

## **Ambizione call 2023: Results of the 17<sup>th</sup> 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 2023, 490 applications were submitted for the 17<sup>th</sup> Ambizione call (Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH): 177 applications; Mathematics, Informatics, Natural Sciences and Technology (MINT): 188 applications; Life Sciences (LS): 125 applications). For the second phase, 188 candidatures were considered. These candidates were invited to an interview to present their project.

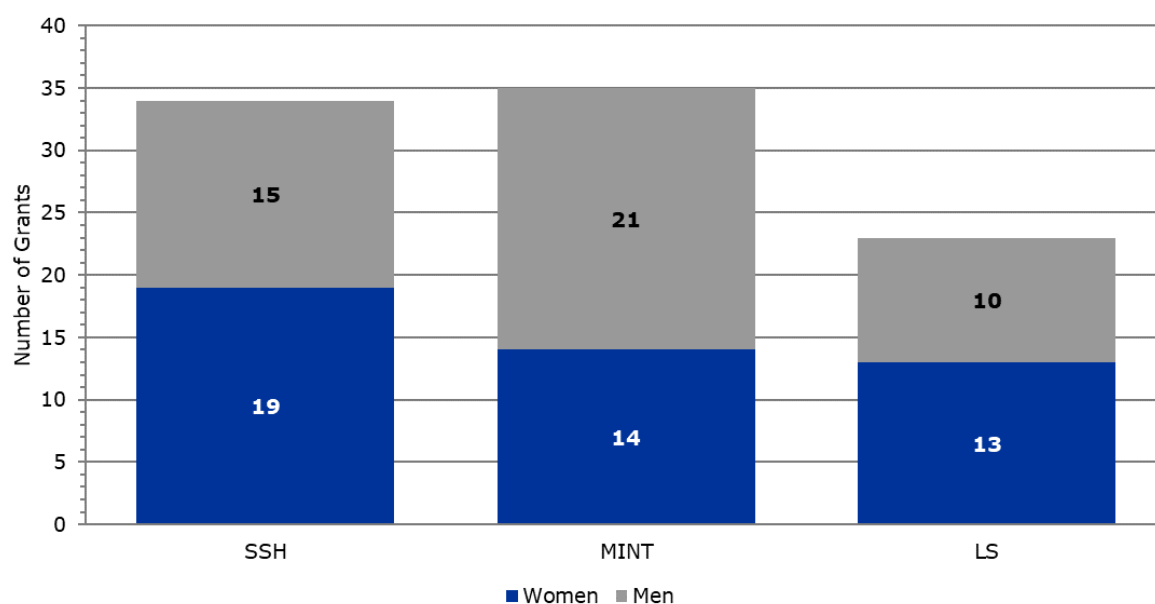
In August 2024, the SNSF awarded 92 new Ambizione grants (SSH: 34; MINT: 35; LS: 23). 13 Swiss research institutions will be involved when the grant awardees begin their work. This year, the targeted share of female grantees (35 %) was exceeded with 46 grants awarded (50.0 %). The next call is already running since the beginning of August 2024 with a submission deadline on 1 November 2024.

## Evaluation

### Ambizione call 2023: Grants according to field of support

	Total		Women		Men	
<b>Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH)</b>	34	37.0 %	19	41.3 %	15	32.6 %
<b>Mathematics, Informatics, Natural Sciences and Technology (MINT)</b>	35	38.0 %	14	30.4 %	21	45.7 %
<b>Life Sciences (LS)</b>	23	25.0 %	13	28.3 %	10	21.7 %
<b>Total</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>100 %</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>50.0 %</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>50.0 %</b>

