



## Share-Net international

# Share-Net International and Share-Net Jordan Grants

"The Regional Conference on Collaborative Knowledge Production in Comprehensive Sexual Education and the Integration of Sexual and Reproductive Health Concepts in School Curricula."

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- ☐ Sharing information about the application process for the ShareNet Global Special Grants.
- ☐ Grants for the Jordan Conference (Regional Conference on Co-production of Knowledge in

the Field of Comprehensive Sex Education and the Extent of Integrating Sexual and

Reproductive Health Concepts in Curricula - 22-23-2024 Jordan).





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#### **ACTIVATION GRANTS**



| W   | hat are incentive/activation grants?   |
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| Ind | centive/activation grants are grants that aim to:  |
|     | Motivate targeted grant recipients to understand the importance of sexual and reproductive   |
|     | health in all its various topics and themes.   |
|     | Develop knowledge in a way that achieves impact and contributes to achieving a comprehensive |
|     | sexual and reproductive health agenda.   |
|     | Develop the skills and knowledge of people who dedicate their lives to providing sexual and  |
|     | reproductive health services.  |
|     | Motivate communities that are often not prioritized or have limited access to sexual and     |
|     | reproductive health funding.   |



- ☐ Policymakers, practitioners, and researchers have better access to information and knowledge related to sexual and reproductive health.)
- Researchers address knowledge gaps that are relevant scientifically, politically, and practically in the field of sexual and reproductive health
- ☐ There is an exchange of expertise and knowledge between and within countries among policymakers, practitioners, and researchers.
- ☐ Knowledge outputs are applied to evidence-based sexual and reproductive health programs, policies, and practices.

How do these grants contribute to ShareNet's goals?



- ☐Total Budget: €200,000
- ☐ Maximum Grant Amount: €25,000
- ☐ More than 8 grants are awarded annually in January





#### Types of Grants

#### Activation Grant-Knowledge Generation

Grants that contribute to funding research and documenting practices in the field of sexual and reproductive health (knowledge gaps)

Annual grant: Up to €7,500

#### Activation Grant-Knowledge Translation

Grants awarded to a single organization/entity to create knowledge product(s) to improve policies and practices in the field of sexual and reproductive health

Annual grant: Up to €10,000

# ACTIVATION GRANT – KNOWLEDGE COLLABORATION

Grants awarded to more than one organization/entity to contribute to the creation of knowledge product(s) to improve policies and practices in the field of sexual and reproductive health

Annual grant: Up to €25,000



- ☐ There are usually no priority areas in the field of sexual and reproductive health for the grants.
- ☐ Any area of sexual and reproductive health can be funded if it is shown to be relevant to ShareNet members.
- □ Applicants are encouraged to be creative as competition for grants is strong





- All applicants must be an official Share-Net member (membership has been approved, not just submitted) for at least one (1) month from the date of application for Activation Grants.
- Registration as a company or a single-person entity with a bank account is mandatory for all lead applicants.
- All applicants must commit to the principles of self-leadership, participation, and/or demonstrate active engagement with vulnerable and marginalized groups.
- ☐ The proposed knowledge product can be developed over a period of 9 months.
- All applicants will be required to undergo the Due Diligence procedure, which is a process of verifying the grantee and verifying all information provided before the grant is awarded.



#### What is the role of the lead applicant?



- ☐ Must be a Share-Net member
- ☐ Have a bank account in the name of the applicant
- ☐ Serve as the point of contact for Share-Net International
- ☐ Be responsible for timely and high-quality delivery of project outputs
- **☐** Be responsible for narrative reporting
- **☐** Be able to contract with partner organizations
- ☐ Be able to transfer funds to partner organizations in their countries



- ☐ Current Share-Net grant recipients;
- ☐ Organizations based in Cuba, Iran, North Korea,

Sudan, or Syria;

- ☐ Share-Net Hub hosting organizations;
- ☐ Excessively budgeted requests;
- ☐ Grant Committee representatives.





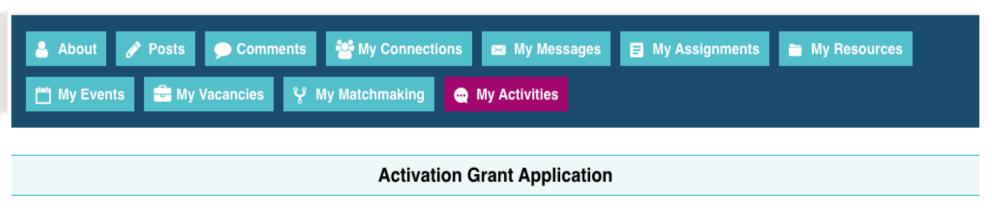
| ☐ Applications can only be submitted through the Share-Net   |
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| Digital Platform.  |
| ☐ To download the application form, you must first register on   |
| the platform.  |
| ☐ You can register here: <a href="https://share-netinternational.org/">https://share-netinternational.org/</a> |
| ☐ If your registration is not accepted within 24 hours, please   |
| contact your country's network representative. Make sure to  |
| register on time!**  |
| Having trouble?  |
| ☐ If you encounter problems while submitting your application  |
| through the Share-Net Digital Platform, please contact:  |
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#### How to Submit an Application



- To apply, log in to the Share-Net Digital Platform first.
- Once you are logged in, you can: Find direct links to the application forms in English, Spanish, Arabic, and French.
- Save your application form and view it as many times as you like before submitting the final version.
- To return to your application later, go to the "My Activities" section of your profile and click on the "Submit/Edit" button to access your application.



