

# IGMS Financial Tracking

for HI HR



# Definitions, Acronyms and Abbreviations

SI. No	Abbreviation / Acronyms	Definitions
1	PI	Principal Investigator
2	PM	Programme manager
3	AF	Agency Finance
4	HI	Host Institution
5	HI Finance	Host Institution Finance
6	HI HR	Host Institution Human Resources
7	RGO	Research Grant Office
8	EOM	Expenditure of Manpower (Vote or Budget Category)
9	OOE	Other Operating Expenditures (Vote or Budget Category)
10	EQP	Equipment (Vote or Budget Category)
11	RS	Research Scholarship (Vote or Budget Category)
12	OT	Overseas Travel (Vote or Budget Category)
13	SHC	Supplemental Human Capital (Vote or Budget Category)

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14	EI	Exceptional Items (Vote or Budget Category)
15	IDC	Indirect Costs
16	IP Comm	IP and Commercialization



# Learning Objectives

#### In this session, you will learn:

- Overview and Navigation of IGMS
  In this module you will learn how navigate IGMS as a HI HR.
- Fund Requisition (Project Claim)
  In this module you will learn about the fund requisition process, fund requisition pages, and how to complete the fund requisition.





## **General Overview**

#### 1. Overview and Navigation of IGMS

- 2. Fund Requisition (Project Claim)
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# Integrated Grant Management System (IGMS)

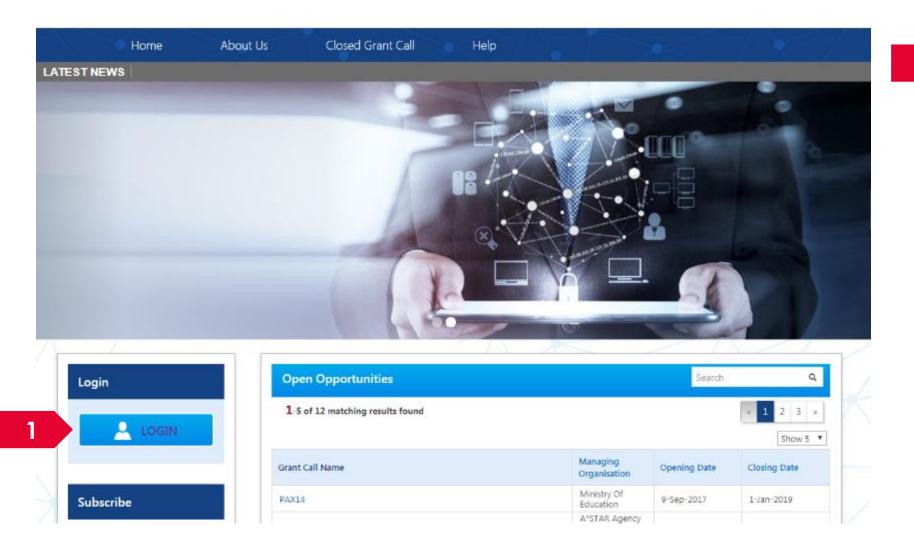
https://researchgrant.gov.sg/



# Login in IGMS



# Logging in IGMS



1 Click on **Login** 



# Logging in IGMS

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#### **Host Institution Users**

- · Principal Investigator
- HI Administrator
- Office of Research/ Director of Research
- · HI Finance/ HI Human Resource
- · Data Administrator/ HI Audit

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Users performing transactions on behalf of their company should login using the "Host Institution Users" option.

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# Links and Menus in IGMS



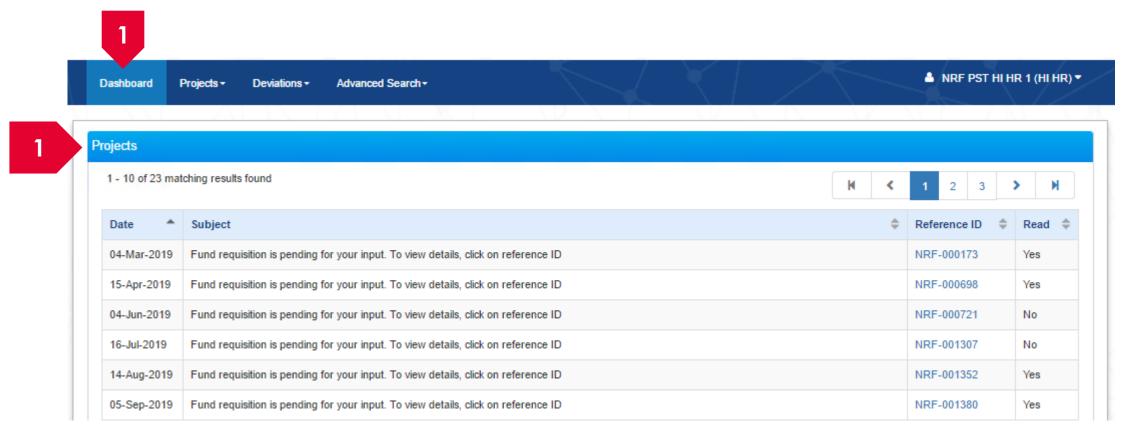
## Links and Menus in IGMS



- Dashboard: Displays the items pending user's actions
- Projects: Displays the awarded projects and fund requisitions under the user's institution
- **Deviations**: Displays all submitted deviation requests
- Advance Search: Displays the search for Grant Calls, and Awarded Projects
- 5 User Profile: Displays the user profile like name, id number, nationality, email address, etc.



