

How to draft an application, supplement your application and give additional information to your application

1. How to draft an application

An application consists of an online application and its appendices (usually a curriculum vitae and other appendices). For more information, please see the call text.



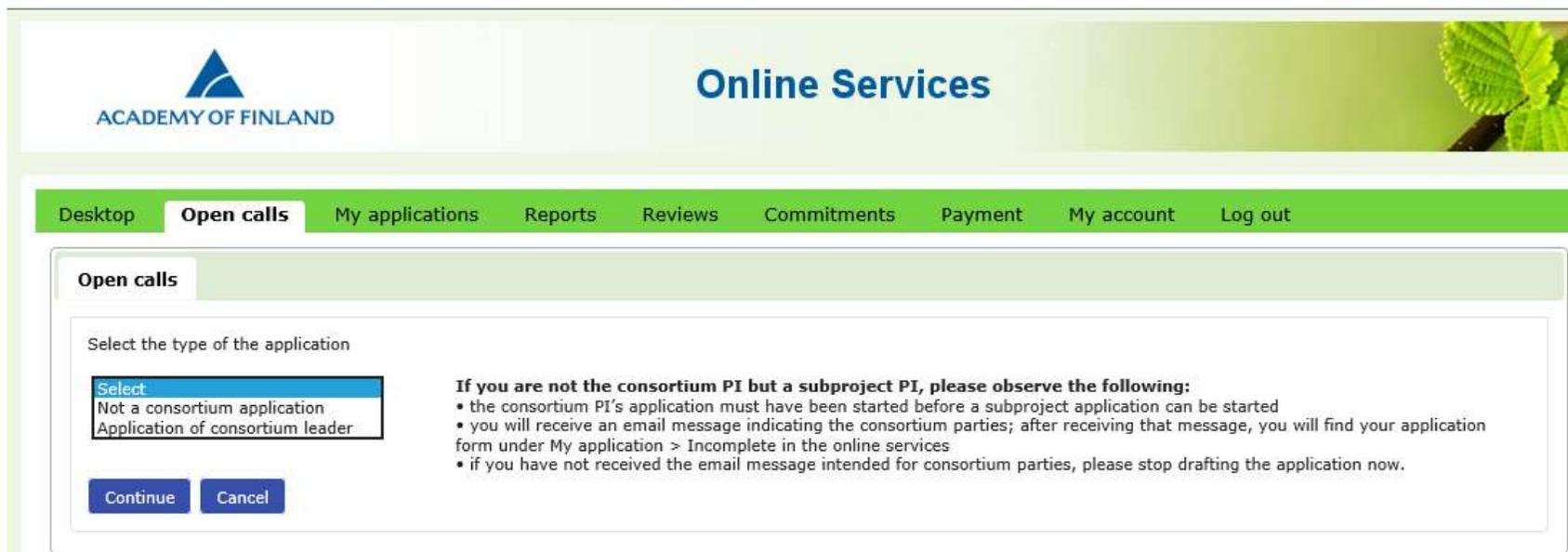
The screenshot shows the 'Online Services' page of the Academy of Finland. The navigation menu includes 'Desktop', 'Open calls', 'My applications', 'Reports', 'Reviews', 'My account', and 'Log out'. The 'Open calls' section is active and displays a table with the following data:

Name	Started	Ends		
TESTIHAKU Liisan 2016	22.04.2016 00:00	14.07.2016 16:15	See the call for applications	New application
Academy Project funding	01.09.2015 00:00	01.10.2016 16:15	See the call for applications	New application

To draft a new application, select the tab *Open calls* and click on *New application*. The tab lists the names of open calls with starting and ending dates and a link to the call text.

Before you begin filling in the application, you will have to answer a double-check question to confirm that you have selected the right call. Then select the language you want to use from the alternatives. The applications will be reviewed by international experts. The Academy of Finland mainly uses foreign experts as reviewers. In the interest of ensuring that applications can be reviewed by international experts and to ensure the uniformity and smooth processing of funding decisions, the Academy requests that applications are submitted in English, even if applicants have the right to submit their application in Finnish or Swedish.

Select if you are submitting an application of a consortium leader or if your application is not a consortium application.