→ Submit / Edit Your Activation Grant Application 2023



#### Financial Terms

- We do not require a full budget at the application stage.
- We ask for an estimated amount to implement your project that aligns with the idea.
- Be clear about why you need the money and how you plan to spend it.
- You may not receive the full amount you requested.





#### **Staff Costs**

- •Staff costs must be:
  - Actual costs (salary).
  - Itemized for each applicant (or sub-applicant), for each name/task, including the time allocated for the task and the associated cost.

#### 2. Budget/Costs:

- •In euros.
- Including taxes (local) and non-deductible VAT.
- •Including exchange rate differences (if applicable).
- Cost-effective (best value for money).
- •Itemized for each applicant (sub-applicant) for each budget item.



#### Financial Terms

- 3. Only direct costs are eligible.
  - Costs must be mandatory and included in the proposal.
  - Adding a profit margin is not allowed.
- 4. The budget will be evaluated to ensure the eligibility of costs.
  - Ineligible costs will be deducted from the grant amount.
  - The lead applicant will be notified of this deduction.
  - The lead applicant will have five (5) business days to submit an objection with justifications for the eligibility of the rejected costs, which will be evaluated within five (5) business days of submission by the lead applicant.





#### **Advance and Final Grant Payment**

- •80% of the grant amount will be provided to the lead applicant in two (2) installments.
  - 60% will be transferred to the lead applicant upon approval of the initial narrative report.
  - 20% of the grant amount will be transferred to the lead applicant upon approval of the final narrative report.
- •The lead applicant is responsible for distributing the advance payment and final payment to the sub-applicants.
- •A financial report is required if you receive a collaborative grant (25,000 euros).
  - Translation and generation awarded grants will be in the form of a lump sum. This means there is no mandatory financial report after the approved initial budget.

#### Selection Process





All eligible applications are reviewed and scored by peer reviewers (fellow applicants).

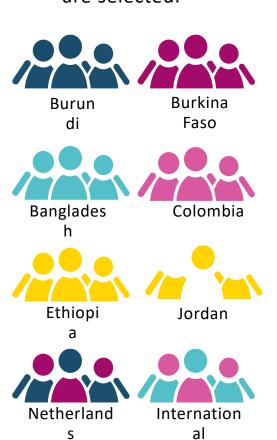








The top 20 applications are selected.



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**Grant Committee** representatives (6 from the centers) review the top 20 applications.







#### Final Selection:

At least one top scorer will be selected from each center and SNI. The remaining grantees will be selected based on the highest scores.















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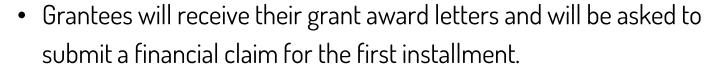
#### Selection Criteria

- Ability to effectively address a sexual and reproductive health (SRH) issue or problem through the creation of knowledge product(s) or generation ofappropriate knowledge for change in SRH policy and practice.
- Ability to demonstrate commitment to the principles of participation, diversity,
   and inclusion in the project.
- Ability to demonstrate understanding, interest, and participation of targeted stakeholders, including having a clear dissemination strategy for your knowledge product.
- Ability to achieve impact through creating, improving, and promoting knowledge production in the field of SRH.
- Ability to collaborate effectively and/or produce content that is useful to Share-Net members and its country hubs.



#### Additional Assessment Criteria

- Award decisions will also take into account the distribution of projects across topics, activity types, and countries/geographic regions.
- Conflicts of interest will be identified, and the individuals involved will be recused from the decision-making process and the Grant Committee.



- Project implementation will begin in January 2025.
- Grantees should communicate with their Share-Net contact person.
- A draft of the knowledge product(s) will be shared with SNI.
- Once the content is approved, the SNI logo will be incorporated.
- A narrative report reflecting the process will be shared with SNI (a template will be provided).
- Final knowledge products will be shared on the SNI digital platform.
- Any high-resolution photos and other products should be shared.







## Grant Timeline 2023

3rd October 2023

Grants call for applications opens via https://share-netinternational.org/

10th October 2023

Online writeshop

31st October 2023 at 23:59 CET

Deadline for grant applications. Please note this is CET time, and plan accordingly.

7th November 2023

Training peer-reviewers

14th November 2023

Eligible and not eligible applicants are informed.

12th December 2023

Meeting of the grant committee

14th December 2023

Selected and not selected applicants are informed about the decision.

Grantees are requested to provide information about their due diligence and a complete budget



## TIMELINE

10th January – 9th February 2024

Grants are made, followed by the first payments

10th February- 31st October 2024

The grants are implemented.

14th October 2024

Deadline narrative

31st October 2024

Final payment (upon completion)



# The Jordanian Conference Grants Regional Conference on Co-Production of Knowledge in the Field of Comprehensive Sex Education and Integration of Sexual and Reproductive Health Concepts in Curricula



# **Grant** Application Form