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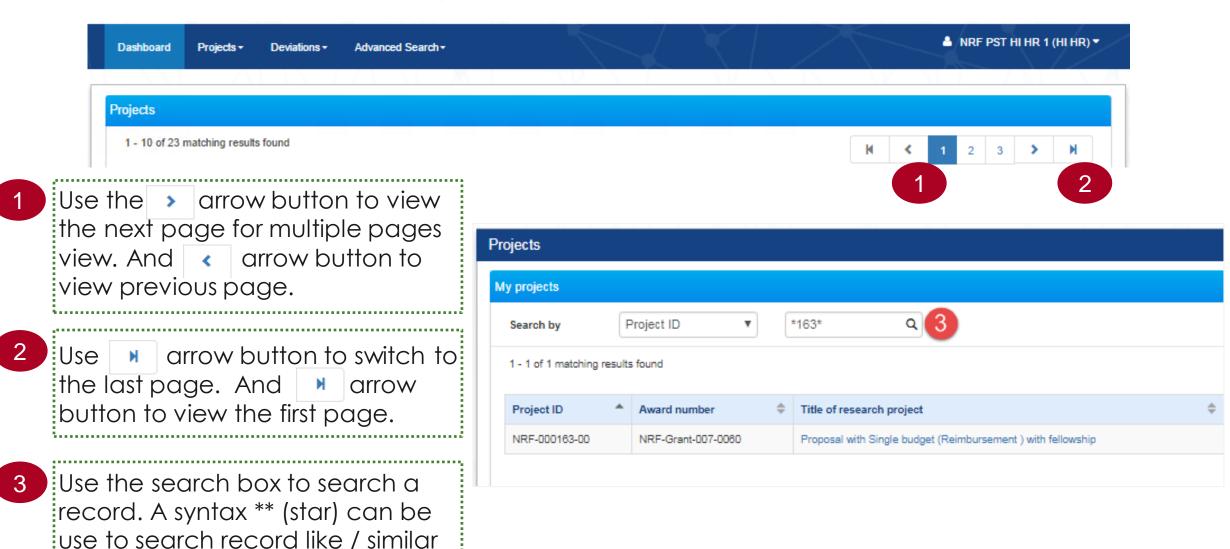


Projects: Displays the awarded projects (post-award) action items.



# Overview and Navigation of IGMS

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# **Understanding Fund Requisition Types**



# Fund Requisition – Fund Requisition Type

There are 2 types of claim method in IGMS:

- ✓ Advancement
- ✓ Reimbursement

Each claim method will be submitted using these form types:

#### 1. Advancement:

- Regular claims will use the Fund Requisition Advancement format
- For the last claim, use the Fund Requisition Statement of Account format
- HI Finance submits the fund requisition in the beginning of each period. Periods available for the project are: Quarterly, Yearly, or Half yearly
- HI finance reports the expenditure incurred in the previous quarter/Year/Half yearly using the funds received and the funds required in the current quarter/Year/Half yearly. The system will then compute the net amount required.
- Within each period, only 1 fund requisition is allowed for submission.
- If there is no FR submitted by the end of the quarter, a zero amount FR will be automatically generated. There will only be one FR outstanding at any point of time for each project.

# Fund Requisition – Fund Requisition Type

There are 2 types of claim method in IGMS:

- ✓ Advancement
- ✓ Reimbursement

Each claim method will be submitted using these form types:

#### 2. Reimbursement:

- In reimbursement mode, HI Finance submits the fund requisition after the HI has incurred the
  expenses.
- HI Finance submits the fund requisition at the beginning of each quarter for the expenses incurred in the previous quarter.
- Within one period (quarterly), only 1 fund requisition is allowed for submission.
- For both regular claims and last claim use the same form template. For the last claim, system will
  indicate a flag in the form as 'Final Claim'.



# **Understanding Definition of Last Claim**



## Review Fund Requisition – Definition of Last Claim

Definition of Last Claim is the claim (or settlement) that can be submitted within 6 months after the project is ended. Depending on the project start and project end date, there will be different variations of qualifying dates for the last claim.

Example for Quarterly Claim Period and The Last Claim Date of Submission.

