ELIGIBLE UK RESEARCH ORGANISATIONS

The following lists not-for-profit UK research organisations eligible to apply as Lead Institutions under the Newton Institutional Links Programme¹:

- Agri-Food and Biosciences Institute Northern Ireland (AFBI)
- All NHS Trust and NHS hospital research departments
- Amgueddfa Cymru - National Museum Wales
- Animal Health and Veterinary Laboratories Agency (AHVLA)
- Animal Health Trust
- Armagh Observatory
- Arts Council England
- Arts Council of Northern Ireland
- Arts Council of Wales
- Ashridge
- Babraham Institute
- Beatson Institute
- Biomathematics and Statistics Scotland (BioSS)
- British Antarctic Survey (BAS)
- British Film Institute
- British Geological Survey (BGS)
- British Institute of International and Comparative Law
- British Library
- British Museum
- British Trust for Ornithology
- CABI Bioscience UK Centre
- Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre
- Cancer Research UK institutes
- Carbon Trust (not-for-profit arm only)
- Centre for Ecology and Hydrology (CEH)
- Centre for Environment, Fisheries and Aquaculture (Cefas)
- Chatham House
- Clinical Sciences Centre (CSC)
- Creative Scotland
- Daresbury Laboratory (DL)
- Defence Science and Technology Laboratory (DSTL)

¹ The list includes Public Sector Research Establishments affiliated with UK Government Departments and Research Councils; Independent Research Organisations recognised by Research Councils UK; and research organisations funded by the Scottish Government.
- Diamond Light Source Ltd
- East Malling Research
- European Bioinformatics Institute (EBI)
- English Heritage
- European Southern Observatory
- European Synchrotron Radiation Facility
- Fisheries Research Services (FRS)
- Food and Environment Research Agency (Fera)
- Forensic Science Service (FSS)
- Game and Wildlife Conservation Trust
- Health and Safety Laboratory (HSL)
- Health Protection Agency (HPA)
- HR Wallingford Group Ltd
- Hydrographics Office
- Imanova Limited
- Imperial War Museum
- Institute for European Environmental Policy
- Institute for Fiscal Studies
- Institute of Development Studies (IDS)
- Institute of Food Research
- Institute of Occupational Medicine
- International Institute for Environment and Development (IIED)
- James Hutton Institute
- John Innes Centre
- Laboratory of Molecular Biology (LMB)
- Marine Biological Association
- Marine Fisheries Agency (MFA)
- Moredun Research Institute
- Museum Libraries and Archives Council
- Museum of London Archaeology
- National Archives
- National Centre for Social Research
- National Galleries of Scotland
- National Gallery
- National Institute for Biological Standards and Control (NIBSC)
- National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE), including NICE International
- National Institute for Medical Research (NIMR)
- National Institute of Agricultural Botany
- National Institute of Economic and Social Research
- National Library of Scotland
- National Museum Wales
- National Museums Liverpool
- National Museums of Scotland
- National Oceanography Centre (NOC)
• National Physical Laboratory
• National Police Improvement Agency (NPIA)
• National Portrait Gallery
• Natural History Museum
• Overseas Development Institute (ODI)
• Pirbright Institute (formerly Institute for Animal Health)
• Proudman Oceanographic Laboratory
• Public Health England (PHE)
• RAND Europe Community Interest Company
• Rothamsted Research
• Rowett Institute of Nutrition and Health
• Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh
• Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew
• Royal Commission on the Ancient and Historical Monuments of Scotland
• Royal Museums Greenwich (formerly known as the National Maritime Museum)
• Royal Society for the Protection of Birds
• Rutherford Appleton Laboratory (includes Chilbolton) (RAL)
• Science Museum Group (formerly known as the National Museum of Science and Industry)
• Scotland’s Rural College (SRUC)
• Scottish Arts Council
• Scottish Institute for Research in Economics (SIRE)
• Sir Alister Hardy Foundation for Ocean Sciences
• Sir John Soane's Museum
• Sport England
• Tate Galleries
• Tavistock Institute
• The Genome Analysis Centre (TGAC)
• The Isaac Newton Group of Telescopes (ING)
• The Joint Astronomy Centre (JAC)
• The Met Office
• The National Maritime Museum
• The Natural History Museum
• The Victoria and Albert Museum
• The Young Foundation
• Transport Research Laboratory
• UK Atomic Energy Authority
• UK Film Council
• Veterinary Medicines Directorate (VMD)
• Victoria and Albert Museum
• Wallace Collection
• Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute
• World Conservation Monitoring Centre
• Zoological Society of London, Institute of Zoology
Should your research organisation not be on this list, please contact us via UK-InstitutionalLinks@britishcouncil.org before submitting a proposal to this Programme.