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UI-SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE (UI-STREC) SENSITIZATION PROGRAMME

The Science and Technology Research Ethics Committee, University of Ibadan, on Wednesday, January 22, 2025 organised a one-day sensitization programme on research ethics. The programme with the theme: "Embarking on a Successful Ethical Research Journey Together" took place in the 300 Level Lecture Room of the Department of Geology, Faculty of Technology, University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria.



In Attendance at the program were Director, Research Management's Office, Professor A.S. Jegede, Dean, Faculty of Science, Professor Sonibare, Dean, Faculty of Technology, Professor A.I. Bamgboye, and Sub-Deans, Postgraduate of Faculty of Science, and Faculty of Technology, Professor Odeniyi and Dr. O. O. Ajide respectively. Also in attendance were all the Heads of science- and technology-related Department, the Chairman of Science and Technology Research Ethics Committee, Professor A. S. Olatunji and the Secretary of STREC, Mr A. A. Oyedeji who is also the Resident Principal Research Administrator at the Faculty of Technology.

The programme was co-hosted by the Deans of the Faculty of Science and Faculty of Technology, and was anchored by the Chairman of the Research Ethics Committee, Professor A. S. Olatunji.

The Director, Research Management Office, on behalf of the DVC, Research, Innovation and Strategic Partnerships (RISPs), declared the sensitization programme open. Over one hundred and ninety-nine people including Master's and Ph.D students as well as staff participated in the programme, in-person and online.

The programme was organised to create awareness about the importance of obtaining ethical clearance before embarking on scientific studies among staff and student researchers and to introduce them to the procedure for the review of protocol. The facilitators included Professor Chiaka Anumudu of the Department of Zoology, Faculty of Science, Professor V.O. Oladokun of the Department of Industrial and Production Engineering, Faculty of Technology and Dr. A. Tella of the Department of Science and Technology Education, Faculty of Education. Professor Anumudu presented her paper on Ethical Approval in Life Science Research: Safeguarding Integrity, Innovation, and Impact. She laid emphasis on the objective of Ethical oversight, key principles in research ethics, ethical approval process, common ethical challenges in life science research, addressing unethical practices, the risk of noncompliance, international ethical standards in modern life science research, and obtaining ethical approval as a pillar of good research ethics practice.

Professor Oladokun talked on Ethical Approval in Engineering Research. He introduced the participants to the concept of ethical approval and accentuated on the importance of obtaining ethical approval, core principles of research ethics, and ethical considerations in research. He also drew the

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attention of the audience to challenges in ethical review and approval process, strategies for strengthening research ethics practice, and roles of researchers in conducting and review of research protocols.

Dr. A. Tella, in his presentation on Ethical Approval in Physical Sciences emphasized on the Overview of Ethical Approval Process, giving types of research requiring ethical approval. He then elucidated on conflict of interest, fundamental principles, as well as promoting ethics in physical sciences, and resources of physical science ethics.



The programme was a huge success as the various responses of the participants revealed a better understanding of what is ethical and the importance of compliance in research ethics practice. The Director, RMO, in his closing remarks commended the leadership of the DVC, RISPs in entrenching research activities in faculties, and applauded the initiative of the Deans of the Faculty of Science and Faculty of Technology for working together to organise a research ethics sensitization programme for effective operation of the research ethics committee.

Dr Mobolade Akinbuluma wins Prestigious Ekhagastiftelsen Research Grant

Dr Mobolade Akinbuluma of the Department of Crop Protection and Environmental Biology is making waves in his field. His work has gained international attention having won the Ekhagastiftelsen grant for the second time since its inception in 1999. He became the first Nigerian researcher to receive this yearly grant award in 2021.

Dr. Akinbulumo who began his academic sojourn after his Ph.D degree in 2017 has worked extensively on sustainable

solutions to agricultural challenges, particularly finding environmentally friendly ways to manage insect pests that threaten crops. His research emphasizes the use of nonchemical methods to control invasive insects, ensuring both food security and environmental sustainability. One of his most notable achievements is his successful proposals with the prestigious Ekhagastiftelsen Grant, which he has now won twice. Funded by the grant, his project addressed the management of the invasive fall armyworm, a major insect pest of maize in the tropics which is native to the Americas.

Dr. Akinbulumo led a series of field trials, testing different farming methods, such as varying tillage practices and cropping systems, on farmers' fields across Nigeria's agroecological zones. His works provided practical solutions to farmers' nightmares.



Dr. Akinbuluma won the Ekhagastiftelsen research grant again in 2024 to address a more complex knowledge of how abiotic stressors – drought, a growing concern in Africa, impact the complex relationships among crops, insect pests, and their natural enemies. The study aims to provide critical information and pattern possible future research directions in the interaction. The study is based on hypothesis that, although drought could increase in frequency and intensity due to climate change, its impact on the plant-herbivorenatural enemy interaction is lacking.

This project is in partnerships with scientists at the International Centre for Insect Physiology and Ecology, Kenya and the University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands. Overall, the study may offer new insights into how biological pest control can be adapted to changing climate conditions, ensuring its effectiveness for African farmers in the future. Congratulations to Dr. Akinbulumo on this lofty achievement.

PREVENTION OF SPREAD OF COVID-19

The novel coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) is a new strain of the virus that has not been previously identified in humans. SARS-CoV-2 is the virus that causes coronavirus disease (COVID-19). The Federal Ministry of Health, through the Nigeria Centre for Disease Control (NCDC), has activated a national Emergency Operations Centre at the highest level and is leading the national response. A National Rapid Response Team has been deployed to support affected State Governments with response activities.

As at 1st of May 2020 there were 18 laboratories in NCDC's molecular laboratory network with the capacity to test for COVID-19 in Nigeria, more are still being added. These laboratories were sufficiently equipped with reagents and supplies for testing.

On the 27th of April, President Muhammadu Buhari announced that there would be a phased and gradual easing of the lockdown in these locations. He added that, however, the following additional preventive measures would be enforced:

- Mandatory use of non-medical face mask/covering for all persons while in public spaces. Use of medical latex hand gloves are prohibited
- Mandatory provision of handwashing facilities/sanitizers and extensive temperature checks in all public spaces. Anyone with temperature above 38 degrees Celsius will not be allowed into public spaces and should be told to return home
- Mandatory temperature checks in public spaces
- Prohibition of interstate travel except for essential travels and services
- Prohibition of gatherings of more than twenty (20) persons outside of a workplace
- Prohibition of gatherings of more than twenty (20) persons at a funeral; all infection prevention and control measures and physical distancing of 2 metres must be adhered to
- Controlled access to markets and locations of economic activities
- Physical distancing of 2 metres between people in workplaces and other public spaces

HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF

Members of the University Community should undertake simple measures to prevent the spread of the virus, by following these measures:

- Wash your hands frequently with soap under running water for at least 20 seconds or use an alcohol-based sanitiser if water is not available
- Cover your mouth and nose properly with a tissue paper when sneezing and/or coughing. Dispose of the tissue properly immediately after use. You may also cough into your elbow if a tissue is not available
- Maintain at least 2 metres (6 feet) distance between yourself and anyone who is coughing or sneezing repeatedly
- Maintain at least 2 metres (6 feet) distance with other people when in public places
- Wear a non-medical face mask/covering when leaving the house
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Ensure routine cleaning of high-contact areas such as toilets, door handles, telephones, light switches etc.
- Consciously distance yourself at least two (2) meters to the next person. Stay 6 feet away, especially if the person around is coughing or sneezing.
- Do not shake hands or hug any person.
- Unnecessary visitors should not be allowed
- An ill person should be asked to stay away from the office

BRIDGE – a Two-Year Postdoctoral Fellowship, University of Copenhagen, Denmark

BRIDGE – a Two-Year Postdoctoral Fellowship: The BRIDGE – Translational Excellence Programme at the University of Copenhagen is inviting applications for a two-year Postdoctoral Fellowship in Translational Medicine, funded by the Novo Nordisk Foundation. This fellowship offers a unique opportunity for aspiring translational researchers to bridge the gap between biomedical research and clinical application.

Designation: Postdoctoral Fellow Research Area: Translational Medicine

Location: Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences, University of Copenhangen, Denmark

Qualification: Ph.D. in a relevant field (e.g. biomedical sciences, life sciences)

Job Description:

- Participate in a two-year postdoctoral fellowship program in translational medicine, comprising education, mentoring, and research.
- Complete a specialized academic curriculum consisting of 15 courses in translational medicine, focusing on the process of translating discoveries from basic biomedical research to clinical application.
- Collaborate with basic, clinical, and life science mentors to gain insights into translational medicine.
- Conduct independent research aimed at applying discoveries and technologies from biomedical research to the clinical environment and/or life science industry.

How to Apply: Interested candidates should submit a cover letter, CV, and contact information for three references to bridge@sund.ku.dk. Please specify "BRIDGE Postdoctoral Fellowship Application" in the subject line. Last Date for Application: 16 February 2025

The Max Planck Institute Fellowship

The Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies (MPIfG) conducts basic research on the governance of modern societies. It aims to develop an empirically based theory of the social and political foundations of modern economies by investigating the interrelation between economic, social, and political action. Doctoral Researchers for our Research Group on Technology and Sovereignty.

The starting date is October 1, 2025.

