

Stockholm trio EU-course for researchers new to EU Research & Innovation

Expression of interest open until June 9, 2023.

Would you like to know more about how the Research & Innovation system of the EU works? The EU research landscape is complex but if you learn to navigate the system, it offers many opportunities to contribute to both European research and to relevant EU-policies through its various initiatives, networks and EU-funded projects.

The University Alliance Stockholm Trio arranges for the second time an EU-course aimed at researchers new to EU engagement and EU funding. The purpose of the course is to give the participating researchers an increased understanding about how the EU works, with a focus on R&I, and an improved preparedness for participation in EU projects and initiatives. The course includes both general information on EU policy and the funding landscape, as well as concrete examples on the topics covered.

Course outcomes:

- ✓ Participants have an enhanced understanding of the functioning of the EU and of EU R&I policy
- ✓ Participants have knowledge on how to engage in relevant networks, expert groups and EU initiatives
- ✓ Participants have drafted their own personal EU participation plan

Course set-up:

The course consists of three parts and is delivered through a mix of seminars and workshops both in Stockholm and in Brussels:

- Part one: September 28 at 10.00-12.00 at your Research Support Office
- Part two: October 11 from 9.00 to October 13 at 13.00 in Brussels
- Part three: November 16 at 9.00-13.00 in Stockholm

Course topics:

- Workshop: "Roadmap to EU-engagement"/ EU-participation plan
- This is how the EU works: An overview of the EU and the legislative process
- Visit to the EU Commission or the European Parliament
- Horizon Europe and the EU funding landscape
- How does the framework programme work?: Understand its policy aspects and the work in the programme committees
- Networking opportunity and a mock proposal workshop
- How to build your network
- Approaches to proposal development
- Hear from an experienced EU-project coordinator and an expert evaluator



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Each university of the Stockholm Trio alliance will nominate six researchers that are well placed to benefit from the course. Good candidates are those with little or no experience in applying for European funding, but with a demonstrated ability to collaborate in research and with an ambition to expand to Europe. The Stockholm Trio will cover cost of travel and accommodation for the days in Brussels.

To express your interest contact Jenny Wanselius jennywan@kth.se with a short motivation for your participation.

We need your expression of interest by June 9. Selected participants will get confirmation by end of June.

Read about the course in 2022:

[Brussels: The university alliance Stockholm Trio held EU course for researchers | Karolinska Institutet Nyheter \(ki.se\)](#)

[EU-kurs för forskare i Bryssel - Medarbetarwebben \(su.se\)](#)

["EU-finansiering är en långsiktig process" - Medarbetarwebben \(su.se\)](#)

[Important insights from Brussels visit | KTH](#)

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Stockholm Trio Brussels Office

Since 2020, the University Alliance Stockholm Trio (Karolinska Institutet, KTH and Stockholm University) has a joint representation in Brussels. The office aims to contribute to strengthening the three universities participation in various EU-funded research, education, and innovation programmes primarily within Horizon Europe and contribute to making use of opportunities within the ERA/EEA.

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