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| PI Affiliation (University, Department) |  |
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| Apply for (SEK) |  |

**Call for new Pandemic Laboratory Preparedness capabilities (PLP-2)**

The PLP program of SciLifeLab has decided to identify and support new capabilities with the potential to be incorporated into national PLP network (https://www.scilifelab.se/pandemic-response/pandemic-laboratory-preparedness/).

In this call the PLP program will support **4-5 new capability building projects** that will become part of the PLP network. The maximum grant size is **4 MSEK (2 MSEK/year)**.

Time period for funding: proposals should cover the period July 2022 to July 2024 as the setup period and proof of concept testing but granted funding can be used until December 31, 2024.

**Evaluation criteria**

All applications will be evaluated by the SciLifeLab management group and external evaluators. Decision of funding will be made by the SciLifeLab board May 31, 2022.

**Deadline for applications**: Monday May 2nd, 2022 at 14.00 CET.

**Start of funding**: July 1, 2022

Questions about the call: Contact Scientific Director Staffan Svärd, scidir@scilifelab.uu.se

**Proposal** *(Arial, font 10 pt.)*

1. Short summary of the suggested capability, method development, research and education and why that is important to manage pandemics and to study infectious diseases, including antimicrobial resistance (max 0.5 page)

2. Plans for the years 2022-2024, including clear description on how and why the proposal for pandemic preparedness will be established and how will it help combating COVID-19 and/or other pandemic agents (max 2 pages)

3. Budget for the years 2022-2024 and budget justification

4. How the proposed capability could be funded in 2024 and beyond and from which sources (max 0.5 page)

5. In which existing SciLifeLab national platform(s) or units (https://www.scilifelab.se/services/infrastructure-organization/) do you see your capability could be incorporated? (max 0.5 page)

6. How FAIR (Findable, Accessible, Interoperable, Reusable) data sharing and Open Science aspects will be addressed by the projects, and concrete examples from previous activities demonstrating the commitment to FAIR data sharing and Open Science (max 1 page)

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| Materials and consumables |  |  |
| Salary |  |  |
| Other costs (OH etc.) |  |  |
| **Costs in TOTAL (SEK)** |  |  |
| **FUNDING** | **Justification/Comment** |
| Applied funding from SciLifeLab |  |  |
| Funding from [other funding body A], if applicable  |  |  |
| Funding from [other funding body B], if applicable |  |  |
| Funding from [other funding body C], if applicable |  |  |
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