

GRANT NEWSLETTER 26 May 2025

This newsletter contains an overview of grants that could be interesting for our scientific staff. The Faculty is happy to offer support with your application. For more information, please contact Hester Bergsma or Anita Wagemaker at researchdesk@fsw.leidenuniv.nl

If you consider applying for a grant, be aware that it might take some time to obtain mandatory forms and signatures as well as legal checks. Contact researchdesk@fsw.leidenuniv.nl for more information and advice on planning and preparing your application.

Obtained a grant? Congratulations! Please consult researchdesk@fsw.leidenuniv.nl for matters such as legal verification of the contract and obtaining the correct signatures.

Please also take into account the rules with regard to '[working for third parties](#)':

The [FSW Research Support Portal](#) offers useful information to scientists within our Faculty.



Special Note Items marked **GREEN** are new in this newsletter

>> NIH policy change <<

Recently NIH has changed its policy regarding Foreign Subaward Structure Enhances Integrity, Accountability, Oversight, and National Security of NIH Funded Research.

Effective with the next NIH award cycle, all NIH-funded research involving foreign [subawards](#) must be structured as subprojects directly linked to the prime award. Foreign subawards are prohibited from being nested under the parent grant. Also, effective 1 May 2025 more new rules apply. For information see NIH's website.

Keeping knowledge safe when collaborating with international partners

From 1 March 2025, you will need to do a knowledge security check before starting any new international collaboration. Leiden University and the Leiden University Medical Center (LUMC) have introduced a new [knowledge security policy](#) (in Dutch).



Conferences - workshops - information sessions

Also see: [Research Funding Knowledge Base / Events](#)

11 June 2025: EARMAimpact Webinar: "Plan your impact using UCD's research impact toolkit" (Online)

Learn how to evidence your research impact in a clear and concise way using UCD's research impact toolkit. A range of resources will be shown helping you to plan, capture, communicate and monitor your impact during your research project, and beyond.

11-12 June 2025: HE Cluster 3 Info Days and Brokerage event (Brussels & Online)

The event will provide an overview of the 2025 Horizon Europe Cluster 3 calls for proposals, covering key areas such as disaster-resilient societies, fight against crime and terrorism, border management, cybersecurity, and infrastructure protection. Participants will also benefit from practical information on how to apply, as well as opportunities to network and build consortia for future project proposals.

12 June 2025: RVO Horizon Euro Impact Training (Rijkshub Leiden, Stationsplein 1, Leiden)

For researchers involved in designing a Horizon Europe pillar 2 project proposal as a project coordinator or consortium partner. Sign up for the Horizon Europe Impact Training and learn more about achieving impact within your project proposal.

16 June 2025: ARMAandag-NIH Awards: Latest updates (Online)

Due to DOGE's review of NIH finances, numerous restrictions have been implemented since January 22, 2025, as part of budget reduction measures. The most significant update, announced on May 1st, poses considerable challenges for Dutch academic institutions, making it increasingly difficult to participate in U.S. projects funded by the NIH. Let's explore the current situation and discuss the remaining opportunities available to us.

18 June 2025: Lump Sum Funding in Horizon Europe (Online)

Quick overview of the main features

Quick overview of the main features; How does it work? How to write a lump sum proposal?

6 October 2025: Nationale Wetenschapscommunicatiedag 2025 (Utrecht)

De vierde editie van de Nationale Wetenschapscommunicatiedag heeft het thema 'De kunst van begrijpen': Hoe slaan wetenschapscommunicatie en -journalistiek nou werkelijk een brug tussen relevante wetenschappelijke inzichten en de maatschappij? Beheersen wetenschapscommunicatoren en -journalisten de kunst van het verbinden én van het begrijpen van een groot publiek eigenlijk wel voldoende? Vanuit tweerichtingsverkeer?

7-9 November 2025: Falling Walls Science Summit (Berlin)

Discover groundbreaking research, innovative ideas, and transformative global leaders from academia, business, politics, the media, and civil society, and the 2025 Falling Walls Science Breakthroughs of the Year Laureates. Falling Walls fosters discussion on research and innovation and promotes the latest scientific findings among a broad audience from all parts of society.

