

Application Form Instructions

This translation is available for reference purposes only. The official documentation corresponds to the documents in Spanish.

The application period for the Call for Research Projects will be from Wednesday, August 28 to Sunday, September 29, 2024, inclusive, and must be done through the website www.bcentral.cl, section Research/Public Call for Research Projects, by completing the online application form.

The information recorded in the application will be the sole responsibility of the person entering it, with no responsibility falling on the Bank in this regard.

Each external researcher may submit more than one research project; however, only one of them may be selected.

The Bank will protect the personal data entered by applicants to the Call and reserves the right to verify the truthfulness of the information provided, as any falsification of data will be grounds for disqualification.

Applicants, by the mere fact of registering for this Call, expressly accept the conditions of these guidelines.

The following general rules will apply to the completion of the application form:

1. Applicants must complete the information requested in the form, which will include the external co-author's resume and the technical proposal of the research project.
2. Each applicant must ensure that all required information is completed. It will be their responsibility to verify the completion of each requested data.
3. If it is necessary to attach any file, the valid extension will only be **.pdf**.
4. It is not possible to save intermediate versions of the form, then it is suggested that each question be worked on in parallel in a document to avoid losing information in case of a connection failure or loading error.
5. At the end of the form, an acknowledgment email will be sent to the applicant, and it will be their responsibility to confirm its receipt in form and content. If the email is not received, it is recommended to reapply to the Call.
6. Confirmation of plagiarism in the research proposal will be grounds for automatic disqualification from the Call.

Failure to comply with any rule may be grounds for the disqualification of the applicant.



In case of queries, you can contact the organizing team of the Call through the email convocatoria@bcentral.cl.

Finally, the information requested in each field of the Application Form is presented below:

Team identification
Are you applying with a work team or individually?
1. Work team 2. Individual
Work team members (Name, Surname, Email)
Identification of the applicant
Name
Email
Contact telephone number
Name of the Phd program and University (PhD Requirement)
Select the institution to which you are affiliated:
Options: 1. University 2. Study Center 3. Institution
Indicate the name of the institution
Select the research area you are applying for:
Options: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Financial intermediation• International finance and financial innovations• Risks and vulnerabilities of credit users• Inflationary dynamics• Structural change and trend growth

- Risks and vulnerabilities of households and businesses
- Structural analysis of interdependencies between industries and foreign trade
- Carbon footprint in national and global trade networks
- Analysis of the production network with respect to the type of ownership (national and multinational) and type of trade (exporting and non-exporting)

Indicate the number of publications that the International Study Center / Institution has had in the last 5 years, whether or not related to the research area
In the following section you must answer the questions associated with each of them.

For each publication, add the following information: title, year of publication, website or journal name, document number (if applicable) and brief description of the study

Work experience

Indicate your work experience related to the research area to which you are applying
Maximum 1.000 words.

List your publications related to the research area for which you are applying
(Add title, year when it was published, website link, document number (if applicable), description of the study).

Additional information:
List any other work experience and/or publications not mentioned above
Maximum 1.000 words.

Attach resume
Single file, in PDF format
Research Project proposal
Project title
Project summary <i>Explain the research project, considering the question to be addressed, how it relates to the research area to which you are applying and why it is related with the objectives and interests of the Central Bank of Chile. Maximum 1.500 words.</i>
Proposed methodology <i>Explain and justify the methodology to be used, detailing any hypotheses and/or assumptions, the possible databases to be used, the variables to be combined and the objective of carrying out such a combination, among other relevant methodological elements. Maximum 3.000 words.</i>
Expected results <i>Describe the expected results and how they would contribute to the existing literature related to the research project. Maximum 1.000 words.</i>
Proposed work plan <i>Attach the work plan associated with the project in PDF format, describing the phases of the research, detailing the deliverables considered, presentations of preliminary results and delivery of the document for publication.</i>
Single file, in PDF format



Motivation letter

In this letter the applicant must respond, at least, to the following questions: Why are you interested in this research? How would this project contribute to the objectives and interests of the Central Bank of Chile? Why should I be chosen? Maximum 600 words.

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