Deadline: February 28, 2025 (23:59h UTC+01. For Details:

https://career.mpifg.de/jobposting/e02eda374eed70efdeb83503e 99e8ca4ba6b8f320

Call for Proposals, 2025 APN & Next Generation Social Sciences in Africa Fellowships

The APN & Next Gen team is excited to share the launch of the 2025 APN & Next Gen Call for Proposals. 62 fellowships will be awarded in the 2025 APN and Next Gen Fellowship Competition. These fellowship awards are open to applicants through five (5) categories of awards listed below:

2025 Next Generation Social Sciences in Africa Fellowships Doctoral Dissertation Proposal Fellowship: The award supports doctoral students in developing their dissertation proposals. Twelve (12) fellowship awards of up to \$3,000 each are available.

Doctoral Dissertation Research Fellowship: The award supports doctoral students carrying out fieldwork, collecting, and analyzing data. Seventeen (17) fellowship awards of up to \$15,000 each are available.

Doctoral Dissertation Completion Fellowship: The award supports doctoral students to take a one-year leave to focus on data analysis and scholarly writing. Twelve (12) fellowship awards of up to \$10,000 each are available.

2025 African Peacebuilding Network Fellowships

APN Individual Research Fellowship (IRF): The APN IRF award supports early to mid-career scholars or practitioners for up to nine months of field-based research. Twenty (20) fellowship awards of up to \$15,000 each are available.

APN Research Policy Fellowship (RPF): The APN RPF supports former APN IRF Fellows (who received awards no earlier than June 2020) for up to six months of policy research and affiliation to a think tank. Fellowship awards of up to \$12,000 are available. One (1) award is available in 2025.

The APN and Next Gen Program have introduced a 2025 Fellowship Awards and Application Guidebook to support applicants. Please consult the attached Guidebook before starting your application.

Detail: <u>https://africanstudies.org/opportunities/call-for-proposals-2025-apn-next-generation-social-sciences-in-africa-fellowships/</u>

Apply for the 2025 International Fellowships from the British

<u>The International Fellowships Programme</u> offers early-career researchers the opportunity to work for two years at a UK institution, with the aim of building a globally connected and mobile research and innovation workforce.&

Funding Status: Open for applications Career Stage: Early-career Earliest Start Date: 1 October 2025 Scheme Opens Date: 21 January 2025 Deadline Date: 18 March 2025, 17:00 GMT Duration of Award: 24 months Contact Details: overseas@thebritishacademy.ac.uk

About the Programme

The International Fellowships programme supports outstanding early-career researchers in taking the first step towards developing an independent research career through gaining international experience. Each fellowship provides a specific, protected research focus, with the award holder expected to undertake high-quality, original research. The programme is a joint initiative between the British Academy and the Royal Society.

Aims

The primary goal of the International Fellowships programme is to attract and retain emerging talent in the UK while building a globally connected and mobile research workforce. The key objectives are to:

- Attract talented international early-career researchers to conduct their research in the UK.
- Support early-career researchers in pursuing innovative and high-quality research.
- Provide opportunities for skill acquisition and knowledge transfer through training and career development.
- Foster long-term relationships through networking opportunities and the International Fellowships alumni programme.

Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible, applicants must:

- Hold a PhD or be in the final stages of their PhD, with the PhD expected to be completed (including viva) before the start of the Fellowship. Confirmation of award of the PhD will be required before the Fellowship is confirmed.
- Have no more than seven years of active full-time postdoctoral experience at the time of application

- (excluding career breaks, but including teaching experience and/or time spent in industry).
- Be working outside the UK.
- Not hold UK citizenship.
- Be competent in both oral and written English.
- Have a clearly defined research proposal agreed with a UK host researcher.

Applicants should carefully review the scheme notes to ensure they meet all eligibility requirements.

Duration and Value of Award

The International Fellowships are awarded for two years, with the funding provided at 80% of the Full Economic Cost (FEC). Applicants can apply for research expenses of up to £12,000 and relocation costs of up to £8,000. The requested amounts for research expenses and relocation costs must be justified in the application.

Following the completion of the Fellowship, applicants may be eligible for Alumni funding to support networking activities with UK-based or international researchers. <u>Visit Official Website Here</u>

British Academy International Fellowships 2025 open for applications

We are delighted that the British Academy International Fellowships 2025 are now open for applications. The University of Manchester is especially keen to sponsor applicants from the global South.

The programme provides support for outstanding early career researchers to make a first step towards developing an independent research career through gaining experience across international borders. The programme enables researchers to work for two years at a UK institution with the aim of building a globally connected, mobile research and innovation workforce.

Researchers are required to prepare the application with a host organisation. The Global Development Institute (GDI) is keen to sponsor applicants from the global South, acting as host and providing a supervisor who would offer support and mentoring.

GDI produces and co-produces research that extends knowledge frontiers, driven by the desire to advance social justice on a global scale. We achieve this by conducting worldclass, interdisciplinary, research that critically and rigorously advances development theory. We work closely with a wide

of researchers from the global South and this fellowship would be an excellent opportunity to extend this. If you are interested in applying, please contact <u>Odile Masiá</u>, GDI research manager, by **Friday 14th February**. Call details can be found <u>here</u> and below:

Indicative timeline

British Academy submission deadline: 18th March 2025 – 5pm GMT Earliest start date: 1st October 2025

Application criteria

The applicant must:

Have a PhD, or applicants in the final stages of their PhD will

be accepted provided that the PhD will be completed

(including viva) before the start date of the Fellowship.

Confirmation of award of the PhD will be required before any Fellowship award is confirmed.

Applicants should have no more than seven years of active

full time postdoctoral experience at the time of application

(discounting career breaks, but including teaching experience

and/or time spent in industry).

Be working outside the UK.

Not hold UK citizenship.

Be competent in oral and written English.

Have a clearly defined and mutually-beneficial research

proposal agreed with a UK host researcher.

Link: <u>British Academy International Fellowships 2025 open for</u> <u>applications - Global Development Institute Blog</u>

Call for Applications: Social Relevance of the Humanities (RevHum) Fellowship 2025/2026 (fully funded + stipend)

About the Program

The **"Social Relevance of the Humanities"** (RevHum) fellowship program, jointly developed by the Centre for Advanced Study Sofia (CAS Sofia) and the **New Europe College Bucharest**, seeks to amplify the practical, philosophical, and ethical dimensions of the humanities in contemporary society. Supported by the **Porticus Foundation**, the program challenges scholars in humanities and social sciences to explore themes relevant to technological advances and "digital modernity," addressing critical debates and challenges of the human condition.

The initiative aims to provide scholars with opportunities to connect their research with broader contemporary relevance, making the humanities indispensable for addressing today's global concerns.

Fellowship Format and Benefits

The RevHum fellowship offers a **5- to 10-month in-residence opportunity** for **post-doctoral international scholars** at CAS Sofia.

Key benefits include:

- Stipend: €850/month (subject to 10% income tax).
- Accommodation: Living quarters and workspace in Sofia.
- Travel and Insurance Allowance: Up to €850.
- Research Travel Funding: €750–€1,500.
- Research Expenses: €100/month.
- Access to CAS library and electronic resources/databases.

Fellowship Duration

Candidates can apply for the following periods:

- Winter Semester: October 1, 2025 February 28, 2026.
- Summer Semester: March 1, 2026 July 31, 2026.
- Full Academic Year: October 1, 2025 July 31, 2026.

Applications must include a detailed research plan justifying the chosen fellowship duration.

Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must:

- Be non-Bulgarian citizens.
- Hold a PhD in the humanities or social sciences.
- Demonstrate **international research experience** (participation in projects, conferences, or peer-reviewed publications).

Application Guidelines

All application documents must be submitted in **English** and emailed to <u>dimov@cas.bg</u> with the subject line "RevHum Fellowships."

Required Documents:

- 1. Completed Application Form.
- 2. Detailed research proposal.
- 3. CV with a full academic portfolio.
- 4. For Junior Scholars (PhD obtained within 8 years):
- o Two letters of recommendation (sent directly by referees).

Deadline: March 31, 2025.

Selection Criteria: The selection process will assess:

- 1. Academic quality: Scholarly portfolio, publications, and international research engagements.
- 2. **Research proposal**: Originality, significance, and potential for interdisciplinary contributions.
- 3. Priority consideration for candidates with no prior CAS fellowships in the last five years or those applying for their first or second CAS fellowship.

Shortlisted applicants will participate in an **online interview** in late June 2025. Final results will be announced in July 2025 via email and at <u>cas.bg</u>.

Contact Details Mr. Dimiter Dimov Email: <u>dimov@cas.bg</u> Centre for Advanced Study Sofia,

Sofia 1000, 7-B Stefan Karadja Street Tel.: **+359 2 980 08 43**

For Details:

https://www.globalsouthopportunities.com/2024/12/16/revhum /#google_vignette

Full-Time Fellowship Opportunities in Public Health at CDC

Are you passionate about public health and seeking hands-on experience to kickstart a career in this vital field? The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) offers a range of full-time fellowship opportunities designed to prepare individuals for impactful careers in protecting and improving public health.

Why Choose a CDC Fellowship?

These fellowships provide a unique chance to:

- Work alongside leading public health experts.
- Address major population health challenges.

• Gain practical, service-learning experience in diverse settings.

Participants contribute to real-world projects, enhancing their understanding of public health strategies and solutions.

Who Can Apply?

Opportunities are available for individuals at various educational levels:

- **Bachelor's Degree:** Recent graduates looking to gain foundational experience in public health.
- Master's Degree: Professionals seeking to deepen their expertise in specialized areas of public health.
- **Doctoral Degree:** Advanced learners aiming to contribute to high-level research and public health initiatives.
- Medical, Veterinary, or Other Clinical Degrees: Clinicians interested in applying their skills to public health challenges.

