



ECOTONE TELEMETRY GRANTS 2017

Grant subject-matter:

Use of innovative telemetry methods in ecological, eco-physiological or zoological wildlife research that may employ:

- GPS tracking with GSM, GPRS or UHF data download;
- activity monitoring based on acceleration activity reports;
- raw acceleration data analyses;
- use of diving duration or TDR data.

Two fully funded grants, or one fully funded and two partially funded grants will be awarded, maximal funding includes:

- consultation and support from Ecotone specialists for logger start-up, deployment and data collection at the early stages of the project;
- GPS loggers from Ecotone (up to 20 devices per project);
- data transfer costs for loggers throughout the project;
- reimbursement of field work expenses (up to 5000 EUR);
- potential sponsored participation in the international conference.

Grant requirements

- project duration: 1-2 years;
- research should have innovative nature;
- collection and processing of all kinds of data available from the loggers
- presentation of preliminary results at international conference (oral presentation or workshop) till the end of 2018;
- publication of results in journal with a high impact factor within one year of research completion;
- trapping and deployment methods must conform with accepted practices or experiences of the provider.
- project must be designed as to not endanger any wildlife population and cannot be invasive in relation to examined group of animals nor shall endanger local population chosen as a research object;
- external harness, collars or glue-on methods must be used to attach loggers (no implants or subcutaneous implanted hooks or anchors)
- project cannot be joined with other researches, in which telemetry devices of other companies will be used



APPLICATION FORM

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Please complete and send to telemetry@ecotone.pl before the end of December 2017.

Results will be announced before the end of January 2018.

Applicant Contact details and affiliation:

- Title
- First name
- Surname
- Position
- E-mail address
- Telephone number

Organization or affiliated institution:

- Name
- Address
- E-mail address
- Telephone number

Supervisor (applies for students)

- Title
- First name
- Surname
- Address
- E-mail address

Project description:

1. Project title.
2. Aims and short description of the project (up to 200 words).
3. Schedule and project duration.
4. Co-financing or matching funds (share of funds contributed by others).
5. Species details, including:
 - . Name of the species (scientific and common name).
 - . Body weight ranges for both sexes.
 - . Specimen availability issues and method of trapping and tag deployment.
 - . Important details: breeding, migratory, diving, using burrows or caves, colonial, diurnal or nocturnal, etc.

Ecotone may request additional information to facilitate final grant determinations.