2	5-Dec-2017 – 14-Dec-2018	1st Claim : Oct - Dec 2017 2nd Claim : Jan - Mar 2018 3rd Claim : Mar - Jun 2018 4th Claim : Jul - Sep 2018
	15-Dec-2018 – 14-Dec-2019	1st Claim : Oct - Dec 2018 2nd Claim : Jan - Mar 2019 3rd Claim : Mar - Jun 2019 4th Claim : Jul - Sep 2019
	15-Dec-2019 – 14-Dec-2020	1st Claim : Oct - Dec 2019 2nd Claim : Jan - Mar 2020 3rd Claim : Mar - Jun 2020 4th Claim : Jul - Sep 2020
	15-Dec-2020 – 14-Dec-2021	1st Claim : Oct - Dec 2020 2nd Claim : Jan - Mar 2021 3rd Claim : Mar - Jun 2021

15-Dec-2017 – 14-Dec-2022

1st Claim:

Oct - 14 Dec 2022

4th Claim: Jul - Sep 2021

4th Claim: Jul - Sep 2022

Final Claim:

15 Dec - Jun 2023





# **Understanding Fund Requisition Status**



# Fund Requisition – Understanding Fund Requisition Status

No	Status Name	Description
1	Draft	Initial status when HI Finance creates a Fund Requisition.
2	Pending Workflow Submission	Fund Requisition submitted to system, and waiting for workflow approval.
3	Pending HI HR Input	Pending HI HR to input manpower listing for the project.
4	Pending PI Input	This status is only applicable for ASTAR, where the PI needs to verify the claim and input projected expenses to calculate the required amount for advancement claims.
5	Pending Agency Finance Review	This status is when Agency Finance reviews the claim. Agency finance is only able to amend the fundable amount at this status.
6	Pending PM Review	This status is when the FR is pending PM's review and approval. PM is only able to amend fundable amount at this status.
7	Supported	This status is for multilevel projects when the FR is pending multilevel PM approval.
8	Approved Pending Payment	This is the last status in Fund Request. Only fund request with this status can be posted as an expense. This status appears after PM has approved, if the Fund Request is not multi level approval, or after the last multilevel PM approves the Fund Request.



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9	Pending HI Finance Resubmission	This status is when Agency Finance rejects the claim to the HI Finance. The Fund Request will be returned to the HI Finance for amendment. After amendment, Fund Request will route to HI HR and PI (For ASTAR only) before it is submitted back to Agency Finance.
10	Pending HI HR Resubmission	This status is when Agency Finance rejects the claim to HI HR. The Fund Request will be returned to HI HR for amendment. After amendment, upon resubmission Fund Request will route to:
		<ul> <li>Agency Finance (for NRF, MOE, MOH) or</li> <li>PI (For ASTAR only) then to the Agency Finance</li> </ul>
11	Pending HI Finance Clarification	This status is when Agency Finance returns the Fund Request directly to HI Finance for clarifications. HI Finance would be able to submit the clarifications directly to Agency Finance for review.
12	Pending HI HR Clarification	This status is when Agency Finance returns the Fund Request to HI HR. HI HR would be able to submit the clarifications directly to Agency Finance for review.
13	Pending PI Clarification	This status when PM return Fund Request to PI. PI would be able to submit the clarifications directly to PM for review. PI is unable to make amendment to the Fund Request with this status.

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14	Clarification Received- Pending Agency Finance Review	This status is when HI Finance or HI HR submits clarification to the Agency Finance.



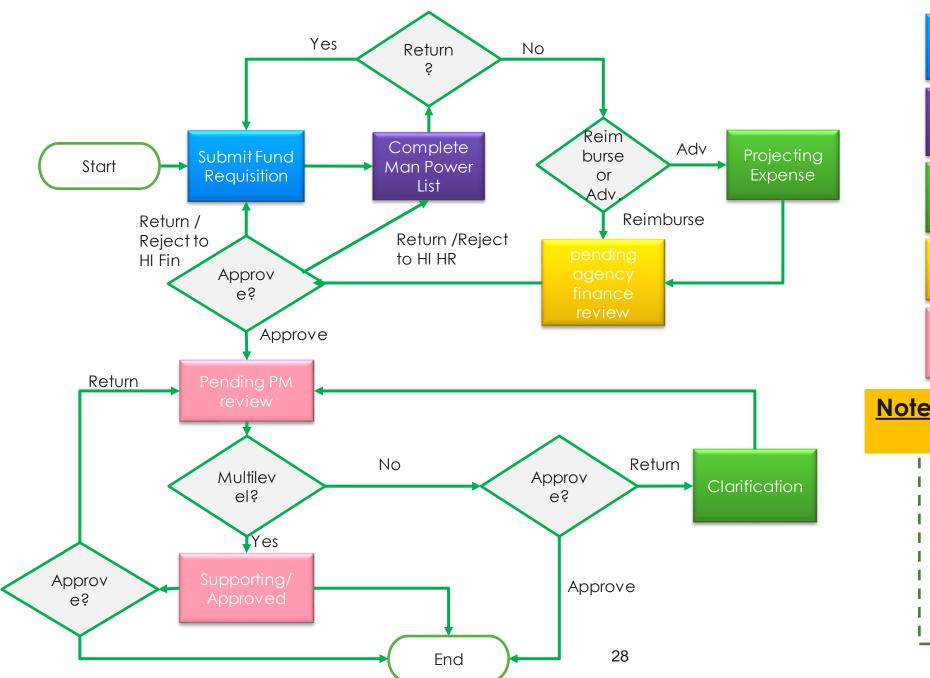
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# **Fund Requisition Workflow Approval**