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Online Services

Desktop **Open calls** My applications Reports Reviews Commitments Payment My account Log out

Open calls

Select the type of the application

Select
Not a consortium application
Application of consortium leader

Continue Cancel

If you are not the consortium PI but a subproject PI, please observe the following:

- the consortium PI's application must have been started before a subproject application can be started
- you will receive an email message indicating the consortium parties; after receiving that message, you will find your application form under My application > Incomplete in the online services
- if you have not received the email message intended for consortium parties, please stop drafting the application now.

The application form is made up of numbered tabs, where all the required information must be filled in before the application can be submitted. A red triangle indicates the tabs where required information is still missing. The first tab shows the applicant's personal data and CV. Click *Edit profile and attach CV* to go to the page where you can edit and complete your personal data. The last tab of the application form allows you to submit your application.

The various tabs of the application focus on information about mobility, a research plan, list of publications, use of research infrastructure and project funding including justifications. Fields for required information are marked. Some fields have field-specific instructions for the applicant which show up on the left-hand side of the form when the cursor is moved to the field in question. Append only the requested appendices to the application and make sure not to exceed the maximum lengths indicated in the guidelines.

You can convert your application to pdf format at any stage of filling in the application by clicking on *Your application in PDF format*. If you have filled in the research plan on a separate tab, you can check the plan's length and layout at any time by clicking on Show research plan in the menu on the left. If your research plan exceeds the maximum length, the system will notify you when you try to save the tab. You cannot submit your application if the research plan exceeds the maximum length or if you have not filled in all required fields.

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1. Personal data/CV	2. Consortium parties	3. General description	4. Abstract	5. Research plan	6. Most relevant publications
7. Mobility	8. Affiliations	9. Ethical aspects	10. Funding for the project	11. Salary of principal investigator	
12. Public description of project	13. Appendixes	14. Submit application	15. Authorisation		

Call: Test Call 2019: THESE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED BY THE ACADEMY OF FINLAND
Time left to complete the application: 4 day(s) 5 hour(s) 14 minute(s) 54 second(s)

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Describe here the national (between organisations, research institutes or business companies) and international mobility of research staff. The minimum duration is 0.5 month.

Planned mobility

The project does not involve mobility.

Mobility » - Delete

Name

Nationality

Research career stage

Duration (months)

Centres of Excellence can combine researchers who are at the same research career stage by writing the stage in question under "Name".

Every tab in the application except the first and last tabs has a *Save* button that you can click to save the data you have entered. You move between tabs by clicking on the buttons *Save and go back* or *Save and continue*. The top right corner of the application form shows how much time you have left to complete the application. The deadline is non-negotiable, and applications cannot be submitted after the deadline has expired.



The screenshot shows the application interface with a green navigation bar at the top containing: Desktop, **Open calls**, My applications, Reports, Reviews, Commitments, My account, and Log out.

On the left, there is a sidebar with links: Call for applications, Guidelines for this funding opportunity, User guide, Questions and feedback, Your application in PDF format, and Show research plan.

The main content area features a progress bar with 15 tabs:

- 1. Personal data/CV
- 2. Consortium parties
- 3. General description (with a red triangle warning)
- 4. Abstract (with a red triangle warning)
- 5. Research plan
- 6. Most relevant publications (with a red triangle warning)
- 7. Mobility
- 8. Affiliations (with a red triangle warning)
- 9. Ethical aspects (with a red triangle warning)
- 10. Funding for the project (with a red triangle warning)
- 11. Salary of principal investigator
- 12. Public description of project (with a red triangle warning)
- 13. Appendixes (with a red triangle warning)
- 14. **Submit application** (highlighted)
- 15. Authorisation

Below the tabs, a message box states: "Call: Test Call 2019: THESE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED BY THE ACADEMY OF FINLAND" and "Time left to complete the application: 4 day(s) 5 hour(s) 6 minute(s) 52 second(s)".

The application status is shown as "Incomplete". The application was created and updated on 28.03.2019 at 09:59. A red warning message states: "Your application is missing required information. Please check the missing fields." Below this, the "Submit application" button is disabled.

