic staff members in South Africa, and students, postdoctoral fellows and academic staff members in partner countries. It provides early career researchers in South Africa with the opportunity to establish and develop sustainable international research networks.

FUNDING CATEGORIES:

- Mobility: exchange research visits of academic staff, postdoctoral fellows and doctoral students.
- Joint workshops, seminars or networking events
- Small equipment and/or consumables (10%—15% of the total budget)

It does not fund salaries, student bursaries, postdoctoral fellowships or large equipment.

GRANT AMOUNT:

Grants range from R300 000 to R1.5 million in total over two or three years on the South African side, depending on the type of Call.

Collaborators in partner countries would normally receive an equivalent amount in their currency.

CALLS FOR APPLICATION:

Funding is Call-based at different intervals throughout the year. DRD sends out Calls by email to all SU academic staff members. Call information is also available at: www.nrf.ac.za

PARTNER COUNTRIES:

Since 2014 Calls have been sent out for collaboration with:

Argentina	Japan
Austria	Kenya
Belgium	Namibia
Brazil	Poland
BRICS	Romania
China	South Korea
Egypt	Sweden
Finland	Switzerland
France	Taiwan
Germany	Tanzania
India	Tunisia
Italy	Uganda
	UK

Calls envisaged for 2017 are with:

Brazil
BRICS (Brazil, Russia, India, China, SA)
China
Germany
Iran
Jamaica
Japan
Mexico
Oman
Portugal
SA - Tanzania - Swiss Trilateral
Sweden