#### **Notes:**

Please ensure that there is at least one ! active HI Finance in i the Institution at all times, to avoid disruptions to workflow.



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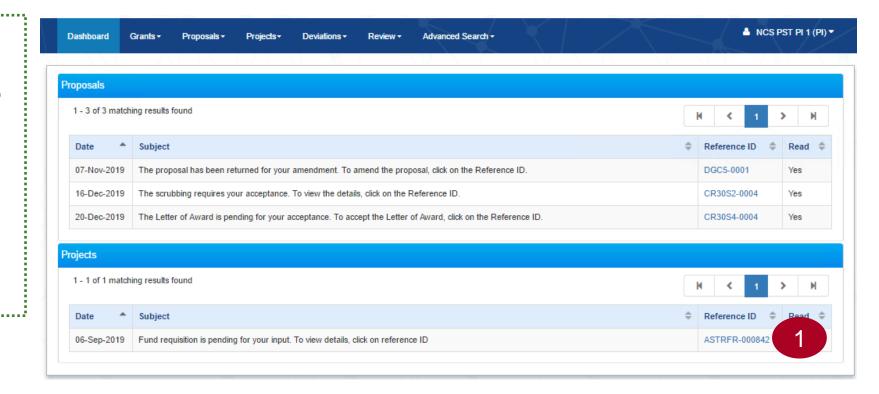
# Completing Projection Expense (Advancement)



# Fund Requisition – Completing Projection Expenses (Adv)

When a FR is assigned to you, you will receive an email notification. You will be able to view all the actionable FRs on the dashboard. Click on reference ID to open Fund Request that needs to be completed.

Click on reference ID to take action on the FR.





# Fund Requisition – Completing Projection Expenses (Adv)

- To complete projection expenses, open the Expenditure section in the Summary page
- 2 Key in the projected expenses for each vote / budget category.
- After keying in the projected amount, click Save as Draft to recalculate the Summary amounts.





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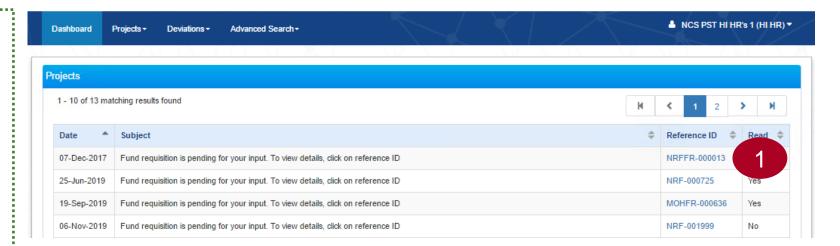
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# Completing Fund Request - Manpower

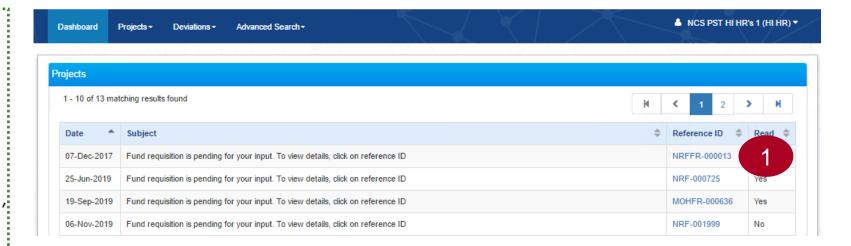


- After Finance submitted the Fund Request, HI HR need to complete the fund request by completing manpower listing. Click on the reference ID to open Fund Request that needs to be completed.
  - Date, is the date when the task was assigned to the user.
  - Subject, is the action item.
  - Reference ID, is the document ID. Click this to navigate to the document source.
  - Read, is to indicate if the dashboard message has been read by the user.





- Once read & action has been taken, the dashboard item will be removed from the dashboard.
- The Dashboard item is sorted by ascending date, which means the oldest action will come first.

