

General information

Project title in Estonian	*	<input type="text"/>
Project title in English	*	<input type="text"/>
Postdoctoral applicant		FirstName LastName
Postdoctoral applicant's CV	*	<input type="text"/> You can drag files to this box or use the upload button (max 10 MB)
PhD acquisition date	*	<input type="text"/>
Host institution in Estonia	*	<input type="text"/>
Supervisor		<input type="text"/>
Supervisor's CV	*	<input type="text"/> You can drag files to this box or use the upload button (max 10 MB)
Mobilitas Plus eligibility period		01.01.2016 - 31.12.2022
Project start date (mm.yyyy)	*	<input type="text"/>
Project end date (mm.yyyy)	*	<input type="text"/>
I have been on parental leave or in compulsory military service after obtaining my first doctoral degree <input type="checkbox"/>		



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Field of research and summaries

Field of research, speciality and % * Add New

Summary in Estonian	* ?	<p>Please write an abstract-like description of your project, explaining what the idea is all about, what the expected outcomes are, and why these are important. This description should be understandable for a non-specialist audience. If the application will be approved, this summary will be made public.</p> <p>The maximum length is 1000 characters (incl. spaces). Unused characters (incl. spaces): 1000</p> <input type="text"/>
Summary in English	* ?	<p>Please write an abstract-like description of your project, explaining what the idea is all about, what the expected outcomes are, and why these are important. This description should be understandable for a non-specialist audience. If the application will be approved, this summary will be made public.</p> <p>The maximum length is 1000 characters (incl. spaces). Unused characters (incl. spaces): 1000</p> <input type="text"/>
Keywords	* ?	<p>Please include 3-6 keywords for indexing purposes (select the keywords that will make it easier to find the best reviewers for your application).</p> <p>The maximum length is 1000 characters (incl. spaces). Unused characters (incl. spaces): 1000</p> <input type="text"/>

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Budget

Research type

* ☐ Basic research ☐ Applied research

Research methodology

* ☐ Experimental ☐ Non-experimental

Explanation on research methodology

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Please explain your previous choice (experimental or non-experimental).

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I would like to receive the relocation allowance (applicable if the applicant has not lived, worked or studied in Estonia for 180 days immediately prior to the closing date of the call)

Total costs **51 000,00 EUR**

incl. direct costs for the Postdoctoral applicant

40 800,00 EUR

incl. overhead

10 200,00 EUR

Self-financing by the institution **2 469,78 EUR**

I have previously received Estonian state scholarship funding in order to obtain a PhD abroad with the requirement to return to Estonia to continue my research

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Justification of postdoctoral research project

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Scientific background of the research project

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General theoretical background, relevance and novelty of the project. The application is evaluated for its general (international) level, interest to research as well as its potential for the creation of new knowledge.

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The main objectives of the project, hypotheses, research questions, description of methods, and the annual research plans

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Main objectives, hypotheses, methods, the degree of elaboration of the project plan and its time frame. The application is evaluated for its degree of elaboration; the validity of the planned methodology and its appropriateness for implementing the project, and whether the planned activities and timeline of attaining the objectives are realistic.

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Expected results and their potential applicability, as well as possible future research directions

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Expected results, their potential applicability, and possible future directions of research. The application is evaluated for the degree to which the prospective results will make a substantial contribution to the development of science and technology.

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Dissemination of results

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Please describe how the results of the project will be disseminated to the wider public (non-specialist audience).

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Data management

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Please describe which data will be created, managed, or collected; which methods and standards will be applied; will the data be shared or made public and in which way; how the data will be stored during the period of the project and preserved after the end of the project. You can also upload a separate data management plan on the bottom of this tab.

A description of the applicant's previous R&D activities relevant to this project ★ ?

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The quality and results of the applicant's previous research activities, his/her capacity to carry out the proposed project, and experience in (international) research cooperation. The applicant's experience is evaluated by the scope of participation in research projects (home and abroad), the number and quality of publications, participation in conferences, skills obtained, and other research activities.

