

# Call 2022 Information and Communication Technology (ICT)

The 7th project call in the ICT thematic programme of the Vienna Science and Technology Fund (WWTF) is open to:

- scientists at universities and non-university research institutions in Vienna;
- who seek to conduct a cutting-edge research project (2 – 4 years) in the field of Information and Communication Technology.
- Proposals should aim to improve understanding of fundamental research questions in computer science and related fields, as well as its application in different fields (e.g., health, energy, industry, transport, finance, society).
- Projects may be focused within a single discipline, be interdisciplinary or transdisciplinary in nature.
- Projects with software or hardware foci are welcome.
- Projects should strive for prospective medium-term social or economic impact but retain a clear focus on furthering fundamental state-of-the-art in the ICT field.
- A total of € 6 million has been dedicated to this call. The funding range for each project is € 400,000 to € 800,000.



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**This is a two-stage call. Short proposals must be submitted by 12<sup>th</sup> April 2022. Upon invitation, full proposals must be submitted by 30<sup>th</sup> August 2022.**

All interested parties are cordially invited to an online Proposers' Day on 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2022.

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**Funding** The overall budget allocated to this call is € 6 million

**Schedule** Deadline for Short Proposals: 12<sup>th</sup> April 2022 at 2pm  
Deadline for Full Proposals (upon invitation): 30<sup>th</sup> August 2022 at 2pm

Please note that this is a two-stage selection process; full proposals are only accepted upon invitation. The funding decision is expected in December 2022.

### WWTF provides funding for scientific projects in this call which:

- aim to study fundamental research questions in ICT fields;
- seek to address a clearly-framed hypothesis-driven question using innovative methods and a well-defined research plan.
- This call will consider projects ranging from theoretical computer science to studies with origins and applications in other fields.
- Projects should promote the international visibility of innovative ICT research activities in Austria.
- Projects may include up to three Principal Investigators (PI) in the core team. Young and/or female researchers are particularly invited to act as PI.
- Potential sex-specific and gender-related aspects of the project should be considered and explained.
- Projects may span over 2 – 4 years and request a budget in the range of € 400,000 to € 800,000.



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