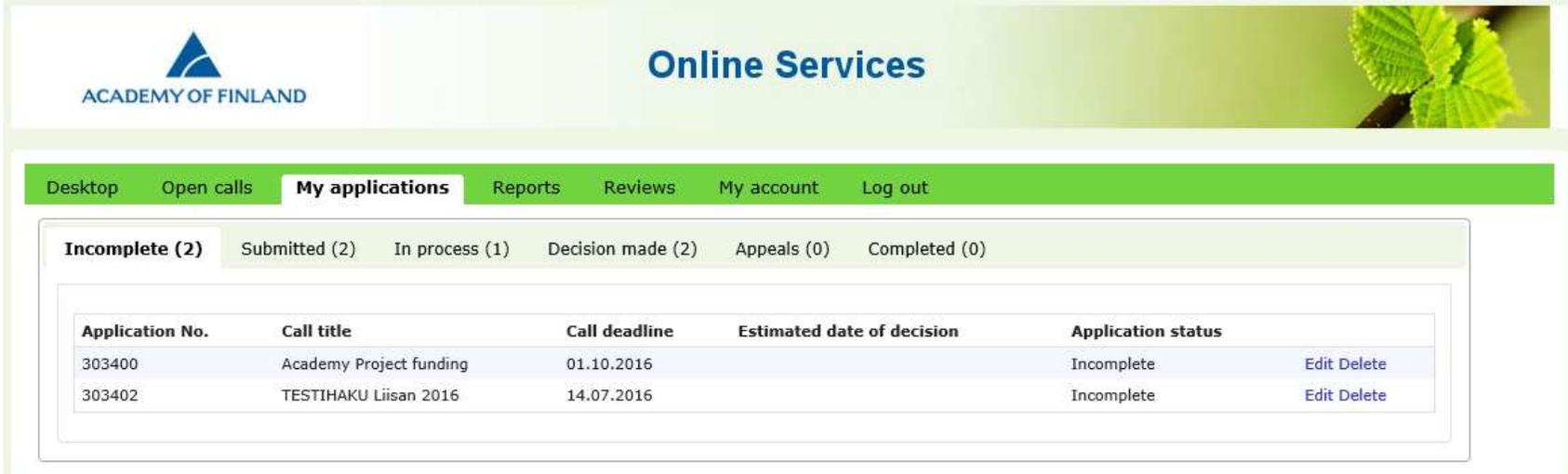
An application cannot be submitted if required information or appendices are missing. If there are red triangles next to some of the tabs in your application, please go back to those tabs to correct or complete the information. The *Submit application* button becomes active when the application contains all the required information and appendices. When you have successfully submitted your application, you will receive an email confirming this.

2. How to edit your application before the call deadline

2.1 How to edit an incomplete application

At any stage of drafting the application, you may leave it incomplete and continue drafting it later by selecting *My applications* -> *Incomplete*, then click *Edit*. However, if the call deadline has expired, applications can no longer be edited.

An incomplete application can be deleted. Incomplete applications can also be deleted after the deadline has expired.

