

Updates from NORAD 9. June

This is in reference to the email below sent earlier today. In regards to the Letters of Commitment we would like to clarify the following:

The intention of the Letter of Commitment is to confirm that the application has management support, in order to ensure institutional commitment. The Letter of Commitment shall therefore be signed at relevant management level. Relevant management level may vary between partner institutions, and may imply college/school/university management level, with authority to enter into binding cooperation on behalf of the institution.

With regards,
The NORHED team

From: NORHED

Sent: tirsdag 9. juni 2020 14:43

Subject: Notification to registered applicants under NORHED II call

Att: Applicants under NORHED II call for proposals

This is a notification sent to all that have registered applications under the NORHED II call in the MFA/Norad Grants Portal, as well as portal administrators on behalf of Norwegian higher education institutions.

We would like to remind all applicants of the following in due time before the application deadline Friday 26 June, 2020, at 13:00 CEST:

- The grant recipient in NORHED II shall be Norwegian higher education institutions. This implies that the responsible applicant organisation must be the Norwegian partner institution. Applications registered to organisations that are not Norwegian higher education institutions accredited by NOKUT will be rejected on the basis of formal requirements.
- Applicants are requested to indicate which thematic sub-programme the project is applying under (Sub-programme:[sub-programme name]) at the beginning of the project summary in the section *Project description* in the Grants Portal. The thematic sub-programmes are described in Annex 1 of the NORHED II Programme Document.

Required attachments to be uploaded in the Grants Portal application:

- Detailed budget, in the NORHED budget template
- Results framework, in the NORHED template
- Letter(s) of commitment from all partners in the project, including Norwegian institutions responsible for the application, signed by the university management i.e. Rector/VC
- CVs for key personnel

We would urge applicants not to wait until too close to the deadline to upload attachments and submit the application, to avoid any technical issues at the last minute.

The [frequently asked questions \(FAQ\) webpage](#) will be updated until 12 June.

NORHED II programme documents, templates for budget and results framework, application guidelines and other relevant information is available on norad.no/norhed
Questions regarding the call can be directed to norhed@norad.no

With regards,
The NORHED team