

100,000 Strong in the Americas Innovation Fund Informational Webinar How to Apply to a 100K Innovation Fund Grant Competition

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Will there be a recording sent?

Yes! This webinar recording and all webinar materials are published on our website at <u>https://www.100kstrongamericas.org/webinars/</u>.

What do you mean by "completing the requirements" in the application in the context of the number of institutions participating from each side?

The requirements for this competition are to have at least one institution from the U.S. and one institution from the Southern Cone (Arg, Ch, Py, Uy) on your team. Once you meet these requirements, you may also add more institutions to your team if you would like! (Ex: 2 Southern Cone HEIs and 1 U.S. HEI)

Which parts of the project need to be 50% and 50%?

We ask that participating HEIs use approximately 50% of the grant resources to create and implement new inclusive student/faculty exchange and training programs between the U.S. and Argentina, Chile, Paraguay, or Uruguay in climate-related fields of study and approximately 50% of grant resources to start, sustain, or expand a strategic, ambitious Climate Action Project (CAP) that leverages the unique capacity and skills of the HEI community.

We already have a local partner in Uruguay. Would it be better to apply as the US HEI or as the Uruguay HEI - does it matter?

Either member of your team can be the institution that applies/submits the proposal. Once it is submitted, that institution will be the primary institution, which we will be in contact with throughout the grant process, and will be responsible for reporting back to the 100K team.

Which themes will be prioritized more in this competition?

We do not have themes that are considerred to be prioritized above others in this competition. For a full lis of eligible themes, please read the Request for Proposals(RFP).