

## Belmont Forum and Future Earth co-branded Collaborative Research Action on Transdisciplinary Research for Ocean Sustainability

### **Organizational Annex: Projektträger Jülich (PtJ)**

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#### **Participating partner:**

This call is supported by the German Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF).

#### **Available funding:**

Depending on all conditions of eligibility and peer review being met, the budget earmarked by the participating partner for this call will be up to **2.000.000 €**.

#### **Notice:**

The official national call announcement for **Germany** is published on the PtJ website: <https://www.ptj.de/projektfoerderung/mare-n/belmont-forum>. Details of the call and the application process are provided via the <https://bfgo.org/> website. Applicants are advised to contact their National Contact Point before starting to prepare proposals for application. For national enquiries please see below.

#### **Eligibility and national funding modalities:**

*(Detail any additional specific requirements for your country/funding agency e.g. building on specific programmes, focussing on specific areas within the topics, in-kind contributions etc.)*

The total maximum funding budget for the German part in each project will be up to 300 k€ for a three year period.

Funding under the framework programme "Research for Sustainable Development" (<http://www.fona.de/en/index.php>) will be awarded by the division "System Earth" of BMBF as part of its measures to implement the National Sustainability Strategy and High-Tech Strategy of the Federal Government.

For all German applicants to be funded, project grants will be awarded in accordance with the present funding regulations, the BMBF standard terms and conditions for grants on an expenditure or cost basis and the administrative regulations under section 44 of the Federal Budget Code (BHO).

For German applicants to be funded the standard BMBF guidelines for grant applications on expenditure or cost basis, respectively, have to be applied. Applications may be submitted by German institutions of higher education and non-university research institutions. Research institutions which are eligible to joint basic funding from the Federal Government and the Länder can only be granted project funding supplementary to their institutional funding for additional expenditure under specified preconditions. In the case of collaborative projects with more than one German partner, the partners must nominate a coordinator.

It is expected that applications to this call will be Collaborative Research Grants with the consortium composition as defined in the call documents, and BMBF will fund the **German** partner of any successful trans-national collaboration.

#### **National Contact Point:**

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