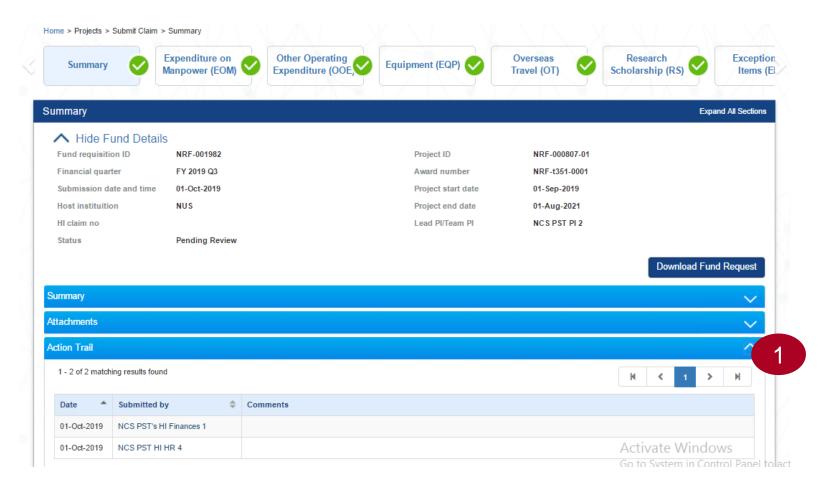


#### Notes:

In the case of A\*STAR for advancement mode, the PI can return the claim to the HI HR for additional amendments or input.



1 After clicking the reference ID on the Dashboard, system will redirect the HI HR to the Fund Requisition form, Summary page. Go to the Action trail at the Summary page to check If HI Finance or PI has any specific comments.



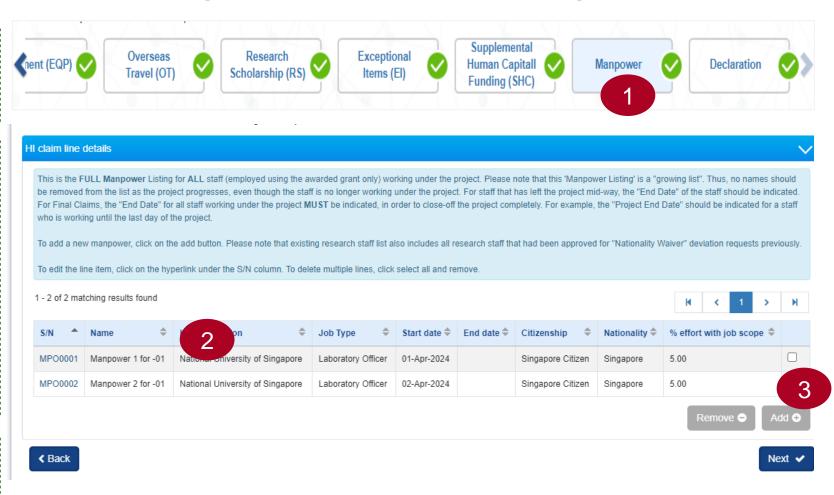


Use the navigation bar on the header to switch to the manpower page.

System automatically populates the manpower records of the sub-project from the project records to the ongoing FR.

Manpower details will be copied over only once when HI HR opens the FR for the first time and the FR is in Pending HI HR input state.

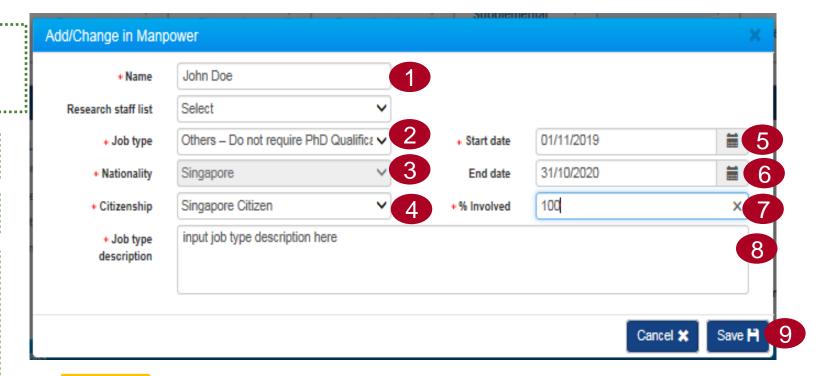
To add manpower list, click the Add button on the HI claim line details.





- Add new manpower name on a project :

  Key in manpower name
- 2 Select job type
- Select nationality
- Select citizenship, options are :
  - Singapore Citizen
  - > Singapore PR
  - Foreigner
- 5 Key in employment start date
- Key in employment end date. This field is only mandatory for the last claim or the last fund requisition.

