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# QUESTIONNAIRE

Dear Applicant,  
before you start filling out the grant application  
form for a research project,  
please answer the following questions.

- [www.nadacianbs.sk](http://www.nadacianbs.sk)
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**IMPORTANT  
QUESTIONS  
FOR GRANT  
APPLICANTS**

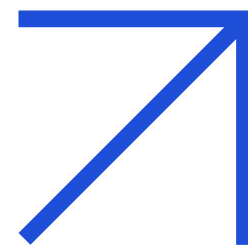
# INTRODUCTION

## The main question

Have you carefully read all the **terms** and **conditions** of the grant call and the **submission guidelines**?

*The full text of the grant call is available on the foundation's website here:*

- [English version](#)
- [Slovak version](#)



### Grant Call to support financial science (No.GV-2026-16)

Nadácia NBS je predĺženou rukou Národnej banky Slovenska v oblasti vzdelávania, rozvoja finančnej gramotnosti a podpory vedy, výskumu a školstva v rozsahu pôsobnosti zakladateľa.

 Nadácia Národnej banky Slovenska

# ELIGIBLE GRANT APPLICANT

**(A) Are you a doctoral student or a researcher submitting a grant application on behalf of**

- 1 a public research institution**
- 2 a public/state/private higher education institution**
- 3 a nonprofit organization or a civic association or an association of legal entities conducting research and development**

And do you have **approval** to submit the project from the institution's statutory representative or your supervisor?

**(B) Or are you an independent senior researcher in the field of economics and finance?**



# ELIGIBLE GRANT APPLICANT

**(C) Have you or the project's academic supervisor published at least one article in a reputable academic journal listed in the appendix (see the appendix to the grant call)?**

*(Note: A link to the article must be included in the application)*

- [List of Academic Journals](#)

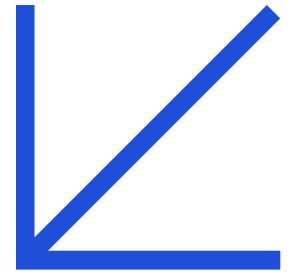
## Zoznam odborných časopisov / List of Academic Journals

'01 Academy of Management Journal  
'02 Accounting Review  
'03 American Economic Journal: Applied Economics  
'04 American Economic Journal: Economic Policy  
'05 American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics  
'06 American Economic Journal: Microeconomics  
'07 American Economic Review  
'08 American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings  
'09 American Economic Review: Insights  
'10 American Journal of Agricultural Economics  
'11 American Journal of Health Economics  
'12 American Law and Economics Review  
'13 Annals of Statistics  
'14 Annual Review of Economics  
'15 Annual Review of Financial Economics  
'16 Annual Review of Resource Economics  
'17 Applied Economics  
'18 Applied Economics Letters  
'19 ASTA Advances in Statistical Analysis  
'20 B E Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy  
'21 B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy: Adv  
'22 B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics: Advances in Macr  
'23 B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics: Contributions to  
'24 B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics: Frontiers of Macr  
'25 B.E. Journal Of Macroeconomics: Topics In Macroe  
'26 Biometrika  
'27 Brookings Papers on Economic Activity  
'28 Cambridge Journal of Economics  
'29 Cambridge Journal of Regions Economy and Sociel  
'30 Canadian Journal of Economics  
'31 Computational Statistics and Data Analysis  
'32 Contemporary Economic Policy  
'33 Credit and Capital Markets  
'34 Critical Finance Review  
'35 Demography  
'36 Ecological Economics  
'37 Econometric Reviews  
'38 Econometric Theory  
'39 Econometrica  
'40 Econometrics Journal  
'41 Economic Development and Cultural Change  
'42 Economic Geography  
'43 Economic History Review  
'44 Economic Inquiry  
'45 Economic Journal  
'46 Economic Modelling  
'47 Economic Policy  
'48 Economic Record  
'49 Economic Theory  
'50 Economica  
'51 Economics and Philosophy  
'52 Economics and Politics  
'53 Economics Letters  
'54 Economics of Education Review  
'55 Economics of Transition

