

SWISS VIRTUAL CAMPUS CONSOLIDATION PROGRAMME

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The impulse program Swiss Virtual Campus (SVC) has ended in 2003. The consolidation program has started in January 2004. The consolidation program consists of four parts:

1. Use and maintenance of existing SVC projects (not for UAS projects)
2. Development of new courses (new projects)
3. Centres of competence, service and production for each institution of higher education
4. Services and coordination.

List of Documents

Basic Documents

- * Basic document for universities :
- * in German: [Ausführungsplan](#) (pdf, 184 KB), [Anhang](#) (pdf, 72 KB)
- * in French: [Plan d'exécution](#) (pdf, 182 KB), [annexe](#) (pdf, 72KB)

- * [Additional Information for Universities of Applied Sciences \(UAS\)](#) (pdf, 63 KB)

Project Maintenance Support

- * [Criteria for Project Maintenance Support](#) (pdf, 30 KB)
- * Application for Project Maintenance Support (in [Word format](#), 117 KB - in [rtf format](#), 289 KB [**](#))

New Swiss Virtual Campus Projects, Third Call

- * [Criteria for New Swiss Virtual Campus Projects](#), Third Call (pdf, 45 KB)
- * Application for New Swiss Virtual Campus Projects, Third Call (in [Word format](#), 113 KB - in [rtf format](#), 257 KB [**](#))
- * Application for detailed proposal (on invitation) ([Word](#), 139 KB - [Excel](#), 365 KB [**](#)) IST SCHON DRIN

Schedule

Project Maintenance Support

- * Application by Project Leader
earliest possibility: 3 months prior to project end
- * For projects ending in 2003

- November 15th, 2003, to get funding in March 2004
- * First funding possible
March 2004 (for 2 years in general)

New Swiss Virtual Campus Projects, Third Call

3rd Call for Proposals October 20th, 2003
Sketches, deadline November 28th, 2003
Invitation for Detailed Proposal February 5th, 2004
Detailed Proposal, deadline March 15th, 2004
Earliest project start July 1st, 2004 (for 2 years in general)

Competence Centres

Competence Centres will be in charge of producing and maintaining SVC projects. Their funding will be discussed directly with the institutions concerned. No formal application is needed (except for UAS), but the regular annual reporting will make sure that the criteria for competence centres are met. The SVC Local Coordinator (SVC LC) of each university will be the contact person for the SVC Steering Committee (SVC SC) and the coordination.

Selection Procedures

The SVC SC has defined the quality criteria for the selection of the projects and launches the calls for proposal.

- * It evaluates the sketches and afterwards the detailed proposals of the university projects, and proposes their financing. The SUC will finally decide on university projects.
- * It evaluates the sketches and detailed proposals of UAS projects for the attention of the OPET. UAS projects will be selected by the OPET.
- * ETH projects may participate, but the ETH part will be financed completely by ETH Zurich or EPF Lausanne, without additional federal funding (except for overall coordination needs).

The selection procedure may include a discussion with the authorities of the institutions concerned (members of rectorates, institutions, deans) before the final decision of the SVC SC.

As a general rule, applications should be **in English**, the language used in the SVC SC.

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Abbreviations

ETH Federal Institutes of Technology (ETH Zürich, EPF Lausanne)

FOES Federal Office for Education and Science

OPET Federal Office for Professional Education and Technology

SUC Swiss University Conference

SVC Swiss Virtual Campus

SVC LC SVC Local Coordinator

(one per institution of higher education, contact person for all SVC issues)

SVC SC SVC Steering Committee

UAS Universities of Applied Sciences

In **this forum**, you can discuss the third call and other topics concerning SVC projects.

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