

Application Type A:

SCIENCE

This category attracts the highest number of applications to the Trust. To make your submission stand out, focus on originality and innovation. Alongside the general guidance provided on our <u>Criteria page</u>, we've outlined some specific tips below to help strengthen your application.

- Scientific research projects must demonstrate originality and innovation that will generate new knowledge suitable for publication in peer reviewed scientific journals.
- The outcomes are disseminated to a wide audience internationally via appropriate media with a view to ultimately improving beekeeping and /or environmental practise.
- Each proposal must have a clearly identified intellectual and/or strategic rationale that demonstrates relevance to the research profile of the applicant.
- Researchers must also demonstrate suitable knowledge, expertise and the ability to complete the proposed work (if necessary under suitably qualified supervision).
- Where necessary, demonstrate access to appropriate laboratory resources to be able to conduct the suggested research.
- Ensure that the project can be concluded within the planned time scales showing clear schedules and milestones. These are vital not only to the project but to the financial planning of the Trust.
- Provide financial information including a breakdown of how the funding will be spent. Although the Trust does not usually cover a stipend or salaries, you may wish to include it in the breakdown to provide detail about projects overheads.
- Where scientists are located in different establishments explain how you intend to collaborate on a project, effective communication and coordination of the team's activity must be evident.



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We do not support the following:

- Academic chairs
- Institution overheads
- School projects