



Call for funding applications: Nordic projects at universities worldwide, 2018

The Coordinating Committee for Nordic Studies Abroad (SNU) invites universities worldwide to apply for funding for Nordic cooperation projects. Until 2014, SNU offered this project support with funding from the Nordic Councils of Ministers. The current funding comes from the national member organisations of SNU (UFM, EDUFI, Stofnun Árna Magnússonar, SIU and SI), available as a pilot project for 2018.

Support may be awarded projects with a Nordic focus and/or profile and should include at least three Nordic countries or languages. The projects must be implemented by teachers in the different Nordic languages or subject areas at the university. Embassies and consulates of the Nordic countries and Nordic associations or organisations may contribute as a cooperation partner or financial contributor.

The aim of the projects must be to promote the interest in the Nordic languages, cultures and societies and to increase interest in the Nordic countries as a region. The projects must complement the regular teaching and research activities at the universities. The target group for the supported activities shall be students and teachers at the university, but it may also include a broader audience. Guest lecturers, seminars, conferences, author visits, film and theatre performances, concerts, exhibitions and testing of new Nordic courses are examples of activities which may be supported.

The support may cover travel, accommodation, remuneration of fees and rent. Support may not be used for purchase of technical facilities, salary or research, development and production of teaching material, translation and publication of literature or for study trips. As a general rule, support may not be given to regularly recurrent activities. Activities which have already taken place will not be supported.

Honoraria for visiting freelance lecturers is maximum DKK 5,000 and for guest lecturers from other universities maximum DKK 3,000. Honoraria is not given to lecturers from the applying university. The application must include a detailed budget, programme and names of invited speakers.

The total amount applied for may not exceed DKK 100,000.

Please note that extra support may not be applied from the national member organisations of SNU.

Please use the attached application form. The application form and attachments are to be sent by e-mail to sveu@si.se no later than October 15th, 2017.
