Belmont Forum International Opportunities Fund

Call for Proposal 2012

Sources for Belmont IOF

Legal Name	Acronym	Country	Participating in the Theme on	
			Freshwater Security M€	Coastal Vulnerability M€
The Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization	CSIRO	Australia	In kind*	In kind*
São Paulo Research Foundation	FAPESP	Brazil	1.5	1.0
Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada	NSERC	Canada	1.5	Х
Agence Nationale de la Recherche	ANR	France	1.5	1.5
Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft	DFG	Germany	1.5	1.0
Ministry of Earth Sciences, Government of India	MoES	India	0.5	0.5
Japan Science and Technology Agency Japan Society for the Promotion of Science	JST JSPS	Japan	0.5	1.5
Russian Foundation for Basic Research	RFBR	Russia	1.0	0.5
National Research Foundation	NRF	South Africa	0.25	p.25
Natural Environment Research Council and Economic and Social Research Council	NERC and ESRC	United Kingdom	1.3	1.5
National Science Fondation	NSF	USĂ	1.0	1.0

Theme 1: Freshwater Security

- To Identify and characterize the interactions between natural processes and human practices that govern water budgeting in selected regions.
- To develop approaches that support the evolution of resilient communities/regions

Theme 2: Coastal Vulnerability

- To characterize natural process and human interactions that govern coastal vulnerability and resilience.
- To develop predictive frameworks and adaptive coastal management strategies that support the evolution of resilient coastal communities.

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Details:

- Medium-sized regionally-based project;
- 2-3 years duration;
- € 1-2 million per project;
- At least 3 countries, at least 1 academic partner;
- natural science and social science

Timeline:

- Short Pre-proposal: July 20th, 2012
- Invite submission of Full Proposal: Sept. 20th, 2012
- Full Proposal submission: Dec. 20th, 2012

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Selection criteria

- Quality/intellectual merit
- User engagement and societal/broader impacts
- Interdisciplinary and personnel/quality of the consortium
- Resources and management