



Deadline	Mon 25 Jul 2022 23:59:59 CET (IOCB deadline Mon 18 Jul 2022)
Call name	MEYS: INTER-ACTION: Joint Czech Republic-United States of America Research Projects 2023 – 2027
www	MEYS call: https://www.msmt.cz/vyzkum-a-vyvoj-2/vyhlaseni-verejne-souteze-v-programu-inter-excellence-ii-3 MEYS programme: https://www.msmt.cz/vyzkum-a-vyvoj-2/program-podpory-mezinarodni-spoluprace-ve-vyzkumu-vyvoji-a MEYS sub-programme: http://www.msmt.cz/vyzkum-a-vyvoj-2/inter-action-1
Focused on	Bilateral projects in basic or applied research, and experimental development in all research areas.
PI	Senior researcher, junior researcher, postdoc
Eligible organisation	Research institutions, universities, SMEs and large enterprises based in the Czech Republic The project proposal has to be submitted by one Czech main proposer/ organization; within project realization collaboration with one or more other Czech partner institution(s) is possible.
Target group	1-X Czech research groups; senior researchers, junior researchers, postdocs, PhD students, technicians, SME representatives;
Expected outputs	At least one of following outputs is required: Publication in journals with impact factor (J_{imp} , J_{sc}); book (B); utility model, industrial model (F); prototype, functional sample (G); patent (P); software (R); trial operation verified technology, variety, breed (Z);
Call opens	8 Jun 2022
IOCB deadline	Mon 18 Jul 2022
Final deadline	Mon 25 Jul 2022 23:59:59 CET
Evaluation results	30 November 2022
Signature of agreement	
Earliest date of implementation	01 March 2023
Latest date of implementation	31 Dec 2027 latest date of project termination
Sustainability	none
Reporting	Annual or final reports: by 30 January every year
Project duration (min-max)	3 – 5 years
Allocation for the call	Max. 300 M CZK (2023: 40 M CZK + 2024: 75 M CZK + 2025: 75 M CZK + 2026: 70 M CZK + 2027: 40 M CZK)
Project budget (min-max)	none
Success rate	35.2 % (2019), 21.7 % (2018)
Eligible costs	Direct costs: personnel costs, goods & services (consumables and supplies), outsourcing (subcontracting max 10 %), depreciation of tangible and non-tangible assets (<i>odpisy DHM a DNM</i>), travel costs Indirect costs: overheads max 25% of direct costs without subcontracting
Reimbursement	Research organizations: 100 % SMEs, large enterprises: 100% basic research; 50% industrial research; 25 % experimental development
Mode of funding	ex-ante (payment within 60 calendar days from signing the agreement or within 60 calendar days from 1 January)
Language of application	Czech
Provider	Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic (MEYS) www.msmt.cz Contact person: Ms. Mária Krausová, +420 234 812 296, maria.krausova@msmt.cz
Call identifier	LUAUS23
Call info	INTER-ACTION aims to support participation of research groups from Czech research organization in Joint Czech-US research projects based on international agreements about cooperation in R&D
Co nditions / Restrictions	The intention to cooperate between the Czech applicant and the American partner must be documented with a "Letter of Intent" annexed to the project proposal. Guidelines are in Czech only. The project proposal must be written in Czech. The proposal has to be prepared in the new on-line application system https://isix.msmt.cz/ The proposal must be submitted through the data box (datová schránka) vidaawt .

	<p>The sum of workloads for one person in all projects INTER EXCELLENCE I. and II. funded by MSMT cannot exceed 1 FTE.</p> <p>Costs should be proposed in CZK, rounding to thousands is not required. Justification of all individual planned costs is required.</p> <p>Max size of the proposal file is 10 MB plus additional max. 100 MB for all annexes in total; 10 MB per file.</p>
Proposal consists of	<p>The Czech part of the project proposal (in Czech).</p> <p>Project proposals must be prepared in the ISIX online application system https://isix.msmt.cz/.</p> <p>The project proposal consists of the following parts:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Project proposal "Návrh projektu" (Contact details of the Czech and foreign proposers and their institutions; project annotation, project introduction, project framework, project description, objectives and goals; project periods and expected results; project strategy and Methodology; project and research team; budget and justification.) 2) The signature page(s) of the project proposal (generated by the ISIX system and signed by the director). 3) Annexes uploaded to the ISIX system: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) CV of the main PI and other key team members "Životopis hlavního řešitele a klíčových osob"; b) PDF file with graphics (pictures, tables, diagrams, ...), that can be part of the proposal (attached as PDF due to the technical limitation of the web application). c) Signed consent to the processing of personal data "Souhlas se zpracováním osobních údajů" must be uploaded to the application (required for PI and all team members); d) Letter of Intent – confirming future collaboration on the joint project ("Doložení záměru spolupráce") e) Proposal of the Agreement on participation in the project "Návrh smlouvy o účasti na řešení projektu" (agreement between Czech partners – if relevant); f) Signed Statutory declaration of the eligibility to solve the project "Čestné prohlášení o způsobilosti k řešení projektu" must be uploaded to the application (required from IOCB and other Czech partner institutions). g) Special licences (if required for the project implementation) <p>The Statutory declaration will be provided by the Project Office and must be uploaded to the proposal before final conversion to the PDF (required from IOCB and other Czech partner institutions)</p> <p>The project proposal has to be converted to PDF format and together with the generated first page of the proposal must be sent by email to the Project Office (projectoffice@uochb.cas.cz) who will submit it to the MEYS via its data box.</p> <p>The project proposal should be reopened after the final PDF version is generated only when this is extremely unavoidable. If you do reopen the project you must ensure that the versions for the submitted project and submitted signature page match!</p>
Evaluation criteria	Three main criteria: Scientific excellence (60 points); Impact (60 points); Implementation (60 points). Single-round evaluation: 2 external reviews plus Scientific Advisory Committee.
Research areas	All research areas
Call workshop	
IOCB contact	<p>Please inform IOCB Project Office about your intention to apply.</p> <p>Do not hesitate to contact us anytime for consulting, discussion or help.</p> <p>Veronika Palečková, veronika.paleckova@uochb.cas.cz, 420 220 183 266</p> <p>Jitka Šilerová, jitka.silerova@uochb.cas.cz, +420 220 183 229</p> <p>Blanka Collis, blanka.collis@uochb.cas.cz, +420 220 183 527</p>
Download documents	<p>LUAUS23 Summary</p> <p>LUAUS23 Guidelines (in Czech only)</p> <p>LUAUS23 Consent to the processing personal data – to be added</p> <p>LUAUS23 IOCB Internal template CZ</p> <p>LUAUS23 IOCB Budget template CZ – please contact Project Office</p> <p>LUAUS23 Letter of Intent</p>