17 & 18 November 2025: Symposium – Future-Proof Regulation

On 17 and 18 November 2025, NWO will organise the Future-Proof Regulation Symposium. The central question during this symposium will be how regulations can respond to a changing society.

20 November 2025: KFZ & KFZ Youth Symposium in Amersfoort (Education & Child Studies, Psychology)

Would you like to stay up to date with the latest developments in forensic (youth) care and connect with colleagues working in the field? KFZ invites you to register for the KFZ & KFZ-Youth Symposium on 20 November. Click [here](#) to sign up.

20 November 2025: Neth-ER Network Conference 2025

How will Europe bridge the gap and stay ahead in a rapidly changing world? Join us on 20 November 2025 from 16:00 to 19:30 at the Neth-ER Annual Network Conference in Brussels, the Residence Palace.



[Horizon Europe News](#)

[European Research Council News](#)

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ERC Additional opportunities (for all disciplines)

You can develop your career through public funding linked to ERC projects.

Science - Business: The Horizon Papers

On this page, you can find links to the draft Horizon Europe work programmes for 2025 and 2026-27, and the official work programmes for 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024. These are the documents that spell out the research topics, timing and budgets the Commission plans.

Opens 28 May 2025: MSCA Doctoral Networks 2025 (all disciplines)

24 June 2025 Call info day: (online)

The MSCA 2025 Call Info event aims at informing all potential applicants and stakeholders about all important requirements for 2025 and promoting the ID and JD modes.

MSCA COFUND 2025 (open to all disciplines)

The COFUND action provides funding for regional, national and international programmes for training and career development, through co-funding mechanisms. It spreads the MSCA's best practices by promoting high standards and excellent working conditions. COFUND promotes sustainable training and international, interdisciplinary and inter-sectoral mobility.

Deadline: 24 June 2025

ERC Advanced Grant (all disciplines)

Are you an established, leading principal investigator who wants long-term funding to pursue a ground-breaking, ambitious project? The ERC Advanced Grant could be for you. ERC-2025-ADG

Deadline: 28 August 2025

MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowship (open to all disciplines)

The objective of PFs is to support researchers' careers and foster excellence in research. The Postdoctoral Fellowships action targets researchers holding a PhD who wish to carry out their research activities abroad, acquire new skills and develop their careers. PFs help researchers gain experience in other countries, disciplines and non-academic sectors.

Deadline: 10 September 2025

European Defence Fund (EDF)

Several calls within the European Defence Fund programme.

Deadline: 16 October 2025



[NWO news and events](#) [NWO Meeting calendar](#) [Integral call planning](#)

KIC 2024-2027: Five new thematic calls in preparation for public-private partnerships (over to several disciplines)

NWO is developing five new calls for proposals to finance impact-driven research by consortia consisting of knowledge institutions, companies and social organisations. The calls fall within the Mission main line of the NWO-KIC programme and focus on various societal challenges. The five themes that are the

focus of these upcoming calls are digital twinning, early detection of infectious diseases, cooling needs in the built environment, adaptivity in transitions, and a robust space infrastructure.

Pre-announcement: Consumer behaviour for a circular system transition (KIC) (open to all disciplines)

The upcoming KIC-Call 'Consumer behaviour for a circular system transition' is expected to open in early June. The Call focuses on finding effective ways to help people consume more sustainably.

For this Call for proposals, NWO is organising two [Collaborative workshops](#) on **11 and 30 June 2025** at Cultuur- en Congrescentrum Antropia (next to Driebergen-Zeist station).

NWO Call Safety and Energy Transition (open to all disciplines)

The Faculty of Impact programme is aimed at researchers who want to achieve impact with their research and are interested in developing entrepreneurial skills to set up their own business. These researchers can now submit a grant application to become a fellow at the Faculty of Impact. A maximum of €200,000 is available per application. The duration of this programme is two years.

Deadline: 3 June 2025

KIN Pact Network Grant (open to all disciplines)

Are you working with your network on a climate transition and are you looking for (financial) support to properly start or professionalize your network? Or would you like support in setting up a transdisciplinary climate transition network? This call might be for you!

