Application Form

**Novo Nordisk-**

**Chinese Academy of Sciences Research Fund**

**Applications should preferably be jointly submitted by an applicant from CAS and an applicant from Novo Nordisk**

**For PhD fellowship**: the student’s advisor should be the applicant, and the CV's of both the professor and the student should be included.

**For Industrial Research fellowship**: the Post-doc should apply, and the CV of the host professor as well as his/her recommendation should be included.

**Key information:**

Name and Institute of CAS Applicant:

Name and Department of Novo Nordisk applicant:

Type of Program and Project (please see details in Part II):

Project title:

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**Part I. Personal Data: CAS Applicant**

* Name：Family name \_\_\_\_\_ Given name \_\_\_
* Gender: Male Female
* Date (dd/mm/yyyy) and place of birth:
* Nationality:
* Title: Prof. PhD MD
* Present appointment and affiliation:
* Address, email, telephone and fax number:
* Brief statement of scientific career and qualifications (max 1 page):
* Field of specialization:
* Main recent publications (max 6 pages):
* Knowledge of English:
* Previous visit(s) abroad (max 6 including visits to Denmark and Sweden):

Letter(s) of recommendation and commitment from CAS Head of Institute and list of referees (including contact details)

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* Previous visit(s) abroad (max 6 including visits to China):

Letter(s) of recommendation and commitment from at least one Novo Nordisk Vice-President and list of referees (including contact details). The letter shall be obtained before application submission.

**Part II. Type of Program and Project**

Please select one Program and Project type from the list below and mark the check box.

**Program 1: Research Projects**

A: **Joint research projects:** up to 300.000 RMB per year for two years

* Must involve both CAS and NN scientists.
* Projects may include co-funding from Chinese, European, Nordic or Danish (including Industrial PhD Fellowships) funds.

B: **Exchange visits**: up to 40.000 RMB

* CAS scientists visiting NN, including NN China R&D Center.
* NN scientists visiting CAS.
* CAS scientists visiting a University or Research Institute collaborating with NN.

**Program 2: Collaboration Consortia**

C: **Consortia projects:** up to 600.000 RMB per year for two years

* Must involve a minimum of 2 CAS scientists and one NN scientist.

**Program 3: Young Scientist Fellowships**

D: **Ph.D. fellowship**: up to 120.000 RMB per year for three years

* Collaboration project performed by a **PhD student** at CAS and a co-supervisor at Novo Nordisk.

E: **Industrial Research Fellowship**: up to 250.000 RMB per year for two years

* Collaboration project performed by a **Post-doc Fellow** employed by CAS and a project co-supervisor at Novo Nordisk.

F. **Young Investigator Award:** up to 300,000 RMB per year for two years

* Collaboration project between a young investigator **(Assistant Professor or equivalent)** employed by CAS and a Novo Nordisk scientist.

**Program 4: Workshops**

G: **Joint** **Workshops**: up to 100.000 RMB

* Meetings with the purpose of identifying new potential fields of collaboration. NN-CAS Fund will pay maximum 50% of total costs.

**Part III. Project description**

1. Project title
2. An executive summary of the project (max half a page)
3. A full project description including following sections (max 5 pages excluding literature)
   * Introduction/Background
   * Project Plan (including materials and methods)
   * Literature
4. A statement (max half a page) on how the project, if funded, could help to promote collaborations between CAS and Novo Nordisk.
5. Applications must include provisions regulating publication, IPR ownership, confidentiality and bioethical issues (if relevant) which in principle have been approved by relevant and authorized management at both the CAS Institute and Novo Nordisk. Suggestions for how such provisions may be worded (depending on the particular project proposal an abstract of which must therefore be available) can be obtained from [bqd@novonordisk.com](mailto:bqd@novonordisk.com).
6. If the application is approved for funding, an Agreement between Applicant’s Institution and Novo Nordisk must be signed to govern IP, Publication, animal ethics (if relevant), and related issues.
7. A budget for the project with specifications of the amount requested.
8. If applicable, co-funding, in cash or in kind, by any of the parties, must be clearly specified as this may be considered a positive selection criterion.
9. Letters of recommendation and commitment from third parties (if relevant), e.g. one or more universities.
10. A consent letter to ensure communication between co-applicants and to acknowledge the fund in publications supported by the Fund within 2 years after completion of the project. (consent letter must be printed out and signed by applicants)



**Part IV. Applicants’s curriculum vita**

Print or Attach CV for CAS and Novo Nordisk applicants.

**Part V. For NN-CAS fund board use only**

Date of receipt: 2017-

Application number: 2017-#.

Initial evaluation comment (& date):

Board evaluation (& date):

Board decision (& date):

Other comments:

**Part VI. Note to applicants**

1. For Part I: If there are more than one applicant from CAS or Novo Nordisk, or an applicant from a third party, please copy and add more pages with additional Personal Data.
2. If the application includes studies with animals, ethical review of proposed studies and inspection of animal facility will be required by Novo Nordisk. For guidelines, please contact Baoping Wang (email baop@novonordisk.com).
3. If the application includes studies with human samples, CAS partner may be required by Chinese regulation to submit an application for international collaboration on studies with human samples to Chinese Human Genetic Materials Management Office for approval, and ethical review of proposed studies may be required by Novo Nordisk. For guidelines, please contact Baoping Wang (email baop@novonordisk.com).
4. The approved project will be announced on the homepage of the NN-CAS Research Fund. Sensitive information (such as names of targets or molecules) may be replaced by xxx.