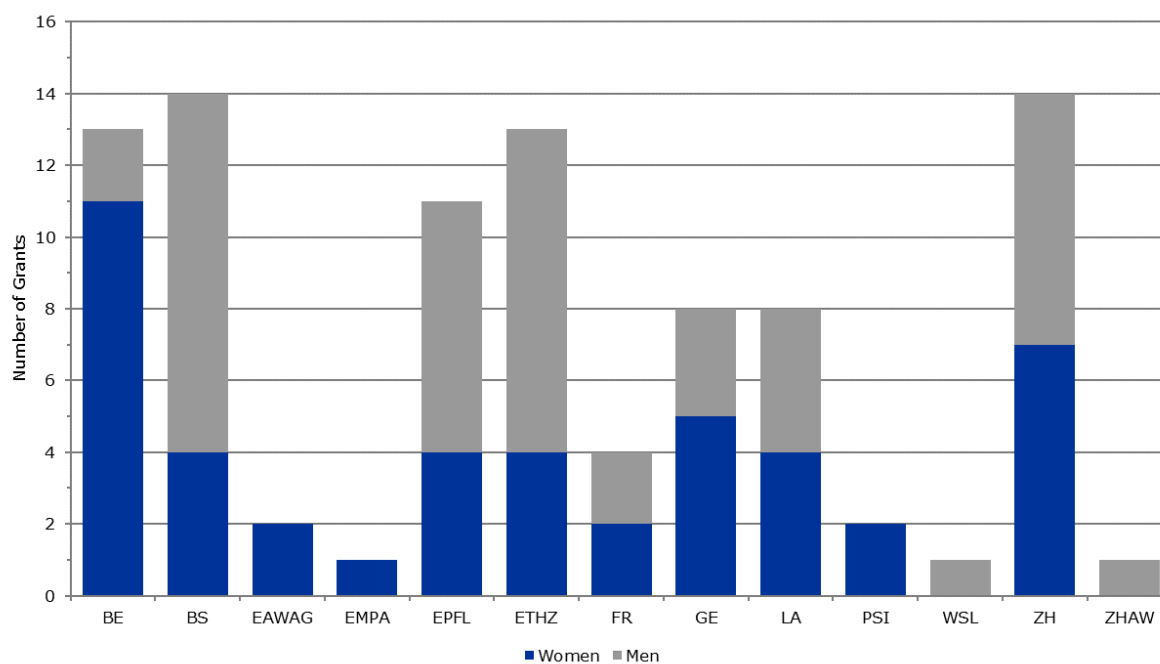
### Ambizione call 2023: Grants according to field of support



### Ambizione call 2023: Grants according to research institution

	Women	Men	Total
BE	11	2	13
BS	4	10	14
EAWAG	2	0	2
EMPA	1	0	1
EPFL	4	7	11
ETHZ	4	9	13
FR	2	2	4
GE	5	3	8
LA	4	4	8
PSI	2	0	2
WSL	0	1	1
ZH	7	7	14
ZHAW	0	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>92</b>

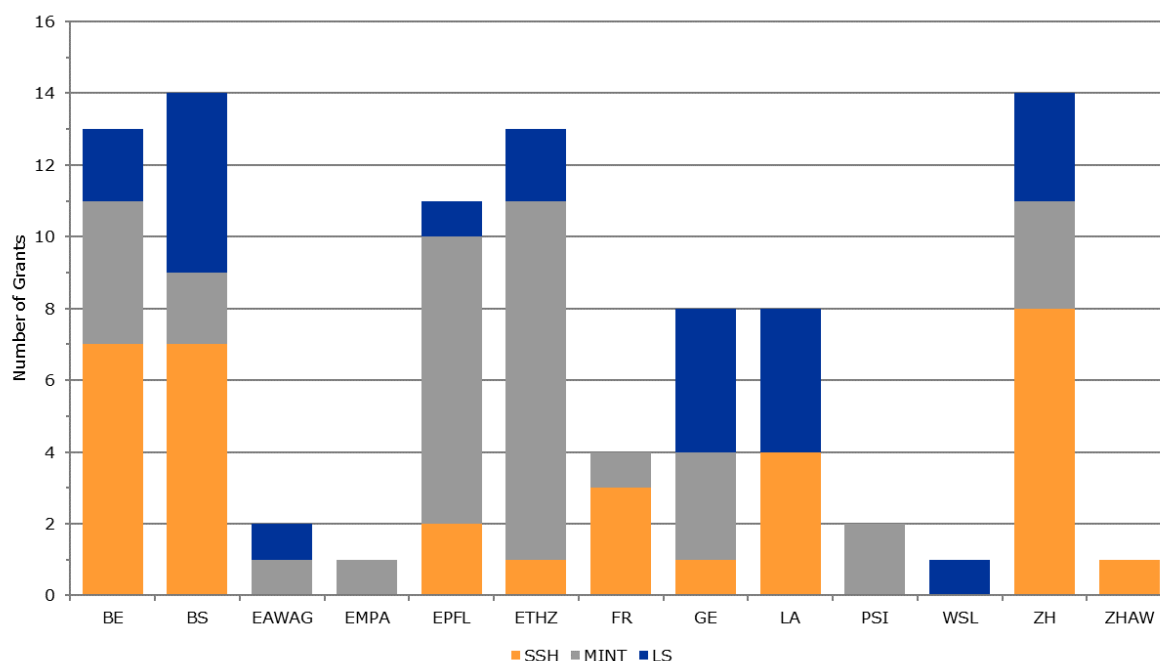
### Ambizione 2023: Grants according to research institution



### Ambizione call 2023: Grants according to research institution and field of support

	SSH	MINT	LS	Total
BE	7	4	2	13
BS	7	2	5	14
EAWAG	0	1	1	2
EMPA	0	1	0	1
EPFL	2	8	1	11
ETHZ	1	10	2	13
FR	3	1	0	4
GE	1	3	4	8
LA	4	0	4	8
PSI	0	2	0	2
WSL	0	0	1	1
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