

Funding available for organization of Symposia in the area of Neuroscience

The Karolinska Institutet Neuroscience Network (KINN) announces funding for the organization of two Symposia to be held during 2019. The meetings should be organized with the aim of promoting interactions between neuroscientists at KI, with a focus on hot topics and/or state-of-the-art technologies, ranging from molecular to systems neuroscience as well as clinical research. The duration of the meetings should be 1 to 2 days. The organizers must be employed at KI and come from at least two different departments. Invited speakers should include outstanding scientists from KI and other universities in Sweden or abroad, considering gender balance. The KINN will cover costs up to 150 000 SEK per Symposium. Preference will be given for one meeting taking place before July 2019.

Proposals should be prepared as a single pdf file including:

- Symposium title, tentative date and venue;
- Names, affiliations and contact information of the Symposium organizers;
- Description (max 300 words) of the Symposium topic and scope, with a list of tentative speakers, including preliminary titles (or subjects) for their presentations;
- Budget (which should not exceed the amount of 150 000 SEK);
- The applicants should specify if additional support has been granted or will be applied for from other sources.

Submission should be sent to dinos.meletis@ki.se before February 26, 2019. Applicants will be notified of the decision by e-mail before March 4, 2019.

Proposals will be evaluated based on how they:

- Address latest research/methodological developments;
- Assemble a list of excellent speakers, including junior scientists;
- Offer an attractive multidisciplinary topic of strategic interest for KI.

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