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17 April 2024

Dear [REDACTED],

Freedom of Information request: FOI2024/00248

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on the 19 March in which you requested the following:

Your request:

I am trying to better understand the funding process, and portfolio approach of Innovate UK. For the following competitions

*Innovate UK innovation loans future economy: round 11
Innovate UK innovation loans future economy: round 12
Innovate UK innovation loans future economy: round 13*

Could you kindly provide,

Application Data:

1. Total number of applications.
2. Total number of applications ineligible for assessment.
3. Total number of successful applications.
4. Total number of applications considered a resubmission of a previous application.
5. Total number of successful applications which were considered a resubmission of a previous application.
6. The success rate.
7. The score of the lowest scoring funded project.
8. The score of the highest scoring funded project.
9. The score of the highest non-funded project.
10. The average (mean) score of funded projects.
11. Average grant fund value of funded projects.
12. The score distributions of the applications (eg. % (or number) of applications which scored <70, 70.1-75, 75.1-80, 80.1-85, 85.1-90, 90.1-95, 95.1-100).
13. The number of assessed applications by research category.
14. The number of successful projects by research category.
15. The number of assessed applications by innovation area.
16. The number of successful projects by innovation area.
17. The number of unsuccessful applicants, if any, which scored above the minimum funded score.

Our response

I can confirm that UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) holds some information relevant to your request. Please see the information below.

Table 1: Questions 1, 2 and 4

Question	Round 11	Round 12	Round 13
1. The total number of applications	76	83	87
2. Total number of applications ineligible for assessment.	19	26	20
4. Total number of applications considered a resubmission of a previous application.	16	14	19

Information for questions 3 and 5 to 17 is not held as the applications are still undergoing the credit evaluation stage and no decision on funding has been made.

If you have any queries regarding our response or you are unhappy with the outcome of your request and wish to seek an internal review of the decision, please contact within the next 40 working days:

Head of Information Governance

Email: foi@ukri.org

Please quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are still not content with the outcome of the internal review, you may apply to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the review procedure provided by UKRI. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: www.ico.org.uk.

If you wish to raise a complaint regarding the service you have received or the conduct of any UKRI staff in relation to your request, please see UKRI's complaints policy: <https://www.ukri.org/about-us/policies-and-standards/complaints-policy/>

Yours sincerely,


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