

Briefing on Transdisciplinary Research (TDR) Grant Phase 1/2018

2 Aug 2018 (UTM KL)

6 Aug 2018 (UTM JB)

Introduction

- A new grant initiative from Research University funding to encourage impactful projects to meet national interests and needs.

Objective

- To generate impactful research projects that meet national interests and needs.

Application Schedules

No	Description	Action	Date
1	Announcement of grant opening	RMC	01 Aug 2018
2	Briefing Session at UTMKL	RMC	2 Aug 2018
3	Briefing Session at UTMJB	RMC	6 Aug 2018
4	Preparation of Concept Paper	Program Leader	01 Aug - 31 Aug 18
5	Concept Paper submission due date	Program Leader	31 Aug 2018
6	Appointment of Evaluation Panels and presentation of Concept Paper	Research Alliance	01 Sept - 15 Sept 18
7	Amendment of Concept Paper	Program Leader	16 Sept - 23 Sept 18
8	Review and recommend process by Research Alliance	Research Alliance	24 Sept - 30 Sept 18
9	Submission of data	Research Alliance	01 Oct 18
10	Preparation of data	RMC	2 Oct - 4 Oct 18
11	Endorsement by Research Proposal Assessment Panel Meeting	RMC	7 Oct - 11 Oct 18
12	Program and project registration	Program & Project Leader	14 Oct - 25 Oct 18
13	Grant activation	RMC	01-Nov-18

This grant is opened to:-

1. UTM permanent or contract academic staff

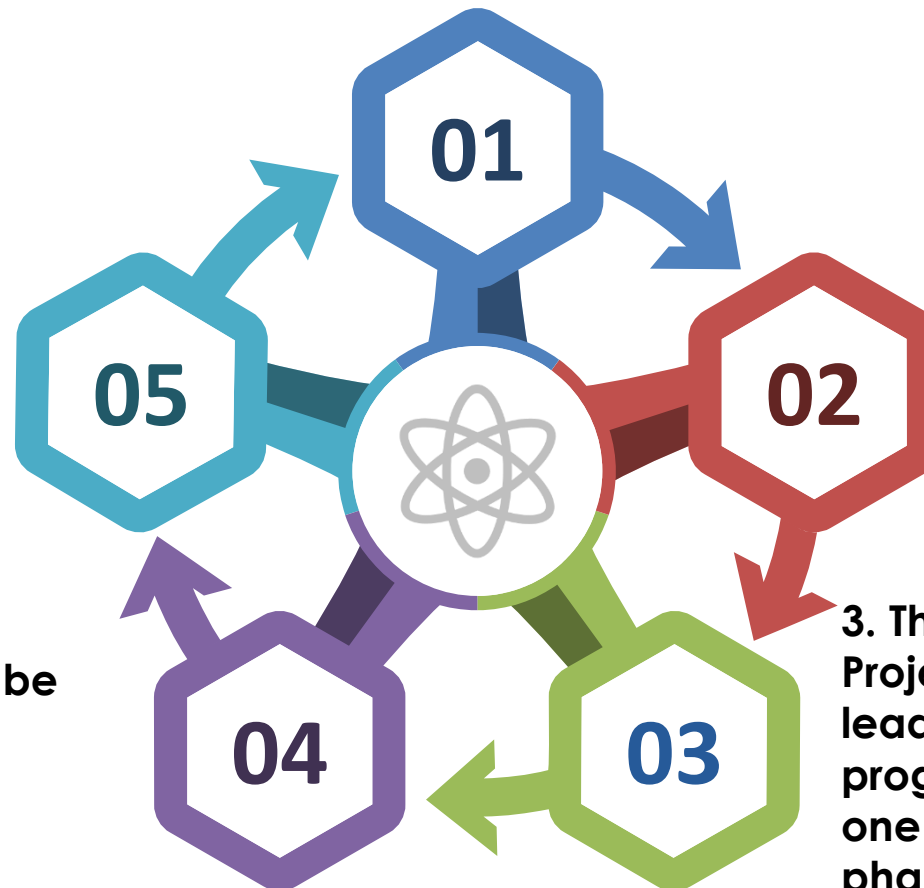
**2. For contract academic staff :-
shall have TWO (2) permanent staff as research members**

