

CALL FOR THEME GROUPS

3-2-1-Go! Collaborative Theme Groups

Deadline: 8 April 2024

AARHUS INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDIES (AIAS)



AIAS opens a call for collaborative groups that bring together researchers at Aarhus University from at least three departments, spanning minimally two faculties, united by one overarching theme: 3-2-1-Go!

Do you have an interdisciplinary research theme that spans across departments and faculties and needs a framework? Take advantage of AIAS's resources to help it be realized.

AIAS offers a dynamic platform that transcends disciplinary and organizational boundaries, providing essential support and infrastructure to move your ideas forward. The theme will be integrated into the annual AIAS-AUFF fellowship programme, allowing to attract applicants whose projects are aligned with the research ideas.

Call for Collaborative Theme Groups

A theme group is sustained by its core members. It is comprised of researchers from at least three different departments involving at least two faculties at Aarhus University. The theme-groups run from August 2024 to July 2026.

In support of the theme, AIAS will provide:

- Meeting facilities at AIAS for the core theme group
- Short-term office facilities for core theme group members or visitors as space permits
- A dedicated webpage, hosted at AIAS
- Integration of the theme into the annual AIAS-AUFF fellowship program, allowing to attract applicants whose project are aligned with the research ideas
- Administrative support and facilities for workshops or conferences

AIAS may also be able to offer limited financial support for activities such as catering etc.

The selection will be carried out by the [AU Interdisciplinary Task-force](#). It is expected that 2-4 theme groups will be selected. Depending on the interest, the call may be repeated in 2025.

Proposals for a Collaborative Theme Group

Applications must contain the following:

- 1) **Presentation of the theme (2 pages)**: Describe the theme, its relevance and potential impact. Indicate how you hope to grow it, and why collaboration is needed.
- 2) **Description of the group (1 page)**: Briefly outline the profiles of core group members indicating their complementarity. External collaborators can also be mentioned.
- 3) **Outline of the schedule (1 page)**: indicate planned activities and possible milestones, including a short discussion of feasibility and plans for AIAS involvement.

Deadline and timeframe

Application deadline: April 8, 2024

Notification of evaluation: June 1, 2024

Start of theme: August 15, 2024 (run for two years)

Contact: For further questions, please contact Lotte Holm, lho@aias.au.dk

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