Program Highlights

- Service Learning Environment: Fellows collaborate on initiatives to efficiently address pressing health issues, gaining practical skills while making a meaningful impact.
- Variety of Programs: Programs range from one to two years, offering diverse opportunities to suit different career paths.
- **Career Development:** Fellows are well-positioned for future roles in public health, whether with the CDC or other health-focused organizations.

Past Participant Experience

PMR/F learners in Washington, DC, have worked on innovative projects, learning to tackle health challenges at a systemic level while networking with leaders in the field.

How to Get Started

Ready to take the next step toward a rewarding career in public health? Explore the full range of CDC fellowship opportunities and find the program that aligns with your career goals.

Learn more and apply here: <u>CDC Fellowship Opportunities</u> <u>Full-Time Fellowship Opportunities in Public Health at CDC |</u> <u>Opportunities for Youth</u>

Chevening Western Balkans Cyber Security Fellowship: Applications Now Open

Spread the love

Applications for the **2025-2026 Chevening Western Balkans** <u>Cyber Security</u> Fellowship are officially open! This prestigious fellowship is designed for mid-career professionals from the Western Balkans who exhibit leadership potential in cyber security or cyber policy. The programme, funded by the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, is delivered at Cranfield University, located at the Defence Academy of the United Kingdom (Shrivenham Campus).

Programme Overview

This **ten-week fellowship** provides an in-depth understanding of cyber security policies and legislation, exploring how they impact national security, economic opportunities, crime prevention, and individual privacy.

Focus Areas:

- Cyber Threats:
 - Understanding the threat landscape
 - Threat and risk assessment
 - Implications for national security
 - Internet governance and protection of critical national infrastructure

• Economics of Online Business:

- Consumer protection and awareness
- Challenges in technology adoption
- Role of open-source technologies
- Cyber-Crime and Internet Law:
 - Economic impact of cyber-crime
 - Countering domestic and international cyber-crime
 - Internet law and privacy issues
 - Accountability and social media concerns
- Regional Relevance:
 - Challenges unique to the UK and Western Balkans

Fellowship Benefits

Selected fellows will receive:

- Full programme fees
- Living expenses for the fellowship duration
- Return economy airfare from the Western Balkans to the UK

Eligibility Requirements

To apply, you must meet the following criteria:

- **Citizenship**: Be a citizen and resident of Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, North Macedonia, Montenegro, or Serbia.
- **Return Commitment**: Commit to returning to your country of citizenship after the fellowship.
- **Qualifications**: Hold a postgraduate degree (or equivalent experience) relevant to the field.
- Work Experience: At least five years of experience in <u>cyber</u> <u>security</u> or policy as a policymaker, commentator, or academic.
- Language Proficiency: Demonstrate a strong working knowledge of English.
- **Guidelines Adherence**: Agree to abide by fellowship guidelines and expectations.
- Exclusions:
- British or dual British citizens are not eligible.
- Employees or recent former employees of the UK Government or associated bodies are not eligible.
- Those who have received UK Government scholarship funding in the last five years are ineligible.

Application Timeline

- Applications Open: 15 January 2025 (12:00 GMT)
- Deadline: 4 March 2025 (12:00 GMT)
- Interviews: May 2025
- Results Announced: June 2025
- Programme Dates: September November 2025

Apply Today!

Take this opportunity to advance your career in cyber security. Applications are now open for the **Chevening Western Balkans Cyber Security Fellowship**.

Apply Here Now

For more information, visit https://www.chevening.org/fellowship/wbcs/

Postdoctoral Fellow – Energy Analysis, LBNL, California, United States

Postdoctoral Fellow – Energy Analysis: The Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory's (LBNL) Energy Analysis & Environmental Impacts Division is seeking a Postdoctoral Fellow to enhance research in sustainable energy and environmental systems. This position will focus on analyzing energy demands in industrial processes and developing frameworks for energy efficiency and carbon reduction.

Postdoctoral Fellow – Energy Analysis & Environmental Impacts Designation: Postdoctoral Fellow Table:

Field	Details	
Research Area	Energy Analysis, Environmental Impacts	
Location	Bay Area, California, United States	
Eligibility/Qualification	Ph.D. or equivalent in <u>engineering,</u> on <u>physical sciences, or</u> <u>environmental studies</u>	
Salary Range	\$6,891 / mo – \$7,609 / mo	
Appointment Duration	Full-time, 2 years with a possibility of renewal	
Deadline	Applications will be accepted until filled	

Research Area:

- Industrial Energy Use
- Decarbonization Strategies
- Techno-economic Analysis
- Life-cycle Assessments (LCA)
- Clean Energy Technologies

Location: Berkeley Lab, 1 Cyclotron Road, Berkeley, CA, Bay Area, California, United States

Eligibility/Qualification:

- Ph.D. or equivalent in engineering, physical sciences, or environmental studies
- Proven experience in industrial energy, carbon, and resource analyses
- Strong understanding of techno-economic analysis principles
- Excellent analytical skills and written communication skills

Job Description: As a Postdoctoral Fellow, you will:

- Analyze energy use profiles in industrial processes by disaggregating them into unit operations.
- Conduct innovative analyses on decarbonization strategies and industrial energy use.
- Perform in-depth engineering assessments of

- Contribute to the development of analytical frameworks for optimizing energy demand across sectors.
- Author and contribute to publications and presentations in high-impact journals and conferences.
- Build relationships with stakeholders and assist in project management activities.

How to Apply: Interested candidates should submit the following application materials:

- Detailed Curriculum Vitae
- Statement of research experience and interests (maximum 2 pages)
- Names and contact information of 3-5 references
- Diversity statement (maximum 1 page)

Please visit the <u>Berkeley Lab Careers page</u> for further details and to apply.

Last Date to Apply: Applications will be accepted until the position is filled, so early applications are encouraged.

Exciting Opportunity: 2025-2026 Global Heumann Fellowship Launch

Spread the love

In celebration of the 2024 International Day of Persons with Disabilities, we are thrilled to announce the launch of the **2025-2026 Global Heumann Fellowship**! This prestigious fellowship empowers individuals with disabilities to make an impactful difference on global disability advocacy, leadership, and policy. With a special focus on accessibility, inclusion, and social change, the Global Heumann Fellowship offers a transformative opportunity for leaders of tomorrow.

What's New for 2025-2026?

This year, we are providing an early look at the **application questions** to help you prepare your best responses. This heads-up ensures that applicants can reflect on their experiences and aspirations in alignment with the fellowship's core values. It's our way of supporting applicants to present their stories and expertise in the most compelling way.

Key Dates You Need to Know

• Application Portal Opens: January 1, 2025

• **Application Deadline**: February 28, 2025, at 11:59 PM EST With these dates in mind, we encourage potential applicants to begin planning ahead. Use this time to carefully craft your application and reflect on your journey as a disability rights advocate.

What Is the Global Heumann Fellowship?

The **Global Heumann Fellowship** is named in honor of **Judy Heumann**, a renowned disability rights activist who has dedicated her life to advancing the rights and opportunities for people with disabilities around the world. The fellowship aims to support individuals with disabilities who are passionate about driving positive change in their communities and on the global stage. The fellowship offers financial support, mentorship, and leadership development opportunities to its recipients, enabling them to engage in high-level work and policy influence, helping shape a future that is more inclusive and accessible for all.

Why Should You Apply?

If you are a person with a disability who is committed to promoting social justice, inclusion, and accessibility, this fellowship is an exceptional opportunity for you to grow, learn, and have your voice heard on global platforms. Through the fellowship, you will:

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- **Gain Mentorship**: Work with seasoned leaders in disability advocacy, policy, and global development.
- **Build Global Connections**: Engage with a network of changemakers and organizations committed to disability inclusion.
- **Develop Your Leadership**: Receive training and support to enhance your advocacy and leadership skills.
- Make a Global Impact: Collaborate on initiatives that influence policy and create meaningful change for the disability community.

How to Get Ready

To help you prepare for the application process, we've made the application questions available early. Review them, reflect on your experiences, and start drafting your responses now. We believe this will help you submit a thoughtful, well-prepared application when the portal opens in January 2025.

Get More Information

Ready to start planning your application? Visit the official Global Heumann Fellowship page for all the details, including the full timeline, application questions, and other important information.

Learn more and begin your journey today: Explore the Global Heumann Fellowship

A Future Led by People with Disabilities

The Global Heumann Fellowship is more than just an opportunity—it's a movement towards a world where people with disabilities are at the forefront of leadership, advocating for a more inclusive and equitable society. By supporting the next generation of disability leaders, we continue to build a future that is shaped by and for people with disabilities.

Let's work together to create a world that celebrates diversity, accessibility, and equal opportunities for everyone.

Health system strengthening interventions in primary care in low and middle income countries

Are you passionate about improving access to testing services for infectious diseases in disadvantaged populations?

This PhD scholarship offers the opportunity to conduct impactful research for underserved populations, focusing on innovative solutions and effective partnerships to enhance access to testing for infectious diseases.

The successful candidate will explore key areas of study which may include, but are not limited to:

• Effective engagement of civil society, private sector, and other community stakeholders to scale up the coverage of testing for infectious diseases.

• Health system integration of digital health, including telemedicine and artificial intelligence, to support testing and treatment for infectious diseases.

We seek a highly motivated candidate with:

- Strong experience and academic background in public health, global health, epidemiology, digital health, or a related field, proven by publications or research track record.
- Experience in or a commitment to improving healthcare for disadvantaged populations.