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'221 Quantitative Economics  
'222 Quantitative Finance  
'223 Quarterly Journal of Economics  
'224 Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance  
'225 RAND Journal of Economics  
'226 Real Estate Economics  
'227 Regional Science and Urban Economics  
'228 Regional Studies  
'229 Research Policy  
'230 Review of Asset Pricing Studies  
'231 Review of Corporate Finance Studies  
'232 Review of Derivatives Research  
'233 Review of Economic Design  
'234 Review of Economic Dynamics  
'235 Review of Economic Studies  
'236 Review of Economics and Statistics  
'237 Review of Environmental Economics and Policy  
'238 Review of Finance  
'239 Review of Financial Economics  
'240 Review of Financial Studies  
'241 Review of Income and Wealth  
'242 Review of International Economics  
'243 Review of International Organizations  
'244 Review of International Political Economy  
'245 Review of Network Economics  
'246 Review of Quantitative Finance and Accounting  
'247 Review of World Economics  
'248 Scandinavian Journal of Economics  
'249 Scandinavian Journal of Statistics  
'250 Scottish Journal of Political Economy  
'251 Small Business Economics  
'252 Social Choice and Welfare  
'253 Social Science Quarterly  
'254 Socio-Economic Review  
'255 Southern Economic Journal  
'256 Statistical Modelling  
'257 Studies in Nonlinear Dynamics and Econometrics  
'258 Survey Methodology  
'259 Survey Research Methods  
'260 Theoretical Economics  
'261 Theory and Decision  
'262 Transport Policy  
'263 Transportation Research Part A - Policy and Practice  
'264 Transportation Research Part B - Methodological  
'265 Transportation Research Part E - Logistics and Transportation Review  
'266 Urban Studies  
'267 Value in Health  
'268 Work Employment and Society  
'269 World Bank Economic Review  
'270 World Bank Research Observer  
'271 World Development  
'272 World Economy

# ELIGIBLE PROJECT TYPE



Does your project description include at least one of the following characteristics?

1

implementation  
of an integrated  
research programme

2

further development  
of existing high-quality  
scientific activity

3

analytical support  
for research projects

4

financing  
for researchers'  
study visits in Slovakia  
and abroad

5

doctoral studies  
at domestic and  
foreign universities

6

establishment of  
innovative scientific  
areas and methods

7

stronger linking  
of science and  
research with their  
practical applications

8

popularisation  
of economic and  
financial science

# PRIORITY PROJECT TOPICS

**Do you acknowledge that preference will be given to projects that relate to one of the priority areas of economic and financial science (as defined by the NBS)?**

- 1** transmission of monetary policy and the transmission of inflationary pressures through the behaviour of households and businesses
- 2** macroprudential policy and the real estate market
- 3** heterogeneity in price dynamics, in the corporate sector, in the labour market and in and in society
- 4** population ageing, migration, and labour market dynamics
- 5** economic and financial consequences of climate change

**Do you acknowledge that preference will be given to projects that focus on Slovakia, or the Central European region, or the Euro area?**