A description of the supervisor's * ? previous R&D activities relevant to this project

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The qualification and capacity of the supervisor to carry out this project is evaluated in the light of the supervisor's previous research and results (on international level), the number and quality of publications, number of successfully supervised PhD dissertations and postdoctoral fellows, the scope of managing and/or participating in domestic and/or International R&D projects (including research cooperation with the private sector), and other research-related activities.

The list of references, charts and schemes cited or referred to in this Justification

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In case of need please attach as separate files: 1. list of references, 2. schemes, graphs or pictures explaining the relevant issues in the justification, 3. research timeline e.g. graph or table, 4. data management plan. Please attach only .rtf, or .pdf files. No other files are allowed. If other files have been added, the application will be returned for making corrections.

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Meeting the ethical requirements

Confirmation of adherence to the * ? requirements of research ethics

The applicants are required to consider the potential risks related to ethical issues of any procedure in the research projects involving human participation, personal/sensitive data, experiments with animals or research on genetic resources. The applicants need to describe how the requirements of voluntary participation, informed consent, confidentiality and anonymity of subjects will be followed. Please use the Ethics Guidelines for explaining the ethical issues related to your project.

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Is the ethics committee decision mandatory? ☐

Does the project necessitate compliance with the Nagoya protocol? * ☒ Yes ☐ No

Compliance with the Nagoya Protocol * ?

For the use of animals, plants, or microorganisms in compliance with the Nagoya Protocol, please give details on what type of genetic material will be used and how exactly.

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Due diligence declaration ?

The due diligence declaration has to be submitted only if the utilisation of the genetic resources in question is within the scope of the Nagoya Protocol. If the due diligence declaration has already been declared in DECLARE, it should be added to the application. If the due diligence declaration has not been declared yet, it must be declared by the end of the project at the latest. Only .pdf or .bdoc files can be uploaded.



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Projects related to the postdoctoral research project (0) [Browse from ETIS](#)

The relationship between the proposed project and the ongoing or recent research of the applicant and the supervisor *

Please name the related research projects and describe how the proposed project fits in with your and your supervisor's other ongoing projects in the same research field(s). If the project is not related to your and your supervisor's other ongoing projects in the same research field(s), please explain the choice of the research topic.

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Research infrastructure needed for the postdoctoral research project

Research infrastructure (at the host institution or at other sites) related to the project *

Please describe the availability of the research infrastructure (at the host institution or at other sites) necessary for achieving the objectives of the project.

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Impact of the postdoctoral research project

Impact of the project on the development of the economy and civil society, project impact in terms of meeting the aims of the Mobilitas Pluss

* ? Mobilitas Pluss aims to: 1) strengthen the international competitiveness of Estonian researchers and research performing organisations, including companies; 2) expand international collaboration and professional development opportunities for the state, R&D institutions, higher education institutions, companies, students, and academic staff by improving intersectoral and international mobility and cooperation (opportunities).

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Project's expected impact on horizontal issues

The expected effect of financed projects on the horizontal themes is at least neutral. If the indicator is not neutral, please explain. x

Issue	Impact	Comment
Impact on regional development	<input type="radio"/> Positive <input checked="" type="radio"/> Neutral	<div>The maximum length is 300 characters (incl. spaces). Unused characters (incl. spaces): 300</div> <div></div>
Impact on environmental care and climate	<input type="radio"/> Positive <input checked="" type="radio"/> Neutral	<div>The maximum length is 300 characters (incl. spaces). Unused characters (incl. spaces): 300</div> <div></div>
Impact on civil society development	<input type="radio"/> Positive <input checked="" type="radio"/> Neutral	<div>The maximum length is 300 characters (incl. spaces). Unused characters (incl. spaces): 300</div> <div></div>
Impact on ensuring equal opportunities	<input type="radio"/> Positive <input checked="" type="radio"/> Neutral	<div>The maximum length is 300 characters (incl. spaces). Unused characters (incl. spaces): 300</div> <div></div>
Impact on state governing development	<input type="radio"/> Positive <input checked="" type="radio"/> Neutral	<div>The maximum length is 300 characters (incl. spaces). Unused characters (incl. spaces): 300</div> <div></div>
Impact on information society development	<input type="radio"/> Positive <input checked="" type="radio"/> Neutral	<div>The maximum length is 300 characters (incl. spaces). Unused characters (incl. spaces): 300</div> <div></div>

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Additional information

Please choose the language for communicating with you regarding this application * ☒ Estonian ☐ English

Co-supervisor

Co-supervisor's CV

? If there is a need for a co-supervisor, owing to the specificity of the project, then it has to be explained in detail and his/her CV has to be added.



