

Ecology and evolution of infectious diseases

UK-US collaborative funding

Call status: Open

Application deadline: 20 November 2013

Summary

BBSRC, in collaboration with:

- National Science Foundation (NSF)
- National Institutes of Health (NIH)
- U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)

announce a call for collaborative projects involving researchers from the US and UK under the Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases programme (EEID).

Scope

The funders wish to encourage high quality, innovative research conducted by inter-disciplinary teams of researchers. The research is expected to address international research priorities that will inform and impact on policy and practice, in particular:

- For US-UK collaborative projects, the UK component must be within our remit (see our portfolio in related links)
- The focus of US-UK collaborative projects should be on understanding the transmission dynamics of pathogens of **farmed animals or crops**, especially (but not only) those that cause **food-borne** human diseases or **vector-borne** diseases (of animals or plants), or **of trees in managed forests or the wider environment**.
- Collaborative proposals can include both research projects and research coordination networks. The UK component of the collaborative proposal must fit within our remit.

For further information on the scope of the call, specific areas of interest and how to apply can be found on the NSF website. (see external links).

The EEID programme will contribute to the UK multi-partner programmes in:

- Global Food Security
- Living With Environmental Change

How to apply

Applicants should contact the main UK Programme Officer at BBSRC to discuss the remit of their proposal and to confirm that the UK component is appropriate and falls within our remit. Contact details below.

Applications must be submitted via the NSF. Application preparation and submission instruction can be found on the NSF website (see external links).

For UK Applicants: Costing for the UK component of the project should be entered on the Je-S system but Je-S form should not be submitted electronically to BBSRC at this stage but the completed PDF documents (Je-S proforma and CVs) should then be forwarded to the US Principal Investigator for

inclusion as a supplementary document in the proposal and an electronic copy of the document submitted to BBSRC (see supplementary guidance).

Related links

- [2012: Ecology and evolution of infectious diseases](#)
- [Our portfolio](#)

Downloads

You may need to download additional [plug-ins](#) to open

- [EEID solicitation \(PDF 341KB\)](#)
- [Supplementary guidance \(PDF 29KB\)](#)

External links

BBSRC is not responsible for the content of external websites

- [Je-S system](#) 
- [NSF: Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases \(EEID\)](#) 

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