# RESEARCH "GAP" AND SOCIAL IMPACT



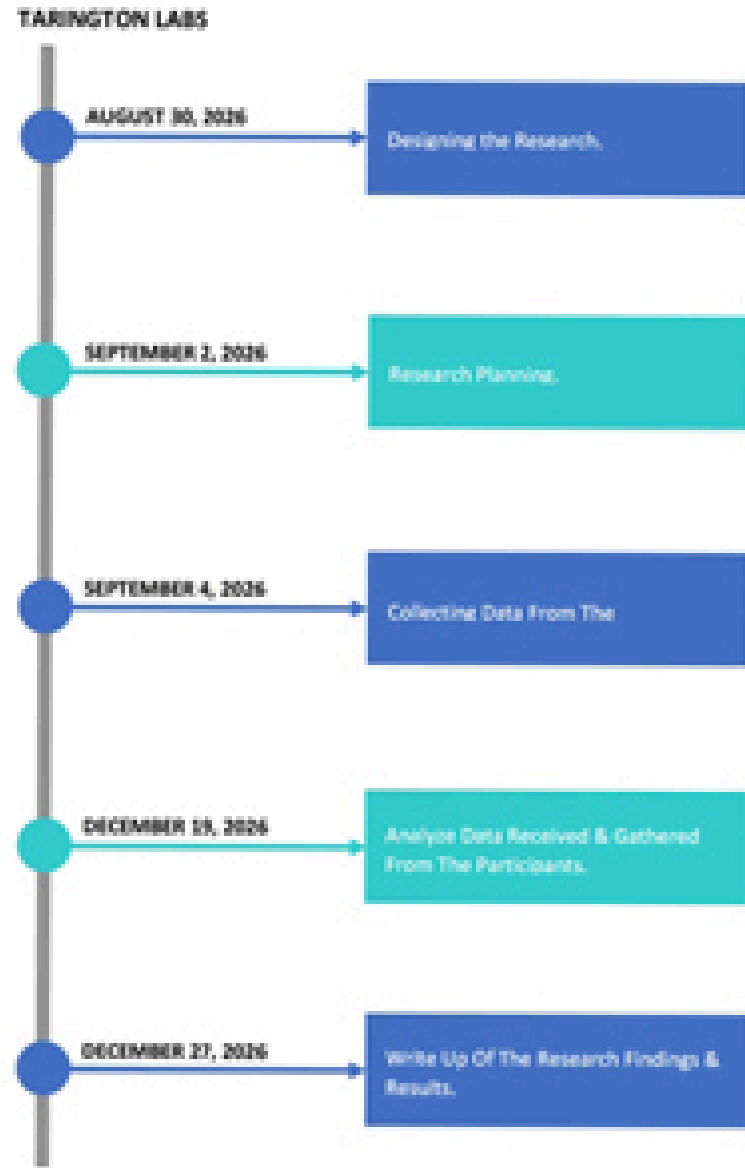
- 1 Is your project **aligned with the priorities** of the grant call?  
Is the issue you are investigating **relevant**?
- 2 Is your project **innovative**?
- 3 Have you **identified** which institutions, researchers, or models have addressed or are addressing this topic?
- 4 Do you believe that existing models or analyses are insufficient, and that your research will yield **new findings and improvements**?
- 5 Do you have a clear idea of what you **expect** from research on this issue?
- 6 Will the project's results be **useful and beneficial** for Slovakia, the Eurozone, and the Central European region?

# PROJECT SETUP

- 1 Have you carefully considered your **research questions** and outlined the logical relationships you will be investigating/testing?
- 2 Are your **project goals SMART** (specific, measurable, achievable, relevant, and time-bound)?
- 3 Have you established a research **methodology**, economic model and variables?
- 4 Have you defined the logical **phases** of the project (e.g., 1. data collection, 2. model building, 3. testing, 4. publication)?
- 5 Have you already identified the project **risks** (e.g., unavailability of certain data)?
- 6 Do you have a **Plan B** in place?