Deadline (dates of processing applications): 10 June 2025

Large-Scale Research Infrastructure (LSRI)-Upgrade 2025 (open to all disciplines)

Via LSRI-upgrade 2025, NWO strategically invests into upgrades of operational LSRI's related to the national Roadmap LSRI, which are embedded in the applying research organisations. By means of this, the LSRI are brought to (beyond) state-of-the-art with the aim of extending the operational lifetime of this LSRI.

Deadline for statements of intent and letters of support: 12 June 2025

Deadline for submitting a full proposal: 16 September 2025

NWO Call Participation of people with a brain and/or mental disorder in education and employment (psychology)

This Call for proposals calls on knowledge institutions and societal stakeholders to jointly develop scientific and practice-oriented research proposals aimed at advancing participation for people with brain and/or mental disorders in education and (un)paid work, specifically on the transition between these domains. The consortia are interdisciplinary and knowledge chain-wide composed and work in a disorder-transcending and integrated manner.

Deadline: 12 June 2025

NWA Key Enabling Methodologies (KEM's) – The utilization of Key Enabling Methodologies in complex societal transition issues (open to several disciplines)

This Call for proposals calls on knowledge institutions and societal stakeholders to jointly develop scientific and practice-oriented research proposals aimed at utilizing Key Enabling Methodologies (KEMs) in complex societal transition issues. The consortia work multi- and interdisciplinary and are knowledge chain-wide.

Deadline full application: 12 June 2025

Knowledge security: scientific research in a geopolitical context (open to several disciplines)

International research collaboration is of great societal and economic value, but at the same time makes the Dutch knowledge sector vulnerable to unwanted transfer, interference, and unethical use of scientific knowledge and research.

Deadline for submitting preproposals: 24 June 2025

Deadline for submitting the proposal: 26 February 2026

Call in preparation: Rubicon 2025-2 (open to all disciplines)

The programme offers researchers who recently obtained their PhD the opportunity to gain knowledge, skills and experience by spending up to 2 years at a scientific research institute outside the Kingdom of the Netherlands. In some cases, it is also possible to apply for a research period at a research institute in the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

Closing date full application: 2 September 2025

Pre-announcement SSH Open Competition L (all disciplines)

NWO is expected to launch the Call for the SSH Open Competition L in early June. The Call for free, curiosity-driven research focuses on research projects with a primary social science and/or humanities research question. Proposals with an interdisciplinary or cross-domain character may also be submitted under this instrument. The Call is open to applicants who have obtained their PhD at least 15 years prior to the application deadline.

Deadline pre-proposals: 9 September 2025

Deadline applications: 3 February 2026

SSH Open Competition XS 2025 - round 2 (open to all disciplines)

The NWO Domain Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH) has three different funding programmes in the Open Competition. These grants are for ideas that hold great promise (XS) and for large-scale grants (M, L). The SSH-XS grants are available for projects with a maximum budget of 50,000 euro to enable proposals for curiosity-driven, innovative research in the research fields covered by the NWO Domain SSH. The Call for proposals of 2025 has 3 rounds. This information concerns the second round.

Deadline: 18 September 2025

Towards a new labour market in 2050: Energy transition and digitalization in the built environment (open to several disciplines)

This call is focused on developing knowledge on what the labour market of the built environment will look like in 2050. This research provides insight into the future-oriented challenges posed by the digital and energy transitions to the labour market of the built environment.

Deadline: 25 September 2025

KIEM Defensie (SIA) (open to all disciplines)

The aim of KIEM Defence is to link questions from Defence units to practice-oriented research activities at universities of applied sciences to facilitate (exploratory) practice-oriented research focused on Defence issues. Lecturers and researchers at universities of applied sciences may apply for up to €40,000 in funding per project. The grant ceiling for this grant round totals €1,000,000. A maximum of 25 applications are expected to be awarded within this round.

Deadline: 30 September 2025

KIEM Logistiek (SIA) (open to all disciplines)

The aim of KIEM Logistiek is to conduct (explorative) applied research through new practice-oriented research activities. These are carried out by a network of knowledge institutions and practical partners. Taskforce for Applied Research SIA stimulates both networking and the exploration of practical questions with KIEM Logistics, which can serve as a seed for a follow-up project or innovation. KIEM Logistiek strengthens the impact of the KIA's and focuses on central themes from the National Knowledge Agenda. The funding is a maximum of € 40.000 per application.

