

The Support Programme to the Africa-EU Migration and Mobility Dialogue

(MMD III)

GRANT FACILITY

1. CALL FOR PROPOSALS

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Note 1: *The Clarification Note is available in English and French, with the English version prevailing.*

ICMPD would like to inform prospective applicants about the following updates in the abovementioned Call for Proposals.

Please see below the details of the changes in Call for Proposals documentation:

(1) Call for Proposal Guidelines (file: MMD III_1. Call for Proposals_Guidelines for Applicants_EN.pdf) has been updated.

The text of the Guidelines for Applicants has been modified as follows:

- Under the headline "*Eligibility of Costs: costs that can be included*", Section 2.4 of the Guidelines for Applicants, the following text has been deleted entirely:
"This includes equipment subject to depreciation as per ICMPD's accounting policies."
- Under the headline "*Eligibility of Costs: costs that can be included*", Section 2.4 of the Guidelines for Applicants, the following paragraph:
"Salary costs of the personnel may be eligible to the extent that they relate to the cost of activities that the grantee would not carry out if the action were not undertaken. Such costs need to be in line with the official remuneration policies of

the organization as well as in line with local legislation. The method for salary calculation should be clearly explained in the budget.”

has been revised as:

“Salary costs of the personnel may be eligible to the extent that they relate to the cost of activities that the grantee would not carry out if the action were not undertaken. The total cost of human resources should not exceed the 30% of the total direct eligible costs. Such costs need to be in line with the official remuneration policies of the organization as well as in line with local legislation. The method for salary calculation should be clearly explained in the budget.”

- Under the headline "Concept Note Evaluation Grid", Section 3.7 of the Guidelines for Applicants, the following part:

<p>2.4. How strategically chosen and relevant are the co-applicants and associated actors?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Are the responsibilities between the partners (if any) clearly defined? - Does the proposal have a multi-country approach? - Are LAs involved? - Does the partnership involve grassroots and/or youth organisations? - Does the partnership foster South-South cooperation or North-South cooperation? 	5
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is replaced with:

<p>2.4. How strategically chosen and relevant are the co-applicants and associated actors? (In case of no co-applicants, score to be decreased).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Are the responsibilities between the partners (if any) clearly defined? - Does the proposal have a multi-country approach? - Are LAs involved? - Does the partnership involve grassroots and/or youth organisations? - Does the partnership foster South-South cooperation or North-South cooperation? 	5
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- Under the headline "*Full Application Evaluation Grid*", Section 3.13 of the Guidelines for Applicants, the following part:

<p>4.1. How strategically chosen and relevant are the co-applicants and non-financially involved stakeholders (in case of no co-applicants, score to be decreased)?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Does the proposal have a multi-country approach? - Are LAs involved? - Are specialised AU-bodies and/or RECs involved? - Does the partnership involve grassroots and/or youth organisations? - Does the partnership foster cooperation between Africa-based and European-based actors? 	5x2
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has been replaced with:

<p>4.1. How strategically chosen and relevant are the co-applicants and associated actors (in case of no co-applicants, score to be decreased)?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Does the proposal have a multi-country approach? - Are LAs involved? - Does the partnership involve grassroots and/or youth organisations? - Does the partnership foster South-South cooperation or North-South cooperation? 	5x2
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The new versions of the documents are available for download after logging in the electronic application platform.

Applicants must consider the updated versions when preparing and submitting their application.