

FAQs for Scientists

- Who can apply for funding from Ignite: Any scientist working in a not-for-profit Indian University or Research Institution can apply for Grants to Ignite. Applications should be in response to a Call for proposals. We prefer proposals that are multidisciplinary in approach and possibly multiple institutions.
- What is the level of funding provided: Fast Grants receive funding of INR 50 L or less over 18 months. The sweet spot for our large grants is INR 3-4 crore over 3-4 years.
- How long does it take for a decision on a funding application to be announced: One month or less for Fast Grants and 3 months or less for Large Grants.
- If my application does not succeed, can I apply for a subsequent Open Call with the same proposal: No. If it does not meet our criteria the first time, it is unlikely to meet our expectations the second time. But you may contact@ignitelsf.in if you have a specific question regarding this.

