

IYNC Network start-up general criteria

This grant is designed to help develop a new YGN or reactivate an inactive YGN.

The YGN mission must be in line with IYNC mission:

- Develop new approaches to communicate benefits of nuclear power, as part of a balanced energy mix;
- Promote further peaceful uses of nuclear science and technology for the welfare of mankind;
- Transfer knowledge from the current generation of leading scientists to the next generation and across international boundaries

Prospective applicants must fill out the required form, which details why a grant is being requested (available on IYNC website).

The IYNC grant Committee will review the applications and determine the recipients based on budget availability and following criteria. List of committee members is available on the IYNC website.

The payment reimbursement timing will be agreed beforehand between the applicant and the committee. However application must be sent at list 2 months in advance of the required reimbursement date. Reimbursement will be made via wire transfer or PayPal transfer.

Applicants may contact grants@iync.org for information on the grant program and on the form.

Criteria

Number of grants: is agreed in advanced with the BoD based on IYNC budget availability and current business plan.

Max amount: Maximum amount is 3000\$. Grant can also be awarded not to the maximum amount, such decision is up to the committee and it is based on the application proposal.

Grant committee resolution: decided by the grant committee, 2 months after application. If the applicant wants to know the status of their application, please contact grants@iync.org.

Supporting material: applicant must provide reliable information on

1)Market research, by answering the questions: Does a YGN already exists in the country (competitors)? Is there interest in such activity in the country (market status)? What is the audience (characteristic and number of targets member)?

2)Business plan, by answering the questions: What are the objectives and goals of YGN? What will be the activities? What are the resources available, how will they be used, how will you sustain the YGN in the future? Do you have a contingency plan? What is the timeline? Do you have other supporters or sponsors?

Guidelines are available on the website for the developing of these supporting material.

Applicants are encouraged to provide letter(s) of recommendation from peers or advisor as support to their initiative.

The grant committee will evaluate the applications based on the parameters presented in the “Evaluating Criteria” section, and for each parameters point will be rewarded to guide the decision.

Please confirm the acceptance of the awarded grant within 2 weeks from receiving email communication by answering to grants@iync.org .

Evaluating Criteria:

1. Current status of YGN in the country: None, not active YGN, other YGN presented: 10, 5, 0.
2. YGN support IYNC mission: No, 1 mission, 2+ missions: 0, 5, 10.
3. Support to developing countries : G20 and OECD (List of countries in Appendix 1), Rest of the world: 0, 10
4. Applicant YGN previously awarded an IYNC Grant: Granted, Not granted: 0, 10
5. Sustainable business plan provided: No, Yes: 0,10.
6. The need of YGN is supported by the market research: No, Yes: 0,10.
7. Other sponsors or supporter are present: up to 10 points.

Appendix 1: Lists of OECD Countries and G20 countries.

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

Australia	France	Korea	Slovenia
Austria	Germany	Luxembourg	Spain
Belgium	Greece	Mexico	Sweden
Canada	Hungary	Netherlands	Switzerland
Chile	Iceland	New Zealand	Turkey
Czech Republic	Ireland	Norway	United Kingdom
Denmark	Israel	Poland	United States
Estonia	Italy	Portugal	
Finland	Japan	Slovak Republic	

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 United States	 United Kingdom	 Turkey	 South Korea
 South Africa	 Saudi Arabia	 Russia	 Mexico
 Japan	 Italy	 Indonesia	 India
 Germany	 France	 European Union	 China
 Canada	 Brazil	 Australia	 Argentina