• Experience using mixed methods in public health research. The candidate is also expected to:

• Meet entry requirements for PhD program in Medicine at the Kirby Institute

(1774): <u>https://www.handbook.unsw.edu.au/research/progra</u> ms/2025/1774

 Meet the entry requirements for scholarship at UNSW: <u>https://www.unsw.edu.au/research/hdr/phd</u>

Additionally, for international candidates, proof of English language proficiency is required and must meet the UNSW English Langauge requirements: https://www.unsw.edu.au/study/how-toapply/english-language-requirements

Scholarship

• \$38,438 per annum (2025 rate) for 3.5 years and a single top up of \$10,000

Eligibility

• Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander, Domestic, International PhD candidate

How to apply

If you are interested, please send the following by email to Dr Luh Putu Lila Wulandari at <u>lwulandari@kirby.unsw.edu.au</u> by **28**

March 2025

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Doctoral Positions in Economic Sociology and Political Economy

The Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies (MPIfG) offers qualified graduate students an attractive research environment at the International Max Planck Research School on the Social and Political Constitution of the Economy (IMPRS-SPCE), a joint PhD program with the Faculty of Management, Economics and Social Sciences at the University of Cologne and the Faculty of Social Sciences at the University of Duisburg-Essen.

Deadline: February 28, 2025 (23:59h UTC+01:00).

For Details:

https://career.mpifg.de/jobposting/6a96a045ac66ffafb24b2ff86 704850cf7bbd56f0

The Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study (NIAS) Fellowship

Who should apply?

NIAS seeks scholars who are willing to ask bold questions, challenge conventional thinking, and engage deeply with their research and each other. This is more than a research institute – it is a place where you can experience, learn, and help protect academic freedoms.

NIAS Fellowships

The Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study (NIAS) offers a wealth of fellowships. Besides the NIAS individual and group fellowships, we offer several fellowships in cooperation with our partners:

- Distinguished NIAS Lorentz Fellowship: for scholars bridging the humanities, social sciences and natural or technological sciences.
- Safe Haven Fellowship: for scholars, artists and journalists unable to work in their home countries due to conflict or war.
- The L'Oréal-UNESCO For Women in Science Fellowship stimulates the scientific careers of talented young women in Life Sciences and STEM.
- NIAS-NIOD-KITLV Fellowship: focuses on "Moving Objects, Mobilising Culture in the Context of (De)Colonisation". For researchers from formerly colonised countries studying collections in the Netherlands.
- The Golestan Fellowship is aimed at researchers from the medical or biological sciences.
- Willem F. Duisenberg Fellowship: for researchers in the field of applied monetary economics, macro-economics or public finance.
- Fellowships aimed at writers, artists and journalists.

Apply now or spread the word

Applications are open until 17 March 2025 (12:00 CET). To maintain sound selection procedures, NIAS will cap the 2025 Open Call for Fellowships at 215 applications for the first time. This cap does not apply to applicants from the so-called Global South. Only the first 215 eligible submissions will be considered for the 2026-2027 academic year.

The Call opens on 15 January 2025 and closes on 17 March 2025 at 12:00 noon CET. Applicants are strongly encouraged to submit early to secure consideration.

If this isn't the right opportunity for you, please share it with your network. Any questions about applying for a fellowship can be addressed to selection@nias.knaw.nl.

3-Year Post-Doc Position: Ghent University, Belgium

3-Year Post-Doc Position: Ghent University, Belgium, in collaboration with Peking University, China, invites applications for a 3-year **Post-Doc position** within the COFLIGHT project. This role focuses on advanced optical microscopy to study charge carrier dynamics in opto-electronic devices made of solution-processable materials, such as colloidal quantum dots. The project involves cutting-edge research in ultrafast laser spectroscopy, transient absorption, and luminescence spectroscopy.

3-Year Post-Doc Position: Ultrafast Microscopy of Solution Processable Opto-Electronic Devices

Designation:

Post-Doctoral Researcher

Research Area:

Advanced Optical Microscopy, Ultrafast Laser Spectroscopy, Opto-Electronic Devices, Nanomaterials

Location:

Ghent University, Belgium (Department of Chemistry, PCN/NOLIMITS Team)

Eligibility/Qualification:

- A PhD in <u>Physics, Applied Physics, Photonics, or</u> <u>equivalent</u>.
- Experience with pump-probe techniques, microscopy optical setups, and ultrafast spectroscopy is an advantage.
- Applicants must not have worked or lived in Belgium during the last three years.

Job Description:

- Design and build an optical pump-visible probe setup to detect optically induced changes in active micrometer-scale devices like LEDs and photo-detectors.
- Develop microscopy techniques to resolve spatial inhomogeneity in structures and explore electrical pump-optical probe methods to study charge injection/extraction effects.
- Collaborate closely with PhD researchers (5-10 members) working on ultrafast laser spectroscopy.
- Work with Prof. Yunan Gao's team at Peking University for advanced nanomaterial and device development.

How to Apply:

Submit your CV and a statement of motivation related to the project to pieter.geiregat@ugent.be by March 15th, 2025.

Next Steps: Shortlisted candidates will be invited for an interview by the end of March 2025. Selection will be based on the CV, motivation letter, and interview performance. **General Conditions:**

- Full-time post-doctoral bursary position starting preferably on **June 1st, 2025**.
- Initial contract of 12 months, extendable to a maximum of 36 months upon positive evaluation.
- Competitive salary determined by family status and seniority, tax-exempt under doctoral fellowship regulations.
- Additional benefits: 36 days of annual holiday leave, training opportunities, eco vouchers, bicycle allowance, and more.

Last Date for Apply: March 15th, 2025

For more information, visit <u>PCN/NOLIMITS</u> or <u>Nano</u>. Connect with Prof. Pieter Geiregat on X: <u>@pieter_geiregat.3-Year Post-</u> <u>Doc Position: Ghent University, Belgium - Researchersjob</u>

WID Global Heumann Fellowship Program 2025 -2026 (Stipend of \$30,000)

Deadline: 28th February 2025

The WID Global Heumann Fellowship Program honors WID cofounder Judy Heumann's enduring legacy by empowering disability leaders and advocates worldwide to advance disability rights and justice within their regional communities. Through this program, fellows will work on impactful projects aimed at fostering equity, inclusion, and justice globally. Their responsibilities include conducting research, drafting a white paper, cultivating relationships, driving collaborative opportunities, and contributing to program development aligned with WID's mission and strategic focus areas.

During this twelve-month fellowship term, each fellow will engage in a unique combination of opportunities for thought leadership on national and global policy, research strategies, advocacy, program development, and contributions to initiatives aimed at advancing the rights of persons with disabilities globally. Fellows will focus on identifying and leading research with the support of WID, as it regards the fellow's respective region, expertise, and collaboration with WID.

Fellow Roles and Responsibilities

Fellows' roles and responsibilities include the following:

• Promoting WID's mission and core values within the Fellow's region and global presence

- Ensuring reflection of WID's mission and core values throughout the application process, fellow's program development, relevant work, and future action plans
- Establishing and strengthening alliances to advance change with WID and for the fellow's future professional development
- Conducting relevant research that will promote applicable findings and build the power of people with disabilities
- Creating a sustainable, research-based project plan to guide regional and global implementation throughout and upon completion of the fellowship
- Conducting comprehensive research that results in a WIDpublished white paper
- Producing multi-media assets that demonstrate fellow's research findings and organizational objectives
- Maintaining consistent communication and proactive interest in connections with mentors, WID staff, and others involved in the fellow's research, projects, and responsibilities

Benefits

The fellowship will provide a stipend of \$20,000 USD to support participation in the program and \$10,000 for reimbursements around research expenses. The stipend will be paid in four installments upon receipt of agreed-upon deliverables for each quarter of the fellowship timeline.

Eligibility

The Global Heumann Fellowship seeks disabled, visionary leaders with a demonstrated history in advocacy, communications, and influential collaboration. Interested applicants must.

- Have the ability to be effective while working remotely
- Maintain flexibility working with a diverse, global team
- Have at least three years of relevant work experience within the disability rights movement
- Have experience in advocacy on global disability rights issues
- Demonstrate flexibility and capacity to work independently with limited supervision and adapt quickly to new or unexpected assignments
- Possess proficiency in sign language or the English language in verbal form AND a high level of comfort using the English language in written form
- Commit part-time (~ 20 hours/week) to the proposed research project and fellowship program throughout the fellowship year
- Currently have a professional career within the disability rights field or plan to upon completion of the Fellowship

Ideal Qualifications

The ideal candidate will:

- Have lived experience as a person with a disability
- Hold an academic degree (earned in the U.S. or abroad) equivalent to a U.S. bachelor's degree completed by the application deadline
- Possess a strong foundation of knowledge of disability and human rights advocacy
- Have daily access to the internet, a personal computer, and a suitable work environment
- The ability to work occasionally at non-standard hours, accommodating different time zones
- Be available on instant communication modes such as WhatsApp or Signal
- Have significant experience in writing or are a published writer on disability rights issues
- Commit to excellence and be a reliable, responsive, and accountable team member throughout the fellowship

For more <u>information</u> and <u>application</u>.

WID Global Heumann Fellowship Program 2025 -2026 (Stipend of \$30,000) - Access Agric

Early Career Fellowship (ECF8) <u>INDEPENDENT SOCIAL RESEARCH</u> <u>FOUNDATIONFUNDING</u> <u>OPPORTUNITIESGRANTS & COMPETITIONS</u>

<u>Apply Now: https://isrf.tal.net/vx/brand-2/spa-</u> <u>1/candidate/so/pm/1/pl/1/opp/58-ISRF-Early-Career-</u> <u>Fellowship-Competition-ECF8/en-GB</u>

The Independent Social Research Foundation wishes to support independent-minded researchers to explore and present original research ideas which take new approaches, and suggest new solutions, to real world social problems.

