

Ambizione 2018: Results of the 11th Call

Summary

Ambizione enables young researchers in all disciplines to start doing independent research. The grants are aimed at young researchers who wish to conduct, manage and lead an independent project at a Swiss higher education institution.

The Ambizione funding period is four years. Ambizione is also open to young researchers with non-professorial research positions offering career prospects. As a result, applicants can request Ambizione grants with or without a salary.

In November 2017, 288 applications were submitted for the 11th Ambizione call (field of support I, humanities and social sciences: 94 applications; field of support II, mathematics, natural and engineering sciences: 126 applications; field of support III, biology and medicine: 49 applications; field of support clinic/preventive medicine: 19 applications). For the second phase, 136 candidatures were considered. These candidates were invited to an interview to present their project.

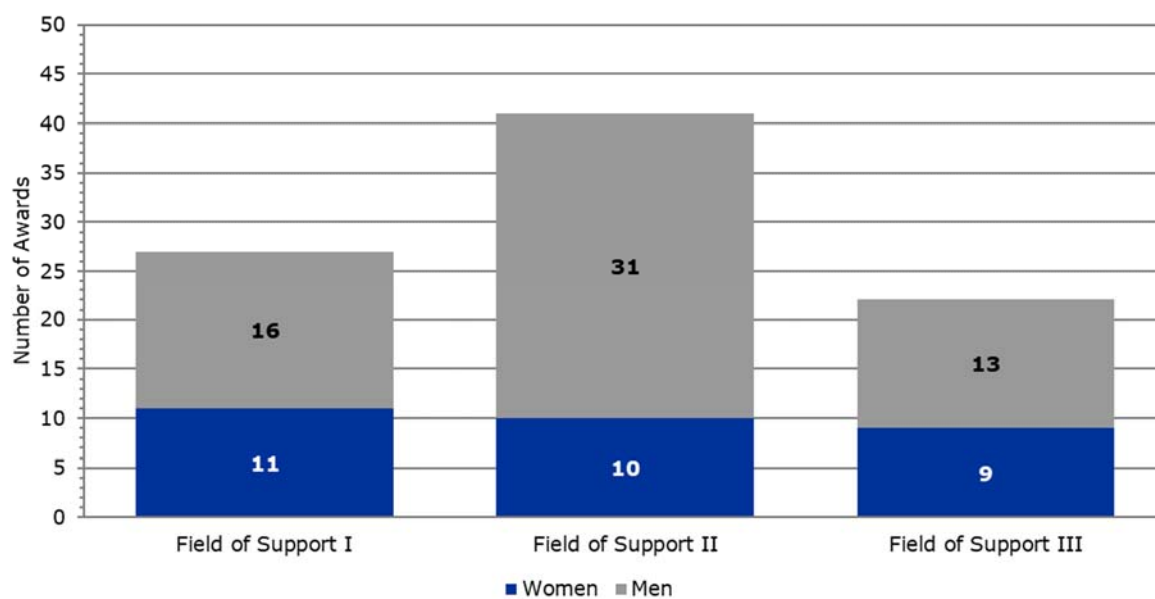
In August 2018, the SNSF awarded 90 new Ambizione grants (field of support I: 27; field of support II: 41; field of support III: 16; field of support clin./prev.: 6). 18 Swiss host institutions will be involved when the grant awardees begin their work. This year, the targeted 35 % share of female grantees was almost achieved with 30 grants awarded (33.3 %). The next call is already running since the beginning of August 2018 with a submission deadline on 1 November 2018.

Evaluation

Ambizione 2018: Awards according to Field of Support

	Total		Women		Men	
Field of support I (humanities and social sciences)	27	30.0 %	11	36.7 %	16	26.7 %
Field of support II (mathematics, natural and engineering sciences)	41	45.6 %	10	33.3 %	31	51.7 %
Field of support III (biology, medicine and Clin./Prev.)	22	24.4 %	9	30.0 %	13	21.7 %
Total	90	100 %	30	33.3 %	60	66.7 %

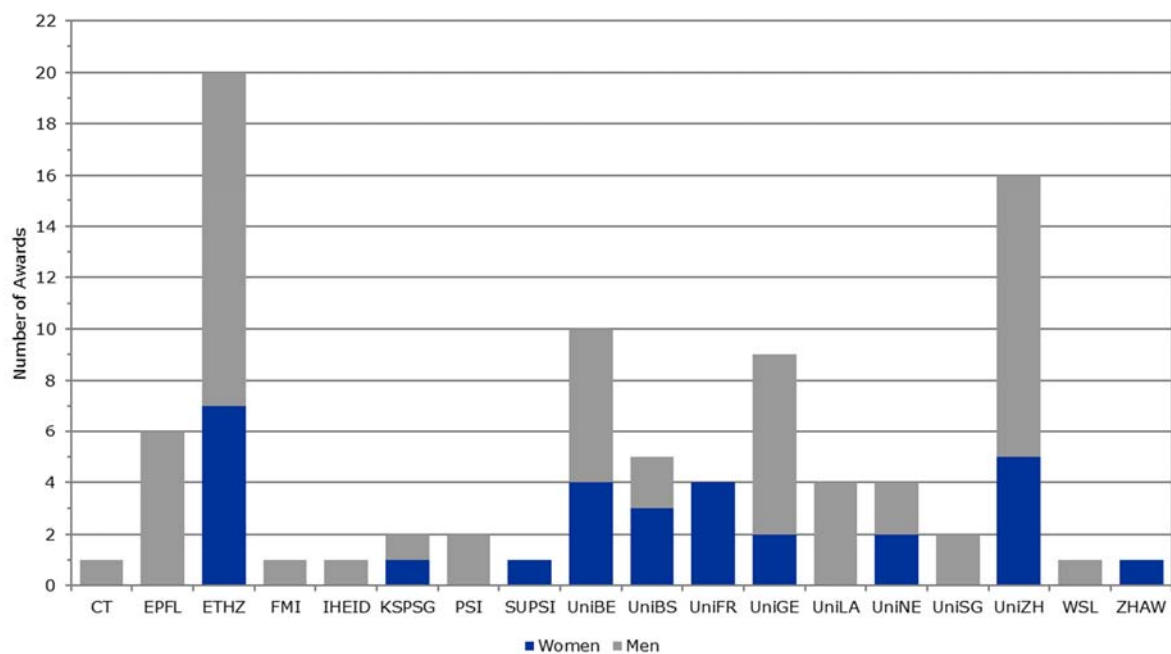
Ambizione 2018: Awards according to Field of Support



