

Application for recognition as a university research network «.....»

or

Application for extension of the university research network «.....»

I. Value and objectives of the network (max. 1 page)

- Vision (1 sentence)
- Mission statement and strategy
- Aims of the network

Please mention the following points:

- *Scientific importance of the topic in the international context*
- *Added value of a network compared to existing activities and structures*
- *Positioning of the network within the structures and strategy of the University of Basel*
- *Regional and international networking*

II. Participating researchers and structure of the network

- Criteria for inclusion in the network
- Participating researchers (at least 5 main applicants / members of group I or II of the University of Basel)
 - Faculty and department / *for external researchers*: institution
 - Research area
 - Scientific contribution to the network
 - 2 relevant publications
- Structure of the network (organization chart)

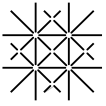
Research networks consist of the applicants and researchers who are associated with them. They belong to at least two different departments or faculties of the University of Basel. Networking with researchers outside the university is desired; especially in the Regio Basiliensis and with the EUCOR partner universities.

III. Activities of the network

Previous and planned scientific activities within the network, including milestones and timetable.

IV. Funding

The participating departments and research groups are responsible for the organization, administration and coordination of the network. This includes salaries, infrastructure and PR activities (e.g. website). In this respect, a lead department is to be appointed. Applications for financial support to carry out scientific activities of the network can be submitted individually.



These are assessed by the research commission and approved by the rectorate. Eligible activities include the organization of conferences and symposia, guest lectures, lecture series, visiting scientist programs, workshops, scientific retreats and scientific outreach, provided that they serve to fulfill the goals of the network, the networking between disciplines and international visibility.

Date and signatures of at least 5 main applicants of the network

Annex:

- Letter of support from the responsible department or faculty