Please read these details carefully – <u>and consult the FAQs</u> – before commencing an application or contacting the ISRF with a query. Applications **must** be submitted before 5pm (GMT) on 14th February 2025. Applicants are **strongly advised** to submit applications well in advance of this deadline. If you ave any technical issues, please notify <u>Stuart Wilson</u> immediately.

For Details: Early Career Fellowship (ECF8) | Independent Social Research Foundation

VISITING FELLOWSHIPS FOR SCHOLARS FROM THE GLOBAL SOUTH

The Centre for Research in the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences (CRASSH) at the University of Cambridge is excited to announce the launch of applications for <u>Visiting Fellowships</u> aimed at scholars from the **Global South**. This prestigious opportunity invites scholars from higher education institutions in the Global South to engage in an enriching academic exchange at one of the world's leading universities. The fellowship provides access to the University's vast resources and collections, fostering crossdisciplinary collaboration and future academic partnerships. About the Fellowship:

The **Visiting Fellowship** program is designed to bring scholars from the Global South to Cambridge to exchange ideas and collaborate with researchers at CRASSH and the wider University of Cambridge community. The fellowships will provide scholars with the opportunity to engage in deep research, take advantage of the University's vast academic collections, and create opportunities for future research collaborations and exchanges.

For the **2026 cohort**, CRASSH will partner with the **Department of History and Philosophy of Science** to offer a themed call for applications focusing on the theme of **Science**, **Politics**, **and Justice**. This year's theme invites research proposals that explore the intersection of scientific, medical, and technical knowledge-making with political and social justice efforts.

Themed Call for Applications: Science, Politics, and Justice We are particularly interested in projects that address the ethical, political, and historical dimensions of scientific knowledge and its role in the pursuit of justice. This can include, but is not limited to:

- The participation of scientific and medical experts in social movements such as anticolonialism, antiracism, climate justice, gender equity, indigenous rights, reproductive rights, and disarmament.
- The role of science in **policing**, **crime prevention**, **war**, and **criminal justice systems**.

The moral responsibility of scientists and their role in **objectivity**, **neutrality**, and **value judgments** within socially engaged science.

- Environmental justice, scientific literacy, repatriation of heritage, and the historical use of science to advance political agendas.
- We welcome applications from a wide range of disciplines, including:
- Anthropology
- Archaeology
- Art history
- Digital humanities

- Ecology and environmental studies
- History and philosophy
- Medical humanities
- Museum studies
- Science and technology studies
- Sociology

The fellowship aims to advance understanding of the role of science in shaping social and political realities, with a strong focus on case studies of science in action.

What the Fellowship Offers:

The **Visiting Fellowship** offers substantial support for scholars, including:

- Travel: Return (economy class) airfare to the UK.
- Accommodation: Single ensuite accommodation at Wolfson College.
- Financial Support: A subsistence allowance to cover everyday living costs.
- Office Space: Desk space and access to a computer at CRASSH.
- Access to Resources: Full access to the University of Cambridge's libraries, collections, and online resources.
- Academic Events: Access to seminars and events organized by CRASSH and other departments at the University.

The fellowship is designed to be a **three-month in-person residency** followed by **nine months of digital engagement**, ensuring continued access to the University's events, resources, and research networks.

Eligibility:

Up to **three Visiting Fellows** will be selected each year, with one Fellow chosen from a different country in the Global South. To be eligible, applicants must:

- Be engaged in research that aligns with the Science, Politics, and Justice theme.
- Have an academic background in a discipline relevant to the fellowship (including, but not limited to, the disciplines mentioned above).
- Have demonstrated potential to contribute meaningfully to the field of study.

When Will the Fellowship Take Place?

The **Visiting Fellowship** will take place during the **Lent Term 2026** (mid-January to mid-March), with additional digital support continuing for nine months.

How to Apply:

Applications must be submitted by **12:00 (midday) UTC on 24 February 2025**. All applicants will be notified of the results of the selection process by the end of March 2025.

For more details and to apply, <u>visit the</u> University of Cambridge CRASSH website.

Young Researcher Excellence Fellowships at Université Côte d'Azur, France

The Université Côte d'Azur is offering esteemed Young Researcher Excellence Fellowships for 2025, aimed at attracting exceptional post-doctoral researchers across various disciplines. This prestigious opportunity allows fellows to engage in innovative research, collaborate with leading academics, and contribute to the university's international <u>scientific</u> outreach.

Young Researcher Excellence Fellowships 2025 at Université Côte d'Azur

- Young Researcher Excellence Fellowships: Opportunity for post-doctoral researchers at Université Côte d'Azur
- International Outreach: Collaborate with top academics, enhance scientific excellence globally
- **Competitive Salary**: €3,520 monthly gross, plus €5,000 for research expenses
- State-of-the-Art Facilities: Access cutting-edge research equipment and facilities
- Networking Opportunities: Expand professional connections within the academic community
- Global Reputation: Contribute to Université Côte d'Azur's international academic prestige

Designation: Postdoctoral Research Fellow Research Area

Open to various disciplines; candidates are encouraged to present innovative research ideas that address significant scientific questions.

Location: Université Côte d'Azur, France

Eligibility/Qualification

- Must hold a university doctorate/PhD.
- Candidates must have defended their doctoral thesis no more than 4 years prior to the application deadline (thesis defense after March 17, 2021).
- A strong track record in research, including publications and relevant experience, is required.

Job Description: As a Postdoctoral Research Fellow, candidates will:

- Collaborate with a host laboratory or research group to develop and execute a unique research program.
- Present and implement innovative research ideas.
- Submit proposals through the Nuxéo platform, including a well-articulated research plan endorsed by their supervisor.

Actively participate in the academic community at Université Côte d'Azur, contributing to collaborations and research initiatives.

How to Apply

- 1. **Contact a Supervisor**: Reach out to a faculty member at Université Côte d'Azur to discuss your research proposal.
- 2. **Prepare Your Application**: Compile all required documents, including your CV, research proposal, and the first letter of recommendation.
- 3. **Submit on Nuxéo**: Applications must be submitted via the Nuxéo platform by the supervisor, in a single PDF file named appropriately.
- 4. **Send Recommendations**: The letter of recommendation should be sent directly to idex.recherche@univ-cotedazur.fr.

Last Date to Apply: March 17, 2025

IBRO EXCHANGE FELLOWSHIPS

Grant aim: The fellowships enable early-career neuroscientists to broaden the scope of their neuroscience training by conducting goal-directed laboratory visits Status: Open Applications: 15 Jan 2025 - 15 Apr 2025

Apply <u>HERE</u>

Grant type: Career Development

Open to: Africa, Asia-Pacific, Latin America, US/Canada

Maximum grant amount: See call details

About the Program

This grant program is designated for covering travel and local expenses throughout the exchange period. Priority will be given to applicants from less developed and under-funded countries, in combination with efforts to ensure both gender and regional diversity.

Who can apply?

- PhD neuroscience students
- Early career postdoctoral fellows

maximum 5 years from the start of the postdoc
 Only applicants currently residing in the following regions are eligible to apply: Asia-Pacific, Latin America, Africa, US/Canada
 Applicants from Europe should apply to the dedicated
 FENS/IBRO-PERC Exchange Fellowships program here.
 For Details: https://ibro.org/get-involved/get-in-touch/

Postdoctoral Fellowships at the National Institutes of Health

The National Institutes of Health, Maryland invites multiple online application for Postdoctoral Fellowships in various research areas. Candidates interested in Postdoctoral Fellowships can check the details and may apply as soon as possible.

1. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

We are particularly interested in applicants from any of the following backgrounds: (1) Gerontology, sociology, social psychology, or epidemiology to look at a broad range of social and environmental influences on aging. (2) Data Science/Machine Learning for analysis of large complex data sets and multi-dimensional predictive modeling of cognitive changes time. over (3) Genetics/Neurogenetics to analyze both candidate gene and whole genome analyses of a large genetic data base as related to neurodegenerative disorders, with an emphasis on genetics associated with African ancestry.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled More Details

2. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The Washington University School of Medicine, Department of Neurology, has an opening for a post- doctoral research associate to join the Belloy lab in the NeuroGenomics and Informatics Center (NGI). The successful candidate will be involved in projects to perform big-data research, bundling genetics, multi-omics, biomarker, clinical, and histopathological data, to harness the full range of biologically relevant data to better understand Alzheimer's disease and related dementias.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled

More Details

3. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The Postdoctoral Fellow will perform work under the supervision of Dr. Bigos and will have access to exceptional resources to: 1) gain further training in brain imaging and pharmacology research design and execution; 2) explore complementary research contributions; and 3) gain valuable experience in publishing, grant-writing, and project management for the next stage of their research career. The primary responsibility of the Fellow will be to assist in the design of brain imaging studies, collection and analyses of brain imaging data, and to collaborate with the various members of the research team. **Application Deadline:** Open Until Filled **More Details**

4. Postdoctoral Position Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

We seek trainees who have a specific interest in midlife brain aging, its origins in early life, and its implications for mental and physical health in later life. The research training will be grounded in the ongoing longitudinal Dunedin Study, which has followed a population-representative birth cohort for six decades. We collected a first wave of MRI data in 875 Study members when they were 45 years old and are currently collecting a second wave of data as Study members turn 52 years old this year. We expect the second wave of data collection to be ready for analysis by fall semester 2025. This will lead to many opportunities to map individual life histories (e.g., childhood adversity, environmental exposures, history of mental illness) onto changes in midlife brain structure and, furthermore, to map these changes onto a number of health outcomes including risk for Alzheimer's disease and related dementias.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled More Details

5. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The Research Postdoctoral Fellow is a "research trainee" for the purpose of enhancing and developing research competencies in laboratory or clinical research settings and may engage in any of the following activities. The research postdoctoral fellow will assist faculty in the conduct of research and reports to a principal investigator or CNRI Center Director. They may serve in several roles in the laboratory setting, depending on the scientific specialty and needs of the research project supported.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled

More Details

6. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The Haydar Lab is hiring a postdoctoral fellow to develop CAR T cell therapies for the treatment of brain tumors and interrogate the tumor microenvironment for identification of rational combination therapies. We use mouse models and novel engineering tools to design effective, long-lasting, and safe cellular immunotherapies for pediatric brain tumors.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled

More Details

7. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The Research Postdoctoral Fellow is a "research trainee" for the purpose of enhancing and developing research competencies in laboratory or clinical research settings and may engage in any of the following activities. The research postdoctoral fellow will assist faculty in the conduct of research and reports to a principal investigator or CNRI Center Director. They may serve in several roles in the laboratory setting, depending on the scientific specialty and needs of the research project supported.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled

More Details

8. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The Staff Scientist I is a junior career research position that reports to the principal investigator. The Staff Scientist I conducts research of significant scientific value in the basic or translational sciences and brings specialized skills, knowledge and experience to research programs or core laboratories. This position performs a variety of laboratory research, education and management tasks, including training technical staff, students, fellows and physicians in laboratory procedures and assisting the principal investigator in writing grant applications and publications.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled More Details

9. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The Cruchaga Lab, at Washington University School of Medicine is recruiting multiple Postdoctoral Research Scientists. The NeuroGenomics and Informatics Center (NGI) generates and analyzes Whole-Genome Sequencing data and high-throughput, multi-dimensional -omic data to study neurodegeneration and diseases of the central nervous system, with an emphasis on Alzheimer disease, Parkinson's disease, and other dementias. **Application Deadline:** Open Until Filled **More Details**

10. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The Cruchaga lab at Washington University School of Medicine is recruiting multiple Postdoctoral Research Scientist. The Cruchaga lab generates and analyzes high-throughput multi-omic data to study neurodegeneration and diseases of the CNS with emphasis on Alzheimer's disease, Parkinson's disease, and other dementias. The ultimate goal of the lab is to understand the biology of these diseases, define novel biomarkers, and identify novel therapeutic targets.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled

More Details

11. Postdoctoral Position Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

Postdoctoral Research Fellow Position in the Center for Cardiovascular Genetic Research The successful candidate will use state-of-the-art techniques to define and characterize the DNA double-stranded breaks (DSBs) in cardiac cells and delineate the molecular genetic and genomic basis of DSBs in cardiac cells and perform genetic and pharmacological intervention to attenuate the generation of DSBs and enhance their repair.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled

More Details

More Details

12. Postdoctoral Position Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The Stanford Division of Pain Medicine T32 Training Program in Pain and Substance Use Disorders is intended to develop postdoctoral trainees' skills to become independent investigators in the fields of pain, substance abuse disorders, and their intersection. The training program (1-3 years) incorporates required and elective coursework, mentored research experiences, an individual integrated research project, seminars, and exposure to professional development skills, including grant proposal and manuscript writing.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled

13. Postdoctoral Position

Summary of Postdoctoral Fellowship:

The successful applicant will be expected to lead studies and design and execute solutions under Dr. Eise, as well as generate new knowledge that is congruent with the overall goals of the projects. It is imperative that the candidate be a proficient writer and project manager who is able to spearhead projects, data analysis and publications and write efficiently. Organizing data collections, outreach projects, analyzing data and generating peer-reviewed publications are essential primary responsibilities.

Application Deadline: Open Until Filled

More Details

British Academy International Fellowships 2025

The British Academy International Fellowships 2025 program is now accepting applications, offering early-career researchers a unique opportunity to conduct research at a UK university or research institution. This initiative, supported by the British Academy and UK Research and Innovation (UKRI), aims to foster global academic <u>collaboration</u> and attract top-tier international scholars to the UK's research ecosystem.

If you're an early-career researcher looking to advance your work while building strong academic networks, this fully funded fellowship could be the perfect opportunity. Below, we cover eligibility criteria, application details, funding benefits, and frequently asked questions to help you navigate the application process.

The British Academy International Fellowships 2025 provide a golden opportunity for early-career researchers to advance their careers in the UK. This two-year, fully funded fellowship covers salary, research expenses, relocation costs, and training programs, making it an attractive option for <u>international scholars</u>.

To maximize your chances of success, ensure you secure a UK host institution, develop a strong research proposal, and submit a highquality application before 18 March 2025.

What is the British Academy International Fellowships Program? The British Academy International Fellowships is an annual funding program designed to attract high-caliber international researchers to the UK's research sector. The program enables talented scholars to:

- Conduct independent research in the UK.
- Build long-term academic <u>collaborations</u>.
- Gain exposure to the UK's world-class research environment.
- Develop new methodologies and expertise.
- Strengthen their international academic career.
- Each fellowship provides financial support for up to two years, covering research costs, salary, travel expenses, and professional development opportunities.
- Who is Eligible?
- The British Academy has set clear eligibility requirements to ensure that qualified international researchers <u>benefit from the program</u>.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Academic Qualifications: Applicants must hold a doctoral degree (PhD) or be in the final stages of their PhD, with viva completion before the fellowship begins.
- **Postdoctoral Experience**: Candidates should have **no more than seven years** of active full-time postdoctoral research experience.

- International Status: Applicants must be based outside the UK, not hold UK citizenship, and must not have lived, worked, or conducted research in the UK for more than 12 months in the past three years.
- Host Institution: Candidates must secure a commitment from a UK university or research organization before applying.
- Research Scope: The proposed research must align with British
 Academy disciplines, including humanities and social sciences.
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Selected fellows will receive **comprehensive funding** to support their research journey.

Funding Benefits:

- Salary & Living Allowance: Covers 100% of salary costs for two years.
- Research Expenses: Up to £12,000 per year for research-related costs.
- Relocation Allowance: Funding for visa applications, travel, and settling costs.
- Training & Career Development: Access to skills training, networking events, and mentoring programs.

Note: The fellowship does not provide permanent residence in the <u>UK but offers</u> a strong platform to transition into a long-term research role.

The application process for the British Academy International Fellowship involves several key steps. Follow this step-by-step guide to improve your chances of success.

- Identify a UK Host Institution: Find a UK university or research institute willing to host your fellowship. Contact potential supervisors or mentors in your field and discuss your research proposal.
- Develop a Research Proposal:
 - Define your research objectives and methodology.
 - Explain why the UK is the ideal location for your work.
 - Highlight how your research aligns with British Academy disciplines.
- Prepare Supporting Documents:
 - **Personal Statement** (Academic background & research aspirations)
 - CV (Max 2 pages)
 - Letters of Support from your current supervisor and UK host mentor
 - Project Timeline & Budget Estimate
 - Submit the Online Application: Applications must be submitted through the British Academy's online portal by 18 March 2025.

For Details: <u>https://lkouniexam.in/british-academy-international-fellowships-2025/</u>

Request for concept notes to advance adolescent sexual and reproductive health research

The present request for concept notes is intended to advance the above priorities through research. Research can include: developing and testing a new intervention or replicating an existing intervention that has been shown to be effective in a new context (simply replicating an intervention is not in itself research). Both experimental designs and implementation research will be considered. Research can be descriptive such as undertaking a survey on knowledge, attitudes and perspectives of adolescents toward a specific issue or analyzing demographic data to answer specific questions or it can study how laws and/or policies impact populations of young people. Systematic and other types of literature reviews will not qualify in this RFP. Pre-submission inquiries regarding the suitability of a proposal for this specific call are encouraged and can be directed to Sheri Bastien at srhrel@who.int.

Eligibility

Any individual or team member from the following is eligible to apply:

- World Bank designated low- or middle-income country
- Academic institutions/universities
- Civil society or non-governmental organizations
- Youth organizations.

There is no restriction as to settings for the research. For example, any of the following are all potential settings: clinics, schools, community organizations, sports and recreational settings, religious institutions and prisons (these are only examples). The settings for the study should be determined by the research question(s).

Budget

If the study is selected through this RFP, US\$2500 will be provided to the lead applicant. This is intended to contribute to the further development and articulation of the research proposal.

Important dates

Deadline: February 21st: all applications must be submitted by 11:59PM (23:59) CET (Geneva time). All applications must be submitted via email to: <u>srhrel@who.int</u>. NOTE: Late applications will not be accepted (no exceptions).

Call for Expressions of Interest: Africa Health Collaborative Research Fund 2025

Deadline: February 19, 2025 (12PM GMT)

About the Africa Health Collaborative

The Africa Health Collaborative (Health Collaborative) is a multistakeholder partnership dedicated to preparing diverse young people for the meaningful work of transforming health and well-being in Africa, through contextually appropriate and sustainable primary healthcare systems.

The Health Collaborative strategically leverages higher education institutions as hubs of knowledge exchange, community engagement, and cross-sector partnerships for innovation and impact.

A cornerstone of the Health Collaborative's work is its focus on translational research that delivers tangible benefits to communities, enhances research capacity, fosters collaborations, and propels the advancement of Africa's health ecosystems.