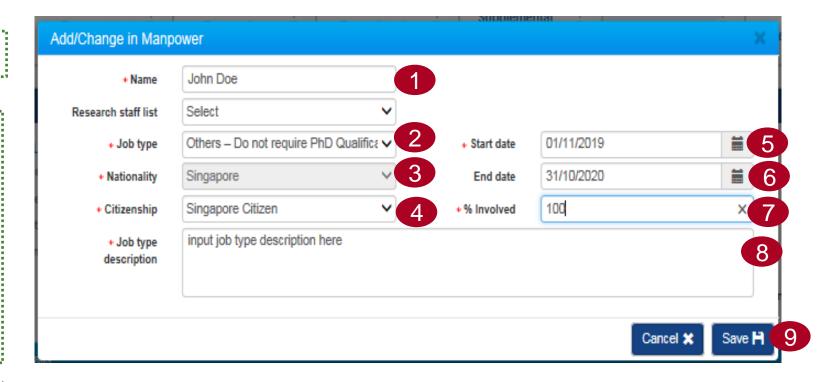


#### Notes:

HR can update the 'employment end date' earlier if the staff is no longer working under this current project, has resigned or have been transferred out to another project.



- 7 Key in percentage of involvement
- For some job types (e.g. "Others Do not require PhD Qualification" or "Others Require PhD Qualification") the Job type description field is mandatory. For job types where this field is not applicable, this field will not appear.



9 Click Save to continue.



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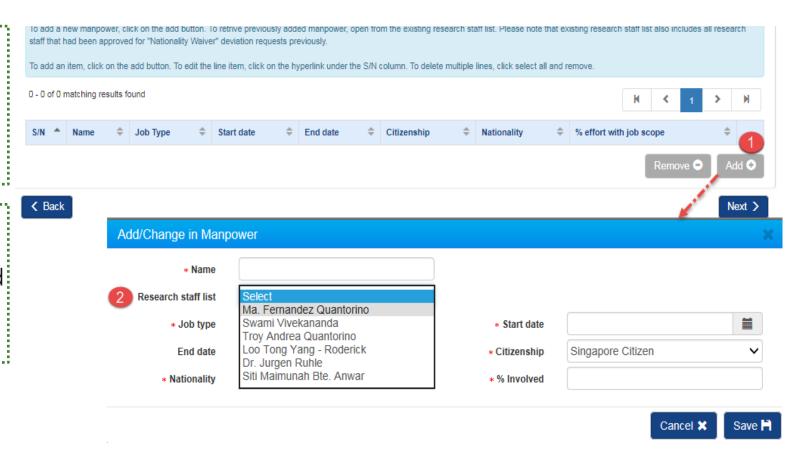
If the system displays this error message, it means the job type selected requires a nationality waiver for foreigner manpower. Please contact the PI to raise a deviation request to hire a foreign talent for the selected job type.





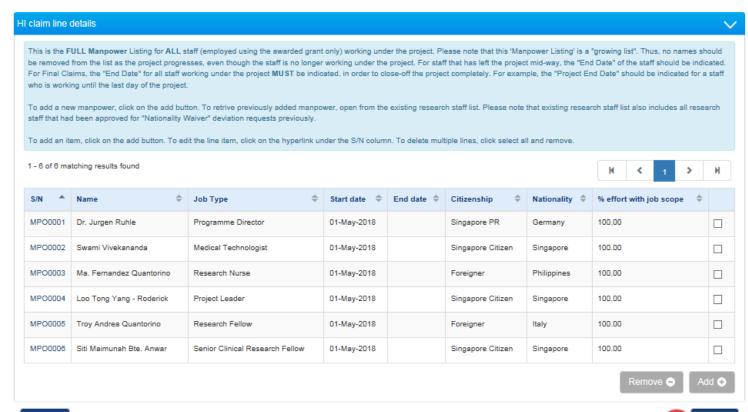
To add existing manpower on the current Fund Request submission, or, to add approved manpower from deviation request, click add button on manpower page.

Select the name from existing research staff list. This list included previously submitter manpower, and also approved manpower from deviation request.





After completed manpower list, click next to switch to undertaking page.



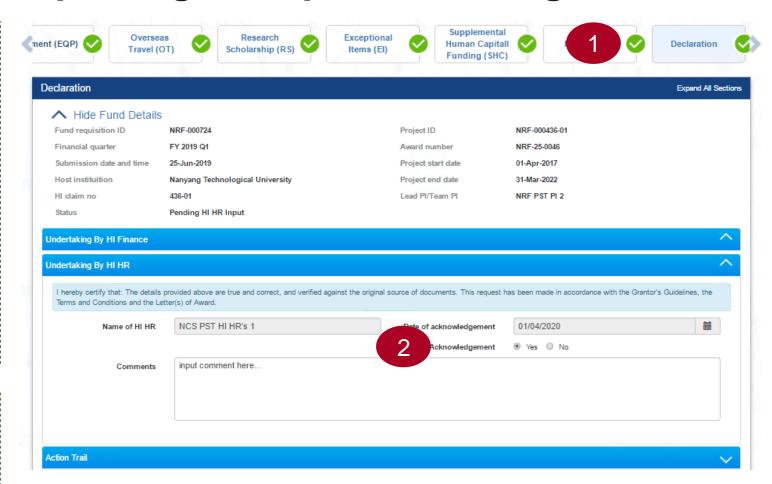




After completing the manpower list, click Next to switch to the Undertaking page. In this page, HI HR need to declare the consent before submitting the completed Fund Request to IGMS. The HI HR also need to acknowledge the consent. The name of the current user login name, will be shown in the form.