3. Min. no. of members in projects - THREE (3) including the Project Leader

1. The Program Leader shall be an Associate Professor and above

2. Each program shall involve at least TWO (2) Research Groups (RG)

5. The program shall consist of a combination of Tier 1 and Tier 2



3. The Program and Project Leader can only lead ONE (1) program/project at any one time in the same phase

4. The project shall be multidisciplinary in nature

Program

Research Program should contain **at least THREE (3) and up to FIVE (5) projects**



Program Leader

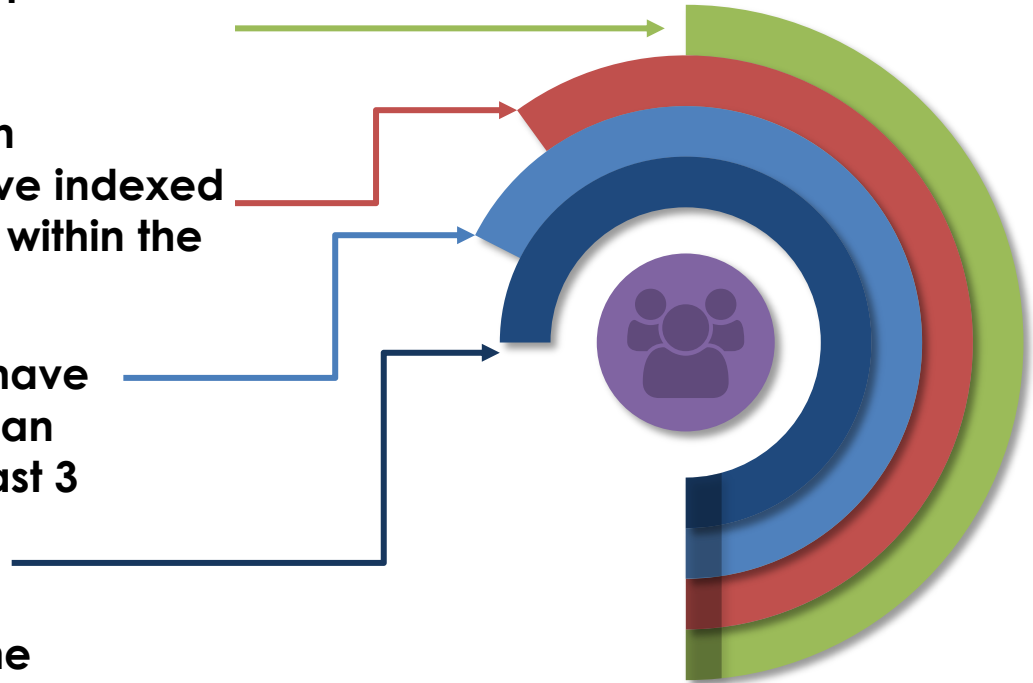
The Program Leader must lead **ONE (1) project** in the program. Program Leader **can be a member** of the other projects.

Project Leader

The Project Leader can be a member of other projects

Proposal Selection Criteria

- The proposal must have a competitive element;
- The Program Leader must be an experienced researcher and have indexed publications in WOS and Scopus within the last 3 years;
- The Tier 1 Project Leader must have lead a project before and have an indexed publication within the last 3 years;
- The Tier 2 Project Leader must have other publications within the last 3 years.



**The duration
of research
project must
not exceed
36 months**

**Project
extension
period is
permitted only
once
(maximum
duration of 6
months)**

**The start
date of the
project is on
1 November
2018**

**The project
shall be
carried out in
Malaysia
only**

Max approved amount:



- RM300,000/program
- Tier 1 – RM100,000/project
- Tier 2 – RM50,000/project

1st year allocation



- Will be disbursed with offer letter

V-Series Capping

- V21000 – 20% from amount approved
- V35000 – 40% from amount approved



2nd & 3rd year allocation



- Disbursement after presentation of program & project progress report
- Subject to panel decision

Criteria	Output
Number of Articles in Indexed Journals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li data-bbox="832 558 1742 719">i. At least SIX (6) articles in Indexed Journals for each program during the research period<li data-bbox="832 748 1742 851">ii. The Corresponding Author must be the Program/Project Leader
Human Capital (RSG/SPB)	For every RM100,000.00 1 PhD student or 2 master students must be produced

CONCEPT PAPER

Shall be submitted to the RA respectively before specified date

PROPOSAL SUBMISSION

Successful concept papers need to submit proposal in RADIS





NOTE: Rules and regulations imposed by BPKI, KPM shall be adhered.



**Thank
You!!!**