Deadline: 30 September 2025

Dutch Research Agenda – Research along Routes by Consortia 2025 (open to all disciplines)

In the annual ORC funding round, consortia can submit thematic proposals that provide a joint expression of the breadth and innovative character of the NWA. The funding round is aimed at facilitating research that leads to scientific and/or societal breakthroughs. You can find the thematic topics in the Call for Proposals (§7.4)

Deadline: 3 February 2026

NWO Impact Explorer 2025 (open to all disciplines)

Impact Explorer is a small top-up, for ongoing research-projects in the open competition or talent line, to explore an unforeseen opportunity for impact. In collaboration with an Impact Partner.

Deadline: continuous

Open Access Books (open to all disciplines)

Project leaders or co-applicants of awarded NWO research projects can apply for funding of the costs of Open Access publishing of academic books that result from NWO funding.

Deadline: continuous

Cooperation Germany - Von Humboldt Stiftung (VHS) (open to all disciplines)

The NWO invites eminent researchers to nominate German candidates for a Von Humboldt Prize and German researchers to nominate Dutch candidates. The aim is to encourage international collaboration between excellent researchers.

Deadline: continuous

Humboldt Research Fellowship (open to all disciplines)

The Humboldt Research Fellowship for researchers of all nationalities and research areas: We support you with your research in Germany.

Deadline: ongoing (March, July, November)



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[Granting information and calls for proposals](#)

Kennisbenutting Plus (Education and child studies)

Kennisbenutting Plus is a grant for activities that

stimulate the utilization of educational research. A budget of 60.000 euros is available. Since this grant is focused on Dutch education, all documentation is in Dutch. Please go to the Dutch callpage. Applications can be submitted continuously.

Beleidsgericht onderwijsonderzoek: inspelen op een veranderende arbeidsmarkt (Educational Science)

Voor deze subsidieronde kunnen aanvragen worden ingediend voor het uitvoeren van beleidsgericht onderwijsonderzoek ten behoeve van actuele thema's in het middelbaar beroepsonderwijs (mbo). Via deze subsidieronde wil het NRO onderzoek financieren dat betrouwbare en bruikbare kennis oplevert voor onderwijsvraagstukken die leven bij beleidsmakers en onderwijsprofessionals binnen het mbo.

Deadline voor het indienen van intentieverklaringen: 10 juni 2025

Deadline voor het indienen van aanvragen: dinsdag 28 oktober

10 juni 2025 Informatiebijeenkomst Grote vragen in het vervolgonderwijs 2025 (Educational Science)

Dinsdag 10 juni van 15.00-16.00 vindt er een online informatiebijeenkomst plaats. Het onderzoeksprogramma Grote vragen in het vervolgonderwijs stimuleert praktijkgericht onderzoek naar vragen die de komende tien jaar relevant zijn voor de hele vervolgonderwijssector in Nederland.

Call: Grote vragen in het vervolgonderwijs 2025 (Educational Science)

Deadlines:

Intentieverklaringen: 24 juni 2025

Projectleideraanvragen: 23 september 2025

Consortiumaanvragen: 27 oktober 2026

Aanbesteding kansrijke interventies basisvaardigheden voor effectonderzoek (Educational Science)

NWO nodigt namens het ministerie van Onderwijs, Cultuur en Wetenschap (OCW) publieke en private partijen die Interventies in het onderwijs aanbieden, zoals schoolbesturen, gemeenten en onderzoekers, uit een kansrijke Interventie in te dienen om de beheersing van de basisvaardigheden te verbeteren.

Deadline: 17 Juni 2025

Onderzoek Effectief Leesonderwijs (Educational Science)

This call for proposals invites researchers and educational practitioners to explore one or more of the proposed research questions from the Research Agenda for Reading Education. These relate to the themes of subject integration, monitoring and differentiation. A maximum of €50,000 can be requested per project. The NGO can fund a maximum of five applications. There must be at least one main or co-applicant from educational practice.