Eligibility

All proposals must be led by an Early Career Researcher from a <u>Health Collaborative member institution</u> (See <u>Appendix</u> <u>1</u> for definition of ECR by each institution) and can be bilateral (2 ECRs between two Health Collaborative member partners) or multilateral (three ECRs between three or more member partners). Proposals must also include participation of masters, doctoral or post-doctoral trainees. Eligible applicants may only lead one application (Further application requirements for applicants at each institution can be found in <u>Appendix 2</u>).

How to Apply

Applying to this funding will take place in two stages: **1.** Submission of Expressions of Interest <u>Submit Expression of Interest</u>

Deadline: February 19, 2025

Need Help?

Please email your queries to africasecretariat@utoronto.ca

Details: https://africahealthcollaborative.org/research/fund/

Climate and Health Award: Advancing climate mitigation solutions with health co- benefits in low- and middle-income countries.

Deadline: 18 February 2025

This funding call will generate a body of evidence on the health effects of climate change mitigation interventions in Low- and middle-income countries (LMICs).

Lead Applicant Career State: Established Researchers

Administering organisation location: Low- or middle-income countries (apart from mainland China

Funding duration: 2-4 Years

Funding Amount: £500,000-£2 million per project

Strategic programme: Climate and health, climate and health funding

Frequency: One off

Link: https://wellcome.org/grant-funding/schemes

Climate Impacts Awards: Unlocking urgent climate action by making the health effects of climate change visible

The aim of this scheme is to make the impacts of climate change on physical and mental health visible to drive urgent climate policy action at scale. We will fund transdisciplinary teams to deliver short-term, high-impact projects that maximise policy outcomes by combining evidence generation, policy analysis, engaged research approaches and communication strategies.

Lead Applicant Career State: Early Career Researchers, Mid-Career Researchers and Established Researchers Administering organisation location: Anywhere in the world apart from mainland China. Funding duration: Annual Funding Amount: Up to £2-5 Million

Frequency: 3 Years

Co-Applicants: Accepted

Deadline: Opening Soon

Link: https://wellcome.org/grant-funding/schemes/climateimpacts-awards

Mental Health Award: Leveraging longitudinal data to transform early intervention in mental health

Eligibility and guidance information for our funding call on using longitudinal data for mental health research. We are funding experts to develop innovative ways of identifying anxiety, depression and/or psychosis early. Successful teams will integrate cutting-edge analytics of longitudinal data with experimental research so that, in time, people may benefit from better targeted early interventions. Lead Applicant Career State: Early Career Researchers, Mid-**Career Researchers and Established Researchers** Administering organisation location: Anywhere in the world apart from mainland China. Funding duration: One off Funding Amount: £2-5 Million per project Frequency: 3-5 Years **CoApplicants:** Accepted Deadline: 25 February, 2025 by 17:00 BST. Link: https://wellcome.org/grant-funding/schemes/mentalhealth-award-leveraging-longitudinal-data-transform-earlyintervention

Mental ill-health and suicide prevention 2025

In this call, you can apply for project grants within the framework of Forte's ten-year research program on mental health. A project grant should facilitate the implementation of a defined research project designed to contribute to increased knowledge in line with the call's purpose. A total of approximately SEK 80 million is allocated, and you may apply for a maximum of SEK 5 million for three-year projects and SEK 6 million for four-year projects.

About the call for proposals

Grant type: Project grant. Grants may be applied for by individual researchers as well as research groups. **Budget**: For this call a budget of about SEK 80 million is available.

Project duration: 3 or 4 years.

Funding amounts: You may apply for a maximum of SEK 5 million for three-year projects and SEK 6 million for four-year projects. Please note that the maximum amount includes so called indirect costs/overheads (OH). Applications that exceed the specified limit will be rejected.

Deadline: 13 February 2025, 14.00 CET

Details: https://forte.se/en/proposal/mental-ill-health-and-suicide-prevention-2025/

MEANING-MAKING RESEARCH INITIATIVES (MRI) 2025 – SPECIAL CALL FOR FEMALE SCHOLARS

In 2017, CODESRIA introduced the Meaning-Making Research Initiative (MRI) as its principal tool for research support, amalgamating the National Working Groups, Multinational Working Groups, Comparative Research Network, Transnational Working Groups and Postdoctoral Grants. The MRI is designed to facilitate research that contributes to agendas for imagining, planning, and creating African futures. A key objective of the MRI is to increase the legibility and visibility of the research supported by the Council.

The adoption of MRI marked a renewed commitment to the task of interpretation and explanation that saw CODESRIA produce ground-breaking work on thematic issues such as democratization and economic reform in Africa. MRI strongly encourages scholars to build upon the close observation of African social realities, addressing key challenges in Africa through thorough analysis and understanding. The initiative is marked by reinforced support for researchers and their better integration into the Council's work. MRI encourages scholars to explore diverse, innovative, and alternative ways to present their work beyond the traditional book, journal article or policy brief formats.

We are seeking to support bold, innovative, ambitious, and forward-looking projects. Please apply only if your project embodies these qualities (See detailed RFP: https://codesria.org/meaning-making-research-initiatives-mri-2025-special-call-for-female-scholars/).

The call invites applications from groups only. No individual awards will be granted. All projects should: 1) be headed by female scholars; and 2) have only women as members. Only in exceptional cases, and with proper justification, will the Council admit a group that has a majority of female applicants with a small number of male members. The members of a group may be from one country or multiple countries. In fact, we strongly encourage applications with members from different countries. Each group should have between 3 and 5 members and should take into account CODESRIA's core principles of linguistic, intergenerational and interdisciplinary diversity. All members of a group should have a demonstrated ability to contribute meaningfully to the work of the group. The Council will offer up to USD 25,000 for each winning project.

NEW GRANTS OF UP TO \$15,000 FOR AFRICA-BASED EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT RESEARCHERS

Deadline: Friday, 28 February 2025 at 23:59 GMT **Webinar with more information:** 23 January 2025, 10:00 am – 11:30 am (GMT)

Countries of research: Ghana, Kenya, Mozambique, Tanzania (priority), and other eligible sub-Saharan African countries Grant amount: Up to \$15,000

Time period for carrying out research: Ten months Application form: https://forms.gle/5Ut98kfuizG8VSXBA Are you passionate about transforming the lives of young children in Africa? The <u>Research for Equitable Access and</u> Learning (REAL) Centre at the University of Cambridge and Education Sub Saharan Africa (ESSA), with funding from the Conrad N. Hilton Foundation, are offering grants of up to \$15,000 to support African Early Childhood Development (ECD) researchers in Central, East, West and Southern Africa. Context and importance: This initiative is part of Phase 2 of an ECD-focused project. We are building on our efforts in <u>Phase</u> 1 to identify the researchers, understand their professional needs, strengthen their research capacity, and address critical challenges facing the region's youngest learners.

Why this matters: ECD is the foundation for lifelong learning and societal progress. However, the challenges are significant: 250 million children under five in low- and middle-income countries risk falling short of their developmental potential (WHO, 2020). Early childhood development is key to school readiness. Children in Africa are five times less likely to achieve basic reading proficiency by the end of primary school compared to their global peers (UNESCO, 2023).

Eligibility: Africa-based African researchers with a PhD, working in a relevant research-oriented institution or unit, such as a university, research think tank, or research unit in government department/ministry are eligible to lead applications for these grants. Applications must focus on context-specific, policy-relevant and actionable research addressing key ECD challenges.

Webinar: Join us on 23 January 2025 from 10:00am to 11:30am (GMT) to hear more information about the grant and ask any questions. Express interest to join the webinar and submit questions ahead of the event

to <u>researchenquiries@essa-africa.org</u>. Sign up for our <u>newsletter</u> to get alerts.

Deadline: 28 February 2025, 11:59pm GMT.

Application deadline: February 20, 2025

Dr. Scholl Foundation Grants

US \$5,000 - US \$25,000

NOTE: Application forms must be requested each year online prior to submitting an application. When you submit an LOI, a member of the foundation staff will be contacting you within the next five business days regarding the status of your request. Full applications are due at the "full proposal" deadline above. The Dr. Scholl Foundation grant application cycle is between October 1 and March 1 of the following year. The next grant cycle begins October 1st.

The Foundation is dedicated to providing financial assistance to organizations committed to improving our world. Solutions to the problems of today's world still lie in the values of innovation, practicality, hard work, and compassion. The Foundation considers applications for grants in the following areas:

- Education
- Social Service
- Health care
- Civic and cultural
- Environmental

The categories above are not intended to limit the interest of the Foundation from considering other worthwhile projects. In general, the Foundation guidelines are broad to give us flexibility in providing grants.

The majority of our grants are made in the U.S. However, like Dr. Scholl, we recognize the need for a global outlook. Non-U.S. grants are given to organizations where directors have knowledge of the grantee.

Full proposal due: Mar 1, 2025

<u>Learn more</u>: https://www.instrumentl.com/grants/dr-scholl-foundation-grants

Open Window Grants

The Agency Fund: Unspecified amount

NOTE: Submissions are reviewed on a quarterly basis. About Us

The Agency Fund is a multi-donor partnership focused on innovations and organizations that support people in the navigation of difficult lives. Our open window calls for research and innovation concepts within the general scope of our approach, without further thematic or geographic restrictions. **Applications due**: Mar 16, 2025

Details: https://www.instrumentl.com/grants/open-window

Apply now and inspire the next generation of women and girls in STEM

The Inspiring Women in Science Awards, in partnership with The Estée Lauder Companies, is your chance to showcase your achievements. This prestigious program not only provides a \$50,000 prize but also connects you with a vast network of STEM professionals, celebrating your scientific impact.

