



Innovation Fund 2021 - Guidance for Applicants

Please read through this guidance carefully before completing and submitting your application form.

Research Priorities

Please ensure that you have fully read and understood our research strategy and priorities to ensure your project is a match. You can [read this here](#).

Who can apply?

For this fund, we will accept applications from accredited laboratories, academic institutions, pharmaceutical companies and commercial enterprises in UK and Europe.

If you are unsure about your eligibility, please contact us at lymecocharity@caudwell.com.

Research Timeline & Delivery

Projects can be up to 18 months in length and must begin by Sep 2021.

As part of your application, we request a document outlining the key milestones of the project.

Funding will be paid in tranches, subject to review of these agreed milestones to a timetable to be finalised with successful candidates.

Anticipated risks/issues

Within the application section on Risks, please include any possible logistical or scientific problems that you anticipate you may come up against, and how these will be managed.

Responsibilities of applicants

Caudwell LymeCo expects all funded researchers to adopt the highest achievable standards in the conduct of their research. This means exhibiting impeccable scientific integrity and good research practice.

As part of this, any private, personal or commercial interests relating to an application for funding to the research councils must be declared in a covering letter included as an application attachment.

Applicants also have responsibility for ensuring that the salaries and resources cited in the proposals are sufficient to undertake the proposed research, to attract sufficiently experienced and skilled staff, and represent good value for money.