

Academic Collaboration in the Baltic Sea Region

Partner Enclosure Template 2022

Academic Collaboration in the Baltic Sea Region is a Swedish Institute (SI) funding programme to support Swedish universities within higher education and research in their collaboration with universities in the Baltic Sea Region and the EU Eastern Partnership.

Background

This document contains a template for partner enclosures to be used along with applications in the call for project funding within *Academic Collaboration in the Baltic Sea Region*.

The partner enclosure confirms support from your university/organisation to the project application. It also offers a possibility to develop your expectations with the project, and what your contribution will be.

Instructions

The form provided in the document (see next page) should be completed, signed and sent to the Swedish main applicant. Their responsibility is to forward the partner enclosure to SI.

The partner enclosure:

- Must be signed and scanned to PDF format (SI also accepts digital signatures)
- Cannot exceed 2 pages in total (but do NOT include this instructions page)
- Only represents one (1) organisation/university per enclosure

Exception: non-partner participants

If the collaborating Ukrainian university/organisation is currently unable to involve and commit to the project as full partner, it is possible to include an employee as non-partner participant instead. This person would represent the interests and perspectives of the organisation, while not necessarily committing any of its resources to the project.

7. PARTNER ENCLOSURE

ACADEMIC COLLABORATION IN THE BSR 2022

SECTION A – DETAILS OF PROJECT PARTNER	
Name of university/organisation	M.G.Kholodny Institute of botany National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine
Contact person, Name	Nina Bisko
Contact person, Title	Dr.Sci.Prof
Contact person, Department/unit/section/office	Department of mycology
Contact person, E-mail	bisko_nina@ukr.net
Contact person, Country of current location	Ukraine

SECTION B – DETAILS OF SI PROJECT AND AFFILIATION	
Name of project (same as in application to SI)	Academic Talent Support: For Scholars From Scholars in Forestry
Partner status	Partner

SECTION C – ROLE AND CONTRIBUTION	
Describe your organisation's role in and expected contribution to the project, related to the needs analysis in the application (enclosure 2).	
The group is very well recognised regarding expertise in biology of fungi and other associated wood-decaying microorganisms. The participation in knowledge transferring activities is in high interest and importance to the members of the group. The current safety situation with access to the test site is bad and need for continuation of research and exchange with national and international colleagues are to avoid an exclusion from research. Moreover, the access to modern instrumental analytical infrastructure is in high demand from our staff and post-graduate students who currently paused their study and externally evacuated.	

SECTION D – RELEVANCE FOR TARGET GROUPS OF THE PROJECT	
Describe how your organisation is related to, and relevant for support to the target groups of the project.	
The group has research infrastructure that might be useful for internally dislocated scientist working in the field. We will share as much as we can our premises and available equipment, provide theoretical, practical and methodological support regarding combining research during the problem-based learning activities. The post-doctoral students and staff will take active role in proposed training, discussions and preparation of the manuscripts and proposed project proposals.	

SECTION E – ADDED VALUE FOR YOUR ORGANISATION

Describe the added value that your organisation is expected to gain by participating in this project.

The participation of our group will update our research skills and culture. Created national and international network of dedicated scientist will develop cross-sectional expertise and communication between research institution and academical universities. The career opportunities for our graduates and flow of competent students to our post-graduate program will be in great benefit to support long-term research traditions in the field.

SECTION F – AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY (cannot be the same as appointed contact person¹)

Place and date	Kyiv/2022-09-26
University/organisation	M.G.Kholodny Institute of botany National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine
Full name	Oxana Vinogradova
Position/title	Vice director/Dr. Sci. Professor
Signature ²	 

¹Only if the partner status is indicated as *non-partner participant*, the signatory could be the same as the contact person.

²SI accepts digital signatures.