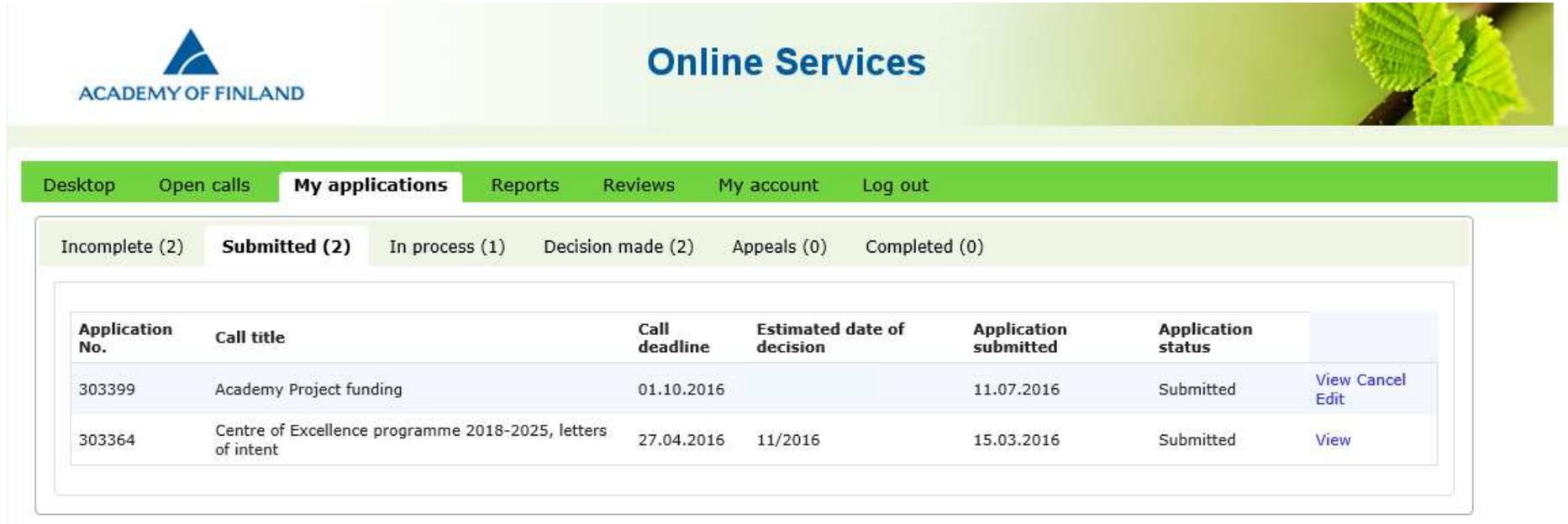


The screenshot shows the 'Online Services' interface of the Academy of Finland. The navigation menu includes 'Desktop', 'Open calls', 'My applications', 'Reports', 'Reviews', 'My account', and 'Log out'. The 'My applications' section is active, showing a summary of application statuses: Incomplete (2), Submitted (2), In process (1), Decision made (2), Appeals (0), and Completed (0). Below this is a table listing the incomplete applications.

Application No.	Call title	Call deadline	Estimated date of decision	Application status	
303400	Academy Project funding	01.10.2016		Incomplete	Edit Delete
303402	TESTIHAKU Liisan 2016	14.07.2016		Incomplete	Edit Delete

2.2 How to edit a submitted application

A submitted application can be edited before the call deadline has expired by selecting *My applications* -> *Submitted*, the clicking *Edit*. Any edited and saved data is entered into the application without the need to resubmit the application.



The screenshot shows the 'Online Services' page of the Academy of Finland. The navigation menu includes 'Desktop', 'Open calls', 'My applications', 'Reports', 'Reviews', 'My account', and 'Log out'. Under 'My applications', there are tabs for 'Incomplete (2)', 'Submitted (2)', 'In process (1)', 'Decision made (2)', 'Appeals (0)', and 'Completed (0)'. The 'Submitted (2)' tab is active, displaying a table with the following data:

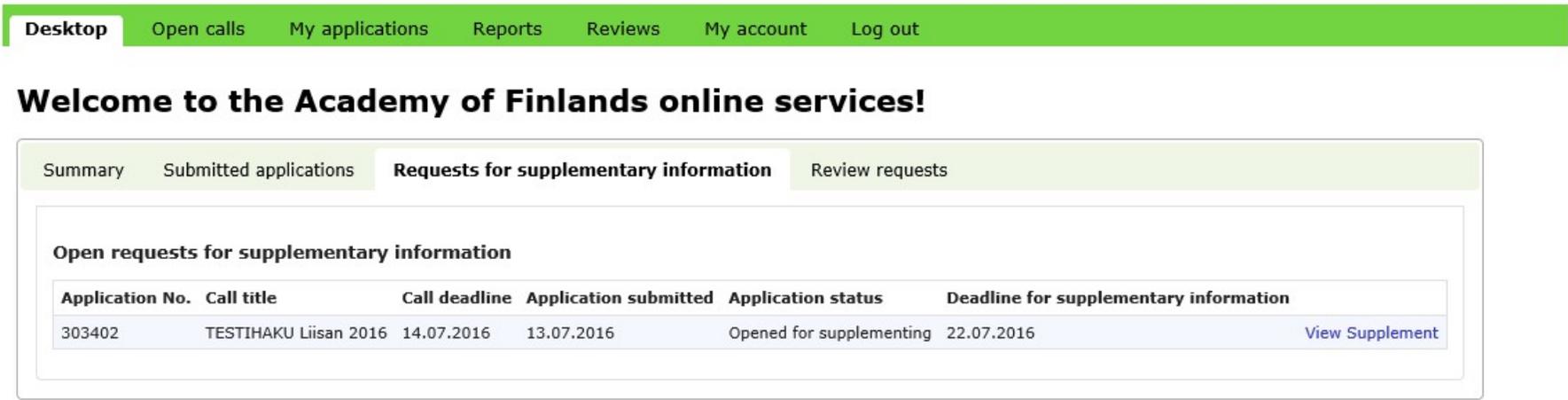
Application No.	Call title	Call deadline	Estimated date of decision	Application submitted	Application status	
303399	Academy Project funding	01.10.2016		11.07.2016	Submitted	View Cancel Edit
303364	Centre of Excellence programme 2018-2025, letters of intent	27.04.2016	11/2016	15.03.2016	Submitted	View