Ambizione 2018: Awards according to Host Institution

	Total	Women	Men
CT (Cardiocentro Ticino)	1	0	1
EPFL	6	0	6
ETHZ	20	7	13
FMI	1	0	1
IHEID	1	0	1
KSPSG	2	1	1
PSI	2	0	2
SUPSI	1	1	0
UniBE	10	4	6
UniBS	5	3	2
UniFR	4	4	0
UniGE	9	2	7
UniLA	4	0	4
UniNE	4	2	2
UniSG	2	0	2
UniZH	16	5	11
WSL	1	0	1
ZHAW	1	1	0
Total	90	30	60

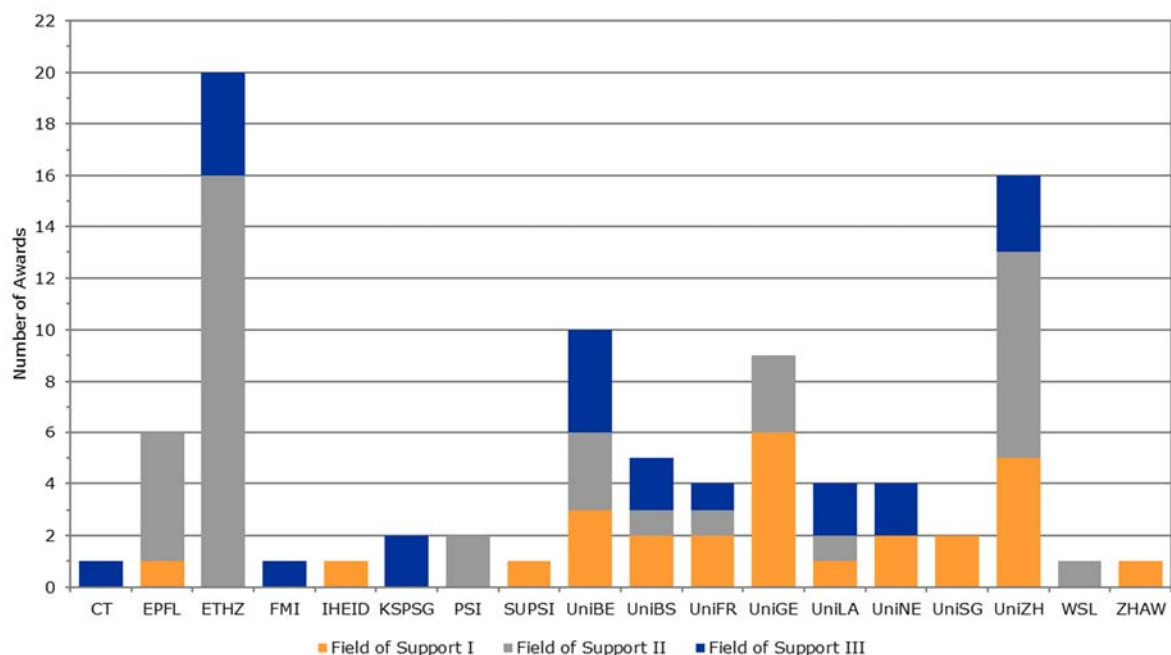
Ambizione 2018: Awards according to Host Institution



Ambizione 2018: Awards according to Host Institution and Field of Support

	I (Humanities and Social Sci.)	II (Math., Natural and Eng. Sci.)	III (Biology, Medicine and Clin./Prev.)	Total
CT (Cardiocentro Ticino)	0	0	1	1
EPFL	1	5	0	6
ETHZ	0	16	4	20
FMI	0	0	1	1
IHEID	1	0	0	1
KSPSG	0	0	2	2
PSI	0	2	0	2
SUPSI	1	0	0	1
UniBE	3	3	4	10
UniBS	2	1	2	5
UniFR	2	1	1	4
UniGE	6	3	0	9
UniLA	1	1	2	4
UniNE	2	0	2	4
UniSG	2	0	0	2
UniZH	5	8	3	16
WSL	0	1	0	1
ZHAW	1	0	0	1
Total	27	41	22	90

Ambizione 2018: Awards according to Host Institution and Field of Support



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