## RESEARCH TIMELINE



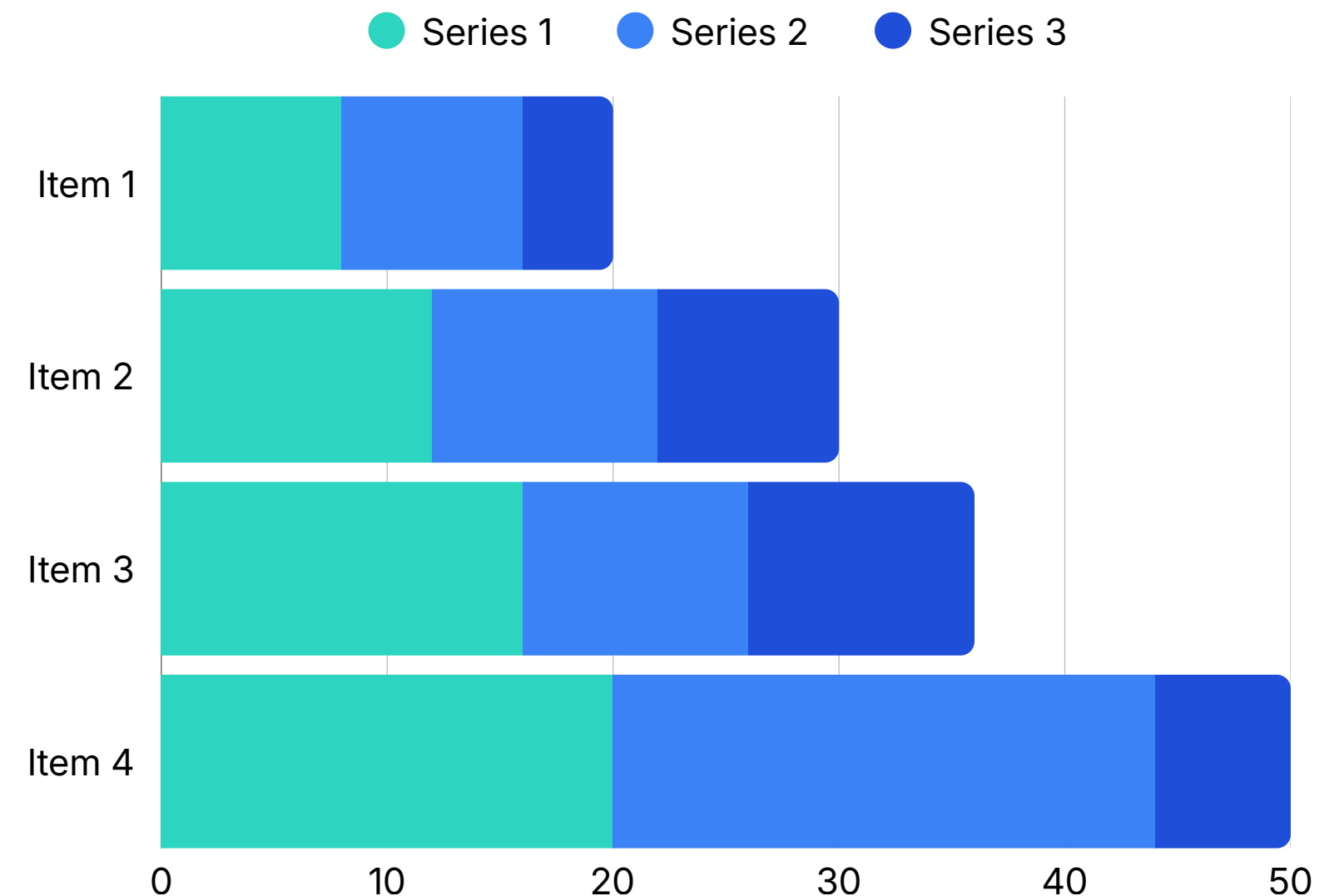
# PROJECT FEASIBILITY AND TIMELINE

- 1 Is your project feasible given your **spatial** and **material-technical conditions**?
- 2 Is your project **feasible** within the specified timeframe, will you be able to complete the individual research phases by the deadline (within a maximum of 39 months)?
- 3 If the grant is awarded, can you begin implementing the project between **1 October 2026** and 1 January 2027, and complete the project between 30 September 2027 and **31 December 2029**?

*\*Note: Projects should have a timeline of no less than 12 months and no more than 39 months.*

# DATA AVAILABILITY AND QUALITY

- 1 Do you have **access** to the necessary and reliable data/databases?
- 2 If you plan to work with non-public data/databases, do you already have a **commitment to collaborate** with the relevant institution?
- 3 Do you have the necessary **technical infrastructure and equipment** (hardware, software, and licenses) for data processing, or have you arranged for data processing with a partner institution?



# COMPOSITION OF THE RESEARCH TEAM



- 1 Do you have **enough research team members**, analysts, and experts given the topic being studied?
- 2 Have you carefully considered the **division of responsibilities** within the team?
- 3 Does your research team include a **theorist**, an **expert**, and an **analyst**?
- 4 Does your team include someone who has already completed **successful projects** and published in **peer-reviewed journals**?

# BUDGET AND COST-EFFECTIVENESS

## Value for Money

- 1 Have you quantified **personnel costs** (How many hours per month will expert team members and doctoral students work on the project)?
- 2 Have you carefully considered **travel expenses** for site visits, conferences, and seminars where findings on the topic will be presented or shared?
- 3 Can you justify the **efficiency, cost-effectiveness, appropriateness, and necessity** of all expenses required for the research project (including services, materials, and overhead costs)?
- 4 Have you considered co-financing the grant from other sources?
- 5 Can you submit the project **budget in euros** and settle the grant in euros after the project ends?



