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INNOVATION RESEARCH

Faculty research grants on innovation themes for Associated and Senior Lecturers

The Faculty of Engineering and [CIRCLE - Centre for Innovation Research](#) are announcing up to two independent research grants on topics related to innovation research. The topics chosen by the candidate are open but should be linked to one or more of the seven [CIRCLE-themes](#).

The grant covers 100,000 SEK of direct wage costs for a year with the possibility to extend by one additional year. The successful candidate is supposed to add parts of her or his faculty funded research time to the granted 10% percent. The expected starting date is September 15th, 2021.

Expected output:

- Work towards a larger research agenda on either innovation theme, as well as work on concrete ideas about research projects and activities to realize the agenda.
- A multi-disciplinary research proposal is drafted and ready for submission.
- Contribute to the multi-disciplinary research environment at CIRCLE by participating in seminars and events (approximately once a week presence).

Conditions:

Associated and senior lecturers employed at the Faculty of Engineering can apply.

Application:

The grant proposal shall include

- Justification and formulation of a research idea.
- Explanation how the research idea relates and adds to the applicant's current research activities and CIRCLE-themes.
- Reflections about the extent to which the research idea would benefit of multi-disciplinary contributions from within LTH but also from other faculties hosting CIRCLE.
- Full CV
- The approval of the head of department (equivalent) certifying that the reduction in other work duties is possible and that overheads will be covered by the sending department.

The maximum length is two pages excluding CV and approval letter.

Assessment:

Applications are assessed by the CIRCLE-management group.

Submission:

Please send your application no later than June 4th, 2021 to the CIRCLE-LTH coordinator Torben Schubert (torben.schubert@circle.lu.se) and to the CIRCLE-director Markus Grillitsch (markus.grillitsch@keg.lu.se).