Deadline for Letter of Intent (Mandatory): 17 June 2025

Deadline full application: 7 October 2025



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NWA Building blocks for integrated policy on Planetary Health (open to several disciplines)

This call for proposals is aimed at developing an approach that can be used in Dutch government policy to more comprehensively consider the impact of that policy on human and planetary health.

Deadline: 11 November 2025

Please note! It is only possible to submit a proposal after participating in the collaborative workshops on **2 and 18 June**.

Evaluatie Onderzoeksprogramma Dementie (Psychology)

Deze subsidieoproep is gericht op het evalueren van het Onderzoeksprogramma Dementie (OPD), en wordt uitgevoerd door een onafhankelijke kennisinstelling die niet betrokken is bij het OPD. Dit programma ontwikkelt kennis en draagt bij aan de ontwikkeling van diagnostiek en therapieën om dementie te voorkomen en te behandelen.

Deadline: 2 juni 2025

Wetenschap voor beleid: het versterken van intersectorale aanpakken van bestaansonzekerheid (Psychology)

Gemeenten, GGD'en en onderzoeksorganisaties kunnen in een bestaand of nieuw te vormen consortium een uitgewerkte subsidieaanvraag indienen. Het consortium bestaat uit ten minste één onderzoeksorganisatie en ten minste één gemeente of GGD, relevante praktijk- en beleidspartijen, alsmede (vertegenwoordigers van) de doelgroep.

Deadline: 17 juni 2025

Tijdige passende zorg voor mensen die ongeneeslijk ziek of zeer kwetsbaar zijn (Psychology, CADS)

Deze subsidie is voor vroegtijdige inzet en inbedding van palliatieve zorg in de reguliere zorg. Zorgorganisatie(s) gaan palliatieve zorg volgens het Kwaliteitskader palliatieve zorg Nederland implementeren in het reguliere zorgproces. Dit veranderproces wordt begeleid met een evaluatie.

Deadline vooraanmelding: 27 juni 2025

Deadline indienen uitgewerkte subsidieaanvraag: 23 september 2025

Toekomstgerichte dementiezorg: Een betere kwaliteit van leven en kwaliteit van zorg (Psychology)

De subsidie is bedoeld voor het implementeren, verspreiden en doorgeleiden van gegenereerde kennis, nieuwe behandelingen/interventies of ontwikkelde zorginnovaties op het gebied van dementie.

Deadline: 7 juli 2025

Implementatie van kennis en innovaties in de geestelijke gezondheidszorg 2025 (Psychology)

De subsidie is bedoeld om de implementatie, verspreiding of doorgeleiding van kennis en effectieve interventies in de praktijk van de geestelijke gezondheidszorg (ggz) te bevorderen ten behoeve van het realiseren van passende zorg. De aanvraag dient zich te richten op het verbeteren van de instroom, doorstroom en uitstroom binnen de ggz-praktijk.

Deadline: 15 juli 2025



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encourage research excellence, in particular among young scientists and scholars. The Academy offers several awards and funding possibilities.

NIAS - one of the institutes of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW) - has made it its mission to provide a physical and intellectual space for advanced research in the humanities and social sciences that is driven by curiosity and cross-discipline collaboration.

KNAW Early Career Award

Behavioural, Social and Legal Sciences, Humanities

The KNAW Early Career Award recognizes innovative and original scientific research and also stimulates the further development of a diverse and broad range of early career researchers in various areas of scientific practice.

Deadline: 30 June 2025



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ODISSEI (for all disciplines)

ODISSEI (Open Data Infrastructure for Social Science and Economic Innovations) is the national research infrastructure for the social sciences in the Netherlands. ODISSEI brings together researchers with the

necessary data, expertise and resources to conduct ground-breaking research and embrace the computational turn in social enquiry. [Newsletter 23/04/2025](#)

Research Talent Award (psychology)

De Alzheimer Nederland Research Talent Award is een prijs voor jonge, talentvolle dementieonderzoekers en maakt onderdeel uit van het talentenprogramma van Alzheimer Nederland. De Research Talent Award is de opvolger van onze Young Outstanding Researcher Award. In 2025 zijn er twee Research Talent Awards te winnen, afhankelijk van de fase in de carrière.