Two award categories offer broad opportunities to showcase your achievements:

- Scientific Achievement: Honors women who have made ground-breaking contributions to scientific discovery, shown exceptional leadership, and inspired the next generation of scientists.
- Science Outreach: Recognizes initiatives that engage girls and young women in STEM or support the career progression of women in these fields.

Why Apply?

- **Global Recognition:** Be featured on nature.com and more.
- **\$50,000 Prize:** Fuel your research or outreach initiatives.
- Mentorship: Gain invaluable guidance from The Estée Lauder Companies.
- New: One runner up from each category will receive \$5,000 and are invited to attend the award ceremony in London.

Apply by April 9, 2025, and take your place among the leading women in science

IHI call 10: Per- and Poly-fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS) exposure, emissions, and end of life management in the healthcare sector (Europe + associated countries + LMIC)

The *Innovative Health Initiative* (IHI) is a joint undertaking between the European Union and industry associations representing the sectors involved in healthcare.

Topic 3: Per- and Poly-fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS) exposure, emissions, and end of life management in the healthcare sector.

Applications are open to consortia of academic and industry partnerships in <u>Europe and countries associated with the</u> <u>Horizon Europe program, plus low and middle income</u> <u>countries</u>.

Short proposals are due April 23, 2025. Full proposals due October 14, 2025.

Details:<u>https://www.scientifyresearch.org/grant/ihi-call10-pfas</u>healthcare-europe/

RAI Biological Anthropology Small Grant Scheme

The Royal Anthropological Institute administers a fund which provides grants for research in biological anthropology. Preference will be given to those applications which lie within human population biology, human genetics, human ethology and palaeoanthropology.

The closing date for applications is **31 March** each year. **Eligibility**

- There are no restrictions on age, sex, religion, ethnic origin or nationality.
- Grants will not be made for undergraduate fieldwork projects.
- Individuals already in possession of a doctorate are not eligible.
- Grants are not made for library research, for University fees or for subsistence in the applicant's home institution.
- Funds cannot be awarded for a joint research project, but individuals who are members of such a project can apply for a grant, provided that its leader holds a PhD or is similarly qualified
- Permission to undertake field research must be cleared with the relevant authorities and communities before an application is submitted.

Nature of the Awards

Each year the Trustees will make awards of up to £1500. All award holders are required to submit an interim report on their fieldwork and at the conclusion of their period of research a full report of their findings. These final reports are taken very seriously by the Trustees and should be well presented. The Trustees may request repayment of the award if an adequate report is not submitted at the end of the research period. The closing date for applications is 31 March each year. The application must be submitted electronically as a PDF to admin@therai.org.uk, with the reference sent separately as a PDF by the referee, direct to the <u>Assistant Director</u> (Administration). Grants to successful candidates will be paid at the start of their fieldwork.

Letter to applicants, notes for applicants, application format and referee forms are obtainable online, or can be obtained from the <u>Assistant Director (Administration)</u>.

Details: https://therai.org.uk/awards/research-grants/raibiological-anthropology-small-grant-scheme/

The John and Margaret Post Foundation Grant Program (US)

Deadline: 01-Apr-2025

The John and Margaret Post Foundation supports charitable organizations that benefit the quality of life for families and society in general, with a primary focus on organizations in northwest New Jersey and northeast Pennsylvania. Rush In! New Year 80% Premium Discount Won't Last Long!

Sign up!

Program Areas

- Arts, culture and humanities
- Education
- Environment, animals
- Health

- Human services
- Public/society benefit

Grantmaking Priorities

- Priority will be given in the following order:
 - Organizations based in northwest New Jersey and northeast Pennsylvania
 - Capital needs
 - Specific programs

Funding Information

- Average grant size: \$5,000 to \$50,000
- Average number of grants per year: 40

Eligibility Criteria

- To be eligible, organizations must qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the internal Revenue Code.
- When submitting a grant application to the foundation, please focus on providing the pertinent information in an efficient and concise manner.
- Please do not submit an application that is overly explanatory or too lengthy.
- Geographic limitations
 - The Foundation has a practice of primarily supporting organizations in northwest New Jersey and northeast Pennsylvania.

For more information, visit The John A. and Margaret Post Foundation, Inc.

NIDA CALLS FOR PROPOSALS

RFA-DA-26-009: <u>Mitochondrial-associated Mechanisms of</u> <u>Neuropathological and Immunodeficient Aging in the Context</u> <u>of HIV and SUD (R01 Clinical Trials Not Allowed)</u> and

RFA-DA-26-010: <u>Mitochondrial-associated Mechanisms of</u> <u>Neuropathological and Immunodeficient Aging in the Context</u> <u>of HIV and SUD (R21 Clinical Trials Not Allowed)</u> — *Applications due March 10, 2026*

PAR-24-299: <u>Behavioral and Integrative Treatment Development</u> Program (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)

and

PAR-24-300: Behavioral and Integrative Treatment Development Program (R34 Clinical Trial Optional) — Applications due May 7, 2025

PAR-24-298: Mechanism for Time-Sensitive Substance Use <u>Research (R21 Clinical Trial Optional)</u> — Applications due September 9, 2027

Gates Foundation Global Grand Challenges (Numerous RFPs are open) Deadline: Various Learn more

Fogarty International Center - Funding Opportunities (Numerous RFPs are open) *Deadline: Various* Learn more

IMU-Simons Research Fellowship Program for Developing Countries

The IMU-Simons Research Fellowship Program for Developing Countries (2024-2027) supports mathematicians from developing countries to travel to a mathematical institution for **collaborative research** for up to **three months**. The research visit has to be tied to a specific research project and a collaborating institute. The program, spanning three years starting from April 15, 2024, is tailored for mathematicians holding a doctoral degree (PhD) in mathematics and holding a permanent position in a university faculty or similar institution within a developing country. Fellows are granted the flexibility to embark on research visits lasting from one to three months, with longer durations strongly encouraged. Funding is allocated to cover expenses for a maximum duration of 3 months incurred during the visit, including airfare to the host country, accommodation, local living expenses, and other pertinent costs.

It's important to note that while the grant amount may vary, partial grants below USD15,000 may be awarded based on the

IHI call 9: Boosting innovation for better assessment of the added value of innovative integrated healthcare solutions (Europe + associated countries + LMIC)

The *Innovative Health Initiative* (IHI) is a joint undertaking between the European Union and industry associations representing the sectors involved in healthcare. The IHI is part of the *Horizon Europe Framework Programme*. IHI call 9 is a single-stage call applicant-driven call with topics aligned with the specific objectives of the IHI Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda.

Topic 5: Boosting innovation for better assessment of the added value of innovative integrated healthcare solutions. The actions funded under this topic aim to enhance healthcare by fostering cross-sectoral innovations, integrated products, and services that deliver tangible benefits to patients, healthcare systems, and society. The expected impact includes improved patient access to innovations, better decision-making across healthcare levels, and faster market entry for cost-effective solutions, thereby strengthening the EU's health industry and technological leadership.

Applications are open to consortia of academic and industry partnerships in <u>Europe and countries associated with the</u> <u>Horizon Europe program, plus low and middle income</u> <u>countries</u>.

Co-funding of at least 45% is required. The grant provides a maximum of 12 million EUR.

Funding call: HORIZON-JU-IHI-2025-09-05-single-stage **Applications close on** April 29, 2025.

IHI call 9: Boosting innovation for better assessment of the added value of innovative integrated healthcare solutions (Europe + associated countries + LMIC)

The *Innovative Health Initiative* (IHI) is a joint undertaking between the European Union and industry associations representing the sectors involved in healthcare.

Topic 5: Boosting innovation for better assessment of the added value of innovative integrated healthcare solutions. Applications are open to consortia of academic and industry partnerships in <u>Europe and countries associated with the Horizon</u> <u>Europe program, plus low and middle income countries</u>.

Applications close on April 29, 2025.

https://www.scientifyresearch.org/grant/ihi-call10-pfashealthcare-europe/

A template invitation letter can be found <u>here.</u> The invitation has to come from the dean of the faculty for the host institution.

Confirmation letter by the home institution which clearly specifies the employment status of the grantee and that the applicant will be granted appropriate leave of absence from his/her home institution which will cover the period of the visit. A template can be found <u>here</u>.

Tentative budget presented in USD. Any additional support secured by the applicant from other institutions must be declared in the application.

Grant Details

The awarded amount ranges between **USD5,000 - USD15,000** The grant can only cover the following costs for up to **a maximum duration of three months**:

Airfare (economy class) to host country

Visa fees

Health Travel insurance

Daily Allowance (based on living cost of the visiting country/city according to the <u>IMU-CDC List</u>)

Accommodation cost in the host country (hotel is allowed for a maximum of 4 weeks if the host provides a statement that no guesthouse or rented flat is available. For stays longer than 4 weeks, only apartment or guesthouses can be accepted).

Airport transfers (Maximum of 4 taxi transfers between place of stay and airport for purpose of research visit upon arrival and departure)

Child support*

*Child support is provided solely to grantees who serve as the primary caregivers for accompanying children and lack alternative childcare arrangements during their research visit. If another family member is traveling with them, the child support can only be given in exceptional cases. In the application it has has to be mentioned if the researcher is planning to travel alone with the child or with another family member/relative.

Child support includes:

Maximum **USD1,500** for airfare of child (economy class) **USD100** monthly child allowance

Childcare services (subject to submission of an official invoice from the service provider/ institution) max. USD 400 monthly. Please note that the grant **does not** cover any travel costs, accommodation and living costs for requests for any attend additