

SUN Movement Pooled Fund Grant

Questions & Answers: Round One

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**1) Question: Can an organisation submit multiple applications?
Submitted: 4 May 2018**

Answer: If the applicant meets all other eligibility criteria as defined in the section titled, Step 1: Eligibility, in the Call for Proposals, they may submit more than one application. However, the applicant is advised to clearly distinguish between the applications, i.e. they should have distinct activities with completely different budgets.

**2) Question: Our Civil Society Alliance has received grant funding that will expire by the end of the year. Would our Civil Society Alliance still be eligible for Pooled Fund grants?
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Answer: Your Civil Society Alliance would still be eligible if it met the following conditions

Condition 1: Your donor convener should state in the Donor Convener Letter of Support that the Civil Society Alliance has no funding secured once the current grant runs out.

Condition 2: Additionally, the application should propose different activities than what is funded by the active grant that align with the SUN Movement Pooled Fund Results Framework. There should be no overlap of funding and activities.

Condition 3: In the grant application and/or supporting letters, the applicant should emphasize the sustainability of the proposed activities and the catalytic nature that the Pooled Fund would have on the Civil Society Alliance.

**3) Question: Are UN agencies that are a part of the SUN Movement UN Network eligible to apply for the Pooled Fund?
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Answer: A UN Agency is not considered a Civil Society Organization and therefore is not eligible to apply. However, an International Non-Governmental Organisation (INGO) that meets Eligibility Criteria #2 and #3 is able to apply on the CSA's behalf.

**4) Question: Can academic institutions apply?
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Answer: It is possible for an academic institution, research institute, or think-tank to apply. However, they would have to follow the Step 1: Eligibility Criteria in the Call for Proposals, paying particular attention to Eligibility Criteria #2 and #3.

**5) Question: Our CSA recently received a grant from the Nutrition Advocacy Fund (NAF), are we completely ruled out from applying?
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Answer: Yes. At this time, the SUN Movement is leveraging funds to support CSAs that did not secure NAF funding.