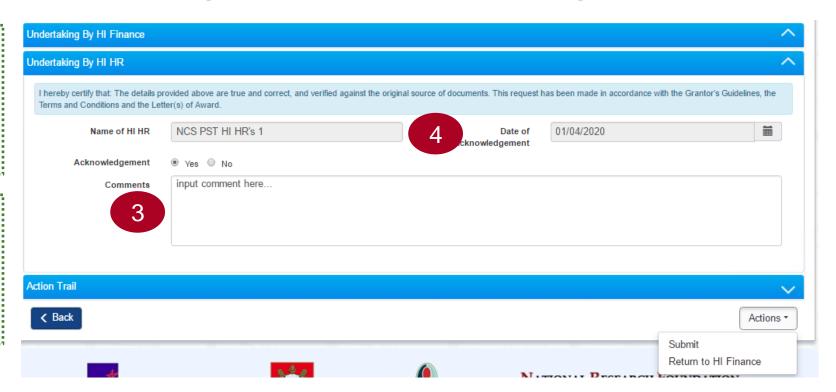
Tick "Yes" under

Acknowledgement to enable the Submit button.



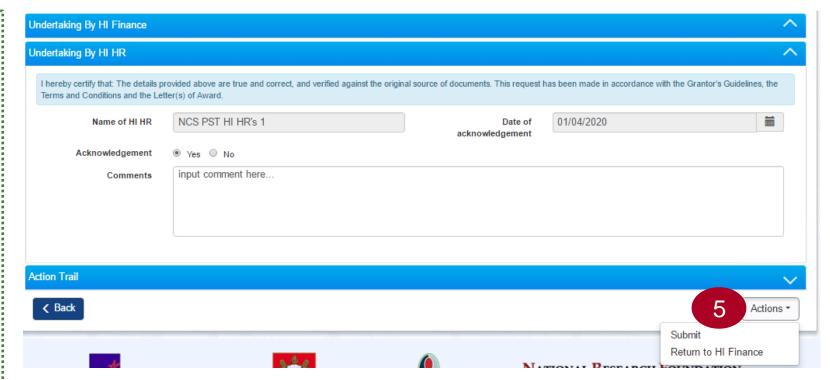


- 3 Key in comments if necessary.
  In case of return, you need to specify a reason why the Fund Request needs amendment.
- The Date of acknowledgement will show the current system date by default and is noneditable.





- Click the Actions button. There are 2 actions that the HI HR can perform:
  - Submit, for reimbursement method, this will submit the Fund Request to the Agency Finance. For advancement method, this will submit to PI.
  - Return to HI Finance, in case you need HI Finance to revise the EOM claim, you can click Actions and select return to HI Finance.





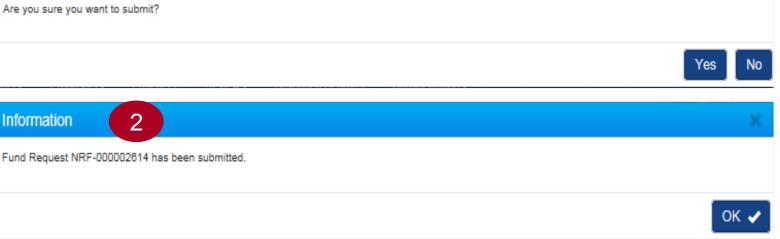
Confirmation is the message to confirm on the action to be taken.



Information is the message after the action is successful.

#### To Note

For Fund Request type "Statement of Account" (SOA), you should submit the SOA to the Agency before the Submission Due Date is due. Else, the Lead Pl will get debarred for new Proposal submission.