Deadline nominaties: 31 mei 2025

Lorentz Center- Workshop (open for all disciplines)

Any researcher or group of researchers can apply for organizing a workshop at the Lorentz Center.

Deadlines: 30 May and 26 September 2025

Wenner Gren Conference and Workshop Grant (Cultural anthropology)

This grant program supports meetings and events that promote the development of inclusive communities of anthropologists and advance significant and innovative research. Conferences supported are public events directed at large audiences of anthropologists. Scholarly gatherings that bring together members of large, international anthropological organizations are prioritised. Supported workshops are closed meetings focused on pressing topics in anthropology.

Deadline: 1 June 2025

Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study: Barbro Klein Fellowship Programme (CADS)

The Barbro Klein Residential Fellowship Programme intends to advance the study of cultural diversity in a global perspective. The fellowship is open to scholars from across disciplines in the humanities and social sciences, with an emphasis on research on cultural and social diversity, cultural heritage and creativity, societal structures and public resistance, and varieties of cultural expressions in local and global perspective.

Deadline: 2 June 2025

Gerda Henkel Funding Programme Democracy (open for several disciplines)

Taking this present-day experience as a starting point, the Gerda Henkel Foundation has established a new funding initiative for democracy, which is divided into two subsections with different perspectives: 'Democracy as a Utopia, Experience and Threats' and 'Transformation of Democracy? Or: The Contours of Future Democratic Society'.

Deadline: 3 June 2025

Holberg Prize (open to all disciplines)

The Holberg Prize is an international prize awarded annually for outstanding contributions to research in the humanities, social sciences, law and theology. The Prize may be awarded both for work within a particular academic discipline and for work of a cross-disciplinary nature. The recipient must have had a decisive influence on international research.

Deadline: 15 June 2025

Una Europa Seed Funding Call: up to €40.000 for interdisciplinary collaboration (open to all disciplines)

Researchers at Leiden University and LUMC: apply by 18 June to secure up to €40.000 for a new interdisciplinary collaboration! The Una Europa Seed Funding call is open to Leiden University and LUMC researchers, thanks to our role [as a partner in the Una Europa alliance](#).

Deadline: 18 June 2025

Hanse-Wissenschaftskolleg Fellowship 2025 (psychology)

The Fellowship program offers the opportunity to focus on research without the distraction of everyday routines in academia and to interact with colleagues in a vibrant international and interdisciplinary Fellow community that also includes Artists and Writers in Residence.

Deadline: 15 July 2025

Fritz Thyssen Foundation: Support of Projects (open to all disciplines)

Support of projects by the Fritz Thyssen Foundation focuses on scholars in the humanities, social sciences and biomedicine fields. The planned project should be limited in terms of the subject and time.

Deadline: 1 September 2025

KFZ Addiction treatment in forensic care (Verslavingsbehandeling in de forensische zorg) (Psychology)

The aim of this call is to examine the hypothesis that addiction problems are being undertreated, for which scientific research is essential. KFZ Callnumber 2025-224 in Dutch.

Deadline: 12 September 2025

KFZ Open call (Psychology)

Normally, KFZ issues annual calls for proposals based on predefined thematic priorities. This time, the 2025 call includes an open call, allowing forensic (care) institutions to submit their own project proposals outside these fixed themes — specifically on topics where forensic (care) institutions themselves identify opportunities to improve professional practice.

Deadline: 12 September 2025

DAAD Postdoc Scholarship (open to all disciplines)

The research grant offers doctoral students and postdocs to realise a research project in Germany. The programme supports research stays during a doctorate or in the early postdoc phase.

Deadline: T.b.a. Expected around September 2025.

ZiF Universität Bielefeld Research in Groups (open to all disciplines)

The funding format "Research in Groups" is open to scholars from all disciplines post-PhD, based in Germany and abroad. They can propose a research project to be conducted with a curated group of (preferably) international colleagues. If their collaborative application is successful, ZiF will host the group on its campus, offering ideal working conditions.

