



Call for proposals for joint FTMC, LAMMC and LEI scientific pilot projects

To promote cooperation between RTO Lithuania scientific institutions and the development of competences of young researchers, the Centre for Physical Sciences and Technology (FTMC), the Lithuanian Energy Institute (LEI) and the Lithuanian Centre for Agricultural and Forestry Sciences (LAMMC) are launching a call for proposals to fund joint pilot projects of FTMC, LAMMC and LEI research groups.

Provisions for the preparation of applications:

- Submission of applications **until March 31, 2025.**
- Completed applications **should be sent by e-mail: info@rtolithuania.com**
- Only projects related to specifically identified and relevant challenges for society and the state, which are included in the Programme of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania and legal acts related to its implementation, and corresponding to at least one thematic priority of RTO LT will be evaluated and funded:
 - o Smart/sustainable technologies;
 - o Environmental technologies;
 - o Defence technologies.
- Funding rules (and application forms)!
- Projects start from the signing of the contract and start no later than 30 May. Projects end 12 months after the start of the project. Funding is limited to the period 2025-2026.
- Applications shall be submitted by groups of researchers represented by at least 2 institutions (FTMC, LAMMC, LEI). In case of an equal scores, priority is given to projects involving researchers from all three institutions.
- Each institution funds the activities of its own researchers in the winning projects.
- Fund allocation estimates are prepared for each institution separately.
- Topics that have already been funded by this call cannot be re-funded.

Expected results:

- Number of applications submitted to national R&D&I project calls;
- Number of proposals submitted to international R&D&I project calls;
- Number of scientific articles published and/or accepted for publication in scientific journals, referred to the Clarivate Analytics WoS database and having a citation index.

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