

SLU LANDSCAPE ANNUAL CALL FOR IDEAS

2022–2023 CFI THEME

TIMELINE

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AS A CLIMATE ACTOR

- SUBMISSION DUE
25 november 2022
- ANNOUNCEMENT OF
WINNERS
14 december 2022
- KICK-OFF PROJECT
MEETING
in january 2023
- WORKSHOPS AT
SLU-LANDSCAPE DAYS
in spring 2023
- PROJECT CHECK-UP
in june 2023
- PROJECT REPORT
AND FINAL INVOICES DUE
15 september 2023
- PROJECT AND OUTCOMES
PRESENTATION AT
SLU-LANDSCAPE DAYS
in autumn 2023

How to promote landscape architecture as a CLIMATE ACTOR?

Think of a convincing example,
argument, experiment together with
SLU Landscape colleagues and apply
for funding to promote or develop it!

THE AIM OF CALL FOR IDEAS PROJECTS

is to stimulate interdisciplinary collaboration, expand and maintain networks within the landscape field, update the current state of knowledge and identify future visions and trends. Up to SEK 200,000 will be distributed equally to support four project proposals' operational costs.

ABOUT THE THEME

Landscape architecture works with climate mitigation and adaptation, based on strong links to society and practice—it is a climate actor par excellence. Yet, it lacks recognition. This year's CFI asks for ideas to showcase landscape architecture's agency to address climate change issues to the whole of SLU and beyond.

WHAT FORM MIGHT THESE PROPOSALS TAKE?

Perhaps you and your group wish to further develop or visualise convincing climate solutions, a landscape architectural method to complement the climate toolbox, a new theoretical approach or practice-based argument to enrich the climate discourse at SLU and beyond. The project can support ongoing work or start shaping something new.

FOR YOUR PROJECT PROPOSAL TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CFI FUNDING, YOUR TEAM MUST:

- Include at least 3 people from at least 2 SLU Landscape units (SOL, LAPF, IMS, Movium, SLU Urban Futures). We welcome collaborators from climate-related areas at SLU or elsewhere.
- Formulate an implementation plan.
- Concretize activities that add value to SLU Landscape.

WHAT IS NEEDED IN YOUR PROPOSAL? (MAX. 2 PAGES)

ENGAGEMENT—list of the participants and their regular workplaces. Also their main activity, e.g. research / teaching, w/dept, campus location and affiliations. Identify a primary contact person.

IMPLEMENTATION—provide an activity plan on timeline until September 2023; outline action step/tasks and preliminary budget.

RESULT—list concrete outcomes for SLU Landscape and team members that comes from realizing this idea. Also, identify immediate and long-term values.

WHAT IF YOU HAVE A QUESTION?

Email questions to sara.westerdahl@slu.se.

WHERE DO YOU SEND THE PROPOSAL, AND BY WHEN?

Email completed English proposals (2-page max) to: sara.westerdahl@slu.se before the 25th of November 2022.

Proposals are assessed on: team mix, feasibility of action plans, proposed effects and relevance to SLU Landscape's mission to build on existing resources for the benefit of all SLU Landscape members.

The proposals are reviewed by SLU

Landscape Steering Group:

Lisa Diedrich (SLU Urban Futures, chair),
Lars Johansson (Movium),
Ingrid Sarlöv-Herlin (LAPF),
Bruno Santesson (SOL),
Mats Gyllin (IMS)
and Karl Lövré (LTV).