You can view your submitted application and you can also cancel it. A submitted application can also be cancelled after the deadline has expired.

3. How to provide supplementary information after the deadline has expired

If supplementary information is needed, applicants are requested to provide it by a separate deadline. If the applicant realises after the deadline has expired that essential information is missing from the application, the applicant must immediately contact the contact person named in the call text for the specific form of funding. Contact persons can be reached through the [Academy's Helpdesk](#) or by email. The contact person can open the application so that the information can be added. The additions will be taken into account insofar as it is possible in view of the review and decision-making process. An important addition is, for instance, an invitation by a foreign university.

Requests for supplementary information will be sent to applicants by email, including information on which part of the application requires supplementary information.



The screenshot shows the user interface of the Academy of Finland's online services. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the following items: Desktop (highlighted), Open calls, My applications, Reports, Reviews, My account, and Log out. Below the navigation bar, a welcome message reads "Welcome to the Academy of Finland's online services!". Underneath, there are four tabs: Summary, Submitted applications, Requests for supplementary information (highlighted), and Review requests. The main content area is titled "Open requests for supplementary information" and contains a table with the following data:

Application No.	Call title	Call deadline	Application submitted	Application status	Deadline for supplementary information	
303402	TESTIHAKU Liisan 2016	14.07.2016	13.07.2016	Opened for supplementing	22.07.2016	View Supplement

The request for supplementary information is also visible on the tab *Desktop* → *Requests for supplementary information*. The column *Deadline for supplementary information* shows the deadline for providing the information. Click *Supplement* to access your application so you can add the information.

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Call: Testihaku huhti2019 Time left to supplement the application: 5 hour(s) 58 minute(s) 6 second(s)

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Enter an estimate of the total costs (salaries and other costs) of the project/sub-project of the consortium, as presented in the research plan, and a funding plan, by funding source.

The funding period defines when the project starts and when it ends. Project costs can only arise during the funding period.

Funding period starts: (dd.mm.yyyy)

Funding period ends: (dd.mm.yyyy)

Effective working hours (%): (0-100%, for example 83 %)

The indirect employee costs and the overheads share are given as a percentage of the persons salary (based on effective working hours). These costs are added to the salary costs.

Indirect employee costs (%): (0-100%)

Overheads share (%): (0-200%)

Other costs include VAT:

You will only be able to edit the sections of the application that have been opened for you to provide supplementary information. The other tabs and fields of the application are locked. When you have added the supplementary information and saved the changes, resubmit the application using the tab *Submit application*.

4. How to give additional information about an application



Desktop Open calls **My applications** Reports Reviews My account Log out

Incomplete (2) Submitted (2) **In process (1)** Decision made (2) Appeals (0) Completed (0)

Application No.	Call title	Call deadline	Estimated date of decision	Application status	
303384	TESTIHAKU Liisan 2016	14.07.2016	Marraskuu 16	In process	View Cancel Give additional information

You can give additional information about an application using the tab *My applications* → *In process*. The person responsible for processing the application at the Academy will receive an email notification that additional information has been given. NB! Do not submit any new appendices via the additional information feature; appendices submitted in this way will not be saved as part of the application.



Desktop Open calls **My applications** Reports Reviews My account Log out

Give additional information

Application No. 303384
Call TESTIHAKU Liisan 2016

Message

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Appendix
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