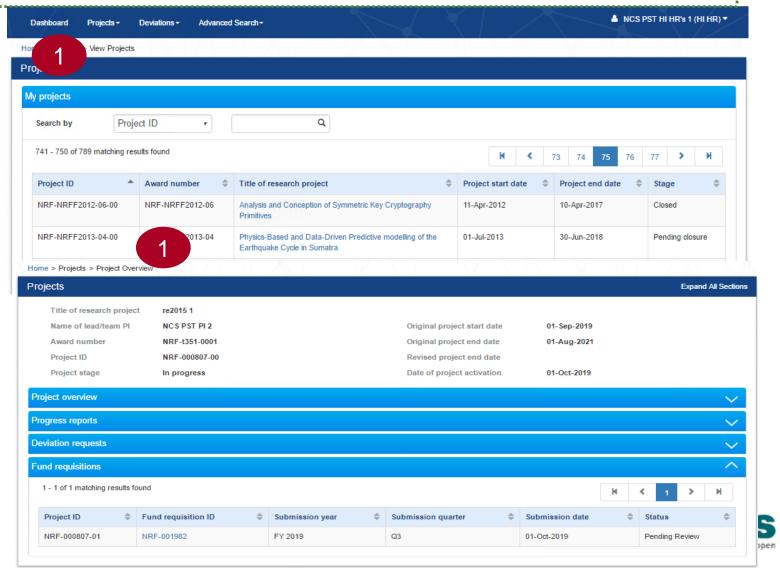


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After a fund requisition is submitted, you may download the fund requisition package by initiating a download request. Follow the steps below to place the request. Note that a draft fund requisition cannot be downloaded.

1. To access the fund requisition, click **Projects** > **View Projects**, select the project ID and expand the *Fund Requisition section*. Select the Fund Requisition ID hyperlink

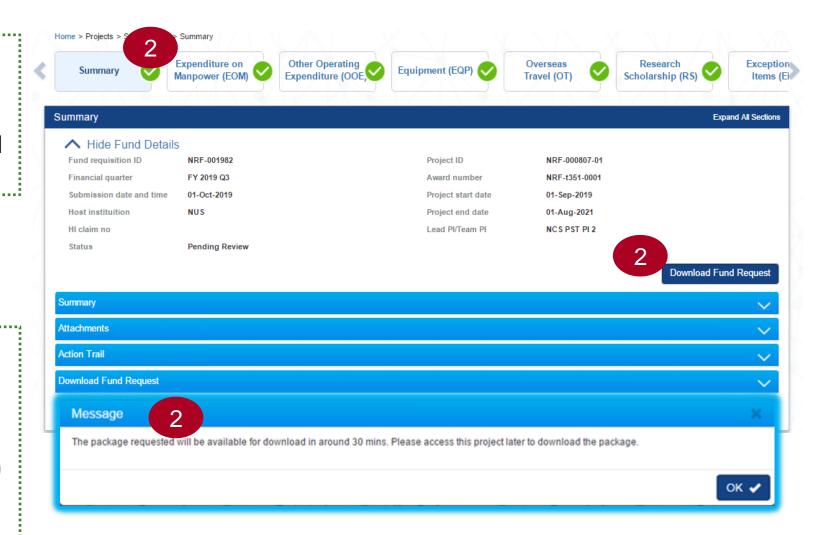


2 In Summary page, click on Download Fund Request button and system will display a notification that the package will be ready in ± 30 minutes

#### To Note

The package consists of below items in a ".zip" file:

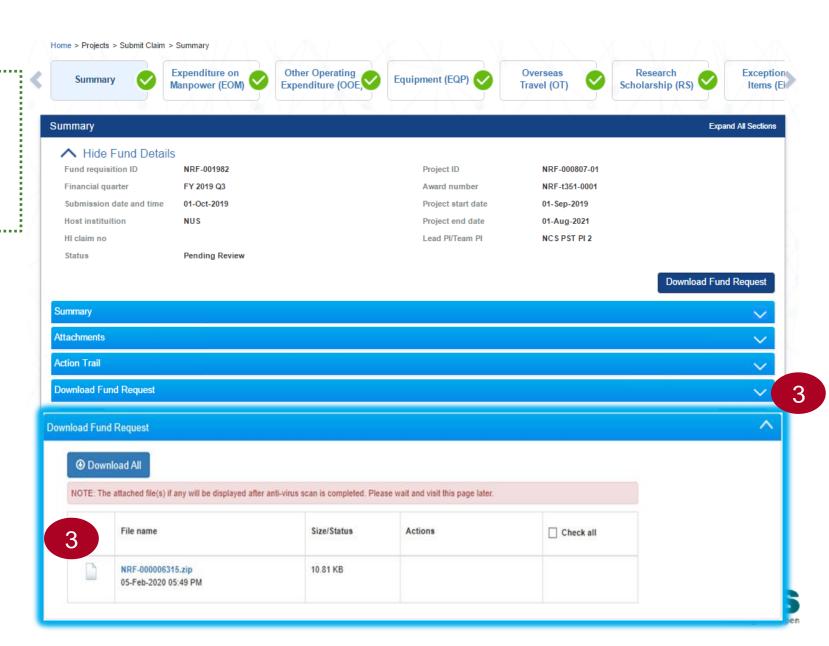
- a. Fund Request printout (in excel format)
- b. Fund Request's attachment(s)
- The package will contain the latest information as of the time of placing the download.





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After the package is ready, it will be displayed in the *Download* Fund Request section. Click on the hyperlink of the File name to download



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