- **PAYROLL AND PROFESSIONAL FEES**
- **TRAVEL COSTS**
- **MATERIALS**
- **SERVICES**
- **OTHER EXPENSES**

# DISSEMINATION

## Sharing Project Results



- 1 Have you considered which **journals** you will publish your research results in?
- 2 Do you plan to present your research findings at **conferences**, to organize **workshops** for practitioners, or hold a public **discussion**?
- 3 Can you **present** both interim and final results and outputs **in person** to the professional community and researchers **at the National Bank of Slovakia in Bratislava**?

# GRANT CONTRACT & RULES OF GRANT PROVISION

## Grant terms and conditions

- 1 Do you accept all the provisions of the **GRANT CONTRACT** for the support of a project in economic and financial science development and the relevant provisions of the **RULES of Grant Provision**, under which the grant will be awarded to you if your application is successful?
- 2 Do you accept that the grant will be paid in **3 installments** (50% upon signing the contract; 30% upon approval of the interim report; and 20% upon approval of the final report)?
- 3 Do you agree to submit all **project outputs** to the foundation as part of the interim and final reports?
- 4 Do you agree to the obligation to submit to the foundation a statement of all grant expenditures in euros and to verify them with a **bank statement**?

The image shows two overlapping document pages. The top page is the 'GRANT CONTRACT' for the support of a project in economic and financial science development, with contract number ZM-2026-XX (GV-2026-16-PXX-ZX). It includes a table for 'The Parties' with details for the 'Grant Provider' (Národná banka Slovenska) and the 'Grant Recipient'. The bottom page is the 'Rules of Grant Provision' under the grant schemes of the Národná banka Slovenska Foundation, approved by the Board of Trustees on 8 September 2025. It is the 6th update (08/09/2025) and page 1 of 32.

The Parties:	
Organisation name	Národná banka Slovenska Found.
Registered office (address)	Imricha Karvaša 1, 813 25 Bratislava
Legal form	nadácia (foundation)
Identification number (IČO)	S4 345 944
Bank account details:	Bank: Národná banka Slovenska
	Name on account: Nadácia Národne
	IBAN: SK58 0720 0000 0000 0013 C
Registration:	Register of non-governmental non-profit
	Interior of the Slovak Republic under No.
Represented by	PhDr. Jana Kovičová, Managing Dir.
Contact email	info@nadacia.nbs.sk
(the 'Grant Provider')	
and	
Organisation name	
Registered office	
Legal form	
Identification number	
Tax identification number	
Bank account details:	
Represented by	
Contact person	
Contact address	
Responsible person for the project, contact email	
(the 'Grant Recipient')	

(each hereinafter referred to individually also as a 'Party' and joint

hereby conclude this Grant Contract (hereinafter the 'Contract') is Provision (hereinafter the 'Rules') under the grant schemes of the (hereinafter the 'NBS Foundation') approved by the Board of T published on the website of the NBS Foundation. The Parties' agree articles of this Contract.

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# RECOMMENDATIONS



- 1 Allow sufficient **time** to prepare your project proposal
- 2 **Do not** simply **repurpose** an existing project - tailor your proposal to the call's objectives and conditions
- 3 Register on the **EGRANT** website, **create an account**, and submit an application for the current call **GV-2026-16**, filling out the application form according to the instructions.
- 4 Submit your grant application **by 10 June 2026**, at 11:59 PM CET
- 5 If you have any questions regarding the purpose and content of the call, please consult **Michal Horváth** (michal.horvath@nbs.sk)
- 6 If you have any questions regarding the submission process or the project form, please contact **Rastislav Hal'ko** (rastislav.halko@nabacianbs.sk)

<https://nadacianbs.egrant.sk>



If you answered "**yes**" to all the questions in the questionnaire, it makes sense for you to submit a grant application for your research project.

If you answered "**no**" to any of the questions, it will likely be a waste of your time and a futile effort.

# GOOD LUCK

**with writing and submitting your project application**



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