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Other files related to the application (documents describing the topics of „Justification“ in more detail are not allowed)

? Other application related files, for example state aid information in case the applicant is not a positively evaluated research and development institution or the support will be used for economic activity. The state aid form can be found here: <http://www.etag.ee/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/Riigiabi-vorm-ettevõtetele.docx>



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Other information related to the application

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Oppose reviewers

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? If you would like to identify anyone who you would prefer not to review your project (up to 3 names), please enter their names in the following textbox.

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Providing access for persons who can see the application in addition to the Post-Doctoral Fellow and Supervisor.



Access by default ?

Person	Permission
Kristi Kukk	Write

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Submission ?

ⓘ Please make following amendments:

- Field "Research methodology" is mandatory!
- Field "PhD acquisition date" is mandatory!
- Applicant's CV is mandatory!
- Supervisor's CV is mandatory!
- Field "Supervisor" is mandatory!
- Field "Field of research, speciality and %" is mandatory!
- Sum of percentages of fields of research must be 100%!
- Field "Explanation on research methodology" is mandatory!
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- Field "Research type" is mandatory!
- Field "Information on considerations how ethical issues involved in the proposed research will be followed" is mandatory!
- Field "Compliance with the Nagoya Protocol" is mandatory!
- Field "Does the project necessitate compliance with the Nagoya protocol?" is mandatory!

Confirmations:

- The information provided in the application corresponds to the requirements and conditions of the „Guidelines for Mobilitas Plus postdoctoral grant applications“.
- The host institution must conclude a valid employment contract with the postdoctoral applicant mentioned in the application in case of grant approval.
- The host institution and postdoctoral applicant are aware of the requirements for informing the public in case of receiving the grant as per the Structural Aid Act Article 39 Sub-Section 10.
- The host institution and postdoctoral applicant are aware that the data related to the aforementioned grant will be public as per the Structural Aid Act Article 39 Sub-Section 3.
- The host institution and postdoctoral applicant are aware that grant approval might be reversed and baseless grant must be repaid if there exists financial correction as per the Structural Aid Act Article 45 Sub-Section 1 or the grant approval decision is annulled if there exist annulation conditions as per the Structural Aid Act Article 22 Sub-Section 3.
- The host institution and postdoctoral applicant are aware of the effect of profits on receiving the grant and has considered the limits on profit gains when compiling the application.
- The host institution and postdoctoral applicant agree that they can be audited and checked as per the Structural Aid Act.
- The supported activities will be completed during the eligibility period described in the grant approval conditions order, but not later than by December 31, 2022.
- Supported activities have not been completed or fully implemented prior to the application, regardless of whether the costs have been paid.
- Support is not requested for costs that have already received support from other measures or national or other foreign aid resources.
- The host institution must cover self-financing and costs not eligible for compensation.
- The host institution and postdoctoral applicant are aware, that in case the host institution is a legal person in private law, the support is considered as de minimis state aid which can not exceed 200 000 EUR over any period of three fiscal years for a single undertaking.
- Document and information hand-over will take place via ETIS.
- The application has been written by the postdoctoral applicant and the host institution.
- The host institution complies with sections 2 and 3 of Government Regulation no 133 (<https://www.riigiteataja.ee/akt/126082014006?leiaKehtiv>) from 21 August 2014 (including: has no tax debt to the state, is not bankrupt, is not in difficulty, has no unexecuted orders to recover unlawful or misused aid etc)
- Each part of this application complies with ethical principles (including the highest standards of research integrity, as set out, for instance, in the European Code of Conduct for Research Integrity, and, in particular, that fabrication, falsification, plagiarism, or other research misconduct has been avoided).