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Andrew Carnegie Foundation (Education and child studies, CADS and political sciences)

Andrew Carnegie envisioned Carnegie Corporation as a foundation that would "promote the advancement and diffusion of knowledge and understanding".

BIMTECH Research Fellowship for Young Global Scholars (open to all disciplines)

The BIMTECH Research Fellowship scheme is to provide opportunities to researchers from foreign B Schools/Universities to undertake advanced studies in India leading to research outcomes.

Ongoing, selection meets only three times a year – March, July and November.

The British Academy: Global Professorships (open to all disciplines)

This programme aims to demonstrate and further enhance the UK's commitment to international research partnerships and collaboration as well as strengthen the UK's research capacity and capability in the humanities and the social sciences.

Emmy Noether Programme DFG Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (open to all disciplines)

Outstanding junior researchers can rapidly qualify for leading positions in science and research or for a university teaching career by heading an independent junior research group and assuming relevant teaching duties.

Gerda Henkel Stiftung PhD Scholarships and programmes (open for several disciplines)

In line with one of the founder's wishes, a special focus of the Gerda Henkel Foundation is support for up-and-coming scholars. Special attention is made when approving grants to enable qualified young researchers of both sexes to conduct scientific work for a limited period of time and in order to improve their academic training. Applications for PhD scholarships are considered throughout the year.

Harry Frank Guggenheim foundation (political sciences, CADS and psychology)

Through its research activities, The Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation supports work in the social and natural sciences and aligned disciplines to increase understanding of the causes, manifestations, and control of violence in the contemporary world.

Heisenberg Programme (open to all disciplines)

If you already meet all the requirements for appointment to a permanent professorship, you can apply to the Heisenberg Programme. While you prepare for a future senior academic role, the DFG provides funding to enable you to carry on with high-quality research at the institution of your choice and continue building your academic reputation.

Hersenstichting (psychologie)

Gekwalificeerde onderzoekers, verbonden aan neurowetenschappelijke instituten en onderzoekscentra, kunnen bij de Hersenstichting een aanvraag indienen om subsidie voor hun onderzoek te krijgen.

IASH (University of Edinburgh) (open to all disciplines)

Several Fellowship programmes for external researchers.

Max-Planck-Gesellschaft (open to all disciplines)

The Max Planck Society is one of Europe's leading basic research organizations. In its research laboratories, workshops, libraries, and administration, scientists and researchers perform demanding tasks with a high degree of autonomy and creativity. Various calls and deadlines.

National Institute for Health Research (Psychology)

UK's largest funder of health and care research, working in partnership with the NHS, universities, local government, other research funders, patients and the public. Check their website for various funding possibilities.

ProfessorPositions.com (open to all disciplines)

ProfessorPositions has been at the core of higher education, connecting talented faculty and researchers with the best job opportunities all over the world.

Volkswagen Stiftung (open to all disciplines)

Freigeist Fellowships support outstanding (junior) researchers who would like to conduct exceptional, high-risk research between established fields of research. They will assume the leadership of their own junior research group and receive the very broadest academic freedom for a clear time frame. Continuous deadline, next one in 2026.

Wenner Gren Post-PhD Research Grant (Cultural anthropology)

This grant program funds individual research projects undertaken by doctorates in anthropology or a closely related field. Our goal is to support vibrant and significant work that furthers our understanding of what it means to be human. There is no preference for any methodology, research location, topic, or subfield.

Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin Fellowships (open to all disciplines)

In each "class", the Wissenschaftskolleg strives to put together a group of Fellows that is greater than the sum of its individual members. To this end, the Wissenschaftskolleg invites outstanding researchers from all disciplines and from all over the world for a research year in Berlin. Continuous.

Dokter Wittenberg Stichting (psychologie)

De Dokter Wittenberg Stichting verleent subsidies aan projecten die bijdragen aan de terugkeer in de samenleving en de arbeidsmarkt van (uitbehandelde) psychiatrische patiënten. Door de toekenning van financiële bijdragen wordt beoogd initiatieven te ondersteunen die zonder deze ondersteuning niet levensvatbaar zijn.



Find Funding Websites

Check our website: [Research Support Portal](#)

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