



***Russian Foundation for Basic Research (RFBR) &
Austrian Science Fund (FWF)***

PERMANENT CALL

Joint Projects (JP):

Submission: **submission possible at any time**

Project Duration: up to 3 years

Decision: continuously

Joint Projects are bilateral research projects which are based on a **close integration** of the project parts in Austria and Russia. Scientists from Russia and from Austria apply **simultaneously** for their respective project parts **at their country's organisation**, using the forms prescribed by their national funding agency. The **titles** of both applications **must be the same**. The applications are evaluated separately by FWF and RFBR. Only if **both organisations approve** the respective proposals, the Joint Project will be funded.

Application guidelines for FWF Applicants:

For applicants at FWF the **application guidelines for stand-alone projects** ("Einzelprojekte") apply (http://www.fwf.ac.at/de/applications/p/p_antragsrichtlinien.pdf). In addition, attention should be paid to the "**Info-Blatt Joint Projects**" that can be found here: http://www.fwf.ac.at/de/applications/i-internationale_kooperationsprojekte.html.

Eligible Scientific Fields:

- 01 mathematics, mechanics, informatics;
- 02 physics and astronomy;
- 03 chemistry;
- 04 biology and medical science;
- 05 earth sciences;
- 06 humanities and social sciences (*Applicants should contact RFBR regarding the possibility of funding their topic.*)
- 07 information, computer and telecommunication resources;
- 08 fundamentals of engineering sciences

Joint Seminars (JS)

Aim: Preparation of common project applications

Submission deadline: **submission possible at any time, but at least six months prior to envisaged date of the Joint Seminar**

Location: Russia or Austria

Scientists from Russia and Austria apply at their country's respective funding organisation. The titles of both applications must be the same.

The "**sending organisation**" will meet the expenses up to the nearest airport/railway station of the visited location for a maximum number of 8 scientists (international travel expenses).

The "**receiving side**" will pick up the visiting scientists from/to airport/ railway stations and cover their local costs.

FWF currently funds JS up to a maximum sum of **10.000,- EUR** per seminar.

Applicants at FWF should use the FWF **application form for Joint Seminars** and consult the **application guidelines for Joint Seminars** (*Antragsrichtlinien Joint Seminars*):

<http://www.fwf.ac.at/de/applications/ajs-joint-seminars.html>.

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