

Support to undergraduate activities by the Excellence Initiative Nano

The Excellence Initiative Nano (EI Nano) welcomes applications to support undergraduate activities to benefit the contact between EI Nano and undergraduate programs. It is our ambition that this funding will help bridge the unnatural gap between graduate and undergraduate studies typically found in Swedish universities. It could also help bringing undergraduate students from other universities to Chalmers.

With this new funding instrument EI Nano supports a broad list of various undergraduate activities within the EI Nano. The activities could be diverse and typical requests should be less than 100 kSEK.

Below is a tentative list of activities but this list should not be regarded as exclusive. The only requirement for this funding is that it should benefit the contact between the EI Nano and suitable undergraduate programs (MSc or BSc).

List of activities

- Internships for Chalmers or other university undergraduate students, both national and international
- Costly BSc or MSc projects
- Development of Nano-related MSc courses, supporting development of existing courses
- Amanuenses positions
- Other

Application

Short applications (max 1 page) from researchers connected to the EI Nano will be welcome anytime during the year. The applications should contain the following:

- How the activity supports EI Nano contact with undergraduate programs
- Budget, clearly stating how the grant will be used
- Involved personnel and their roles

Excess funds should be repaid to the EI Nano at the end of the year.

An application should be submitted as a PDF by e-mail to Janine Splettstoesser (janines@chalmers.se) with cc to Christoph Langhammer (clangham@chalmers.se).

Please write "EI Nano undergraduate activity" in the subject line of the e-mail.

Decisions will be taken by the Director and Co-Director together with the steering group of the EI Nano and the funding decisions will be made within one month of the received application.

Professor Janine Splettstoesser

Director

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