Center for Applied Ecological Thinking (CApE):
Seed money to support activities in 2023

What?
To accelerate collaborations in CApE, we offer fast-track support for UCPH humanities faculty – at any career stage – to organize workshops/seminars/events on ecological, green and/or environmental topics.

We encourage researchers to use the opportunity to showcase work in progress and search for next steps for existing research results. The proposed events should support CApEs aim to apply knowledge of culture, ethics, history, communication, imagination, affect, religion, art, language and more to respond to urgent ecological crises and to reconceptualize ecological thinking.
See more here.

Located in Læderstræde 20 in Copenhagen city centre, CApE is co-housed by think tanks, NGOs, and other green organizations. This provides opportunities for creating new collaborations and networks across these actors.

How much can I apply for and when is the deadline?
The support consist of up to 13,000 DKK for activities taking place in the 2023. There will be running deadlines (15th January, 15th February, 15th April, 1st June) and decisions will be given within two weeks.

For whom and where?
Applicants need to provide a simple budget that shows how and when the funding will be spent. There is no funding for staff buyout, but all other costs are covered.

Participants in the workshop may come from anywhere, but preference will be given to workshops/events/seminars that includes guests and/or present ideas that are interesting both for future UCPH research and an external audience (open or targeted). Please see UCPH’s guidelines for considerations on sustainability and climate footprint.

Workshops may be any length and the venue can either be CApEs conference hall in Læderstræde 20 or UCPH Søndre Campus. Both academics and non-academic participants (governmental agencies, NGOs, artists, businesses, etc.) are eligible. The number of participants and the format of the workshop is completely up to the organizers to determine, based on the vision and goals.

How to apply
Applications (either in Danish or English) need to be attached to an email in one document sent to program manager Lars Johansson (laj@hum.ku.dk), containing the following information:
• Title of workshop
• Name of organizer(s)
• Planned dates for the event
• Participants. Indicate whether the workshop will have an open call for participants or is by invitation only.
• A description of the workshop theme and how it relates CApE’s aims. It also needs to describe expected outcomes of the workshop (this may be publications, grant applications, establishment of collaboration and networks, etc.). Maximum 300 words for the description.
• A preliminary budget in bullet points and a total.