MinErAL

Call for Proposals
November 2019

Project Application Form

Project evaluation will be based on the following criteria:

- A researcher can only lead one research project;
- Addresses the objectives of the network;
- Addresses in priority the WP 4 and 6
- Involves at least researchers from two regions covered by MinErAL
- Demonstrates a strong interdisciplinary framework;
- Demonstrates a close collaboration between researchers and partners and with local communities;
- Follows leading-edge ethics of research with indigenous communities;
- Generates knowledge that will have far-reaching impacts in Canada and beyond;
- Provides creative knowledge mobilization plan, including communication of results to indigenous communities.

Project duration should be of 2-3 years

Application deadline: November 10, 2019.

Questions or comments please contact MinErAL coordinator:

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of <u>main applicant</u>

Institution, Department, Faculty

Address for correspondence

Phone, email

Organization name and contact person for transfer of funds

Co-applicants: name, position, institution, email

Partners involved

Title of proposed project

Abstract of proposed research (max 250 words)

Please provide a nontechnical summary of proposed research objectives and significance. This will be used on the MinErAL website if the project is funded.

RESEARCH PROPOSAL 2-3 pages (1.5 spacing, Font 12)

1. Indicate which work package (s) will be addressed by proposed research:
   WP1 - Gap analysis and comparison
   WP2 - The interrelations of social, cultural, well-being and natural impacts
   WP3 - Work regimes and indigenous employment
   WP4 - Indigenous legal and political rights
   WP5 - Sustainable regional and local development
   WP6 - Glocal encounters

   * **In this call for proposals, research projects addressing WP4 or WP6 will be prioritized in funding**

2. Project description
   This section should include:

   Project context;
   Objectives and significance in relation to MinErAL's objectives and research themes;
   Methodology;
   Duration (1-3 years);
   Academic training (how many students, their roles, what skills will they acquire etc.)
   Indigenous student's training (we strongly encourage the hire and training of indigenous research assistants when possible)
   Roles and responsibilities of partners
   How will this project benefit communities facing resource development?

3. Knowledge mobilization plan
   Academic community (conferences, peer-reviewed papers)
   Indigenous communities and policy-makers (podcasts, video capsules, non-technical documents, etc.)

4. Budget
   Budget items for student grants and salaries; fieldwork; travel; supplies, knowledge dissemination activities and other expenses.

   Budget justification on how each of the budget items relates to the objectives of the proposed research.

   Name the other sources of funding for this project, the funding organization, the amount and the period covered by this funding.

* **In this call for proposals, a maximum budget of $30 000/year per project can be allocated.**
* **Additional funding of $15 000 can be allocated for the realization of a guide on one of the WP of the network (see attribution rules for more details).**
* **Additional funding equivalent to a minimum of 20 percent of the amount requested from MinErAL must come from another source.**
* **Funding for postdoctoral fellowship will be allocated following a call for postdoctoral projects. No funding will be available directly to postdoctoral student through this call for proposals.**

5. Ethics

If your project involves human subjects, please let us know if you have already secured your ethic certification with your university or when you plan to secure it. Also, if you require a research permit (e.g. Nunatsiavut, Nunavut, Yukon) to undertake your research, let us know where you are in the process and attach copies of letters of permission if available.