

## FWF Board Meeting, June 22-24 2020

Programme	Number of applications/projects <sup>1</sup>				EURO (million) <sup>1</sup>		
	Decisions issued	Average time until decision (months)	Approved projects	Approval rate (%)	Total funding requested	Total funding approved	Approval rate <sup>2</sup> (%)
Stand-Alone Projects	168	4.9	45	26.8	63.64	17.03	26.8
International programmes <sup>3</sup>	114	5.7	32	28.1	37.03	9.83	26.5
START Programme	115	9.1	7	6.1	133.81	8.04	6.0
Wittgenstein Award	24	9.1	1	4.2	36.00	1.50	4.2
Erwin Schrödinger Programme	14	3.6	6	42.9	1.55	0.68	43.9
Lise Meitner Programme	35	3.8	9	25.7	5.93	1.55	26.2
Career development for women in science	86	6.3	24	27.9	23.93	6.67	27.9
Clinical Research	13	4.1	3	23.1	4.34	1.09	25.1
1000 Ideas Programme <sup>4</sup>	306	5.2	24	7.8	42.86	3.40	7.9
Stand-Alone Publications	25	3.4	13	52.0	0.32	0.18	56.8
<b>Total new grants</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>18.2</b>	<b>349.40</b>	<b>49.97</b>	<b>14.3</b>
<b>Supplementary grants</b>						<b>0.08</b>	
<b>Total grants</b>						<b>50.05</b>	

<sup>1</sup> For programmes with small numbers of applications, approval rates may show high levels of fluctuation between the five decision-making meetings held each year. Due to the decision-making procedures for matching funds with the Austrian provincial governments and in international programmes the overall values for the year may deviate from the cumulative values for the individual board meetings. The figure includes decisions regarding applications, either rejections or approvals. Except for START Programme and Wittgenstein Award, the figure does not include a) withdrawal of submissions, b) submissions cancelled by the FWF Board, and c) submissions that need to be reevaluated.

<sup>2</sup> Approval rate calculated on the basis of unrounded figures.

<sup>3</sup> Preliminary decisions made by the FWF Board subject to approval of funding by international partner organisations. Approvals are not communicated to applicants until those organisations have issued their approval.

<sup>4</sup> 282 applications were rejected. Out of these, 19 applications were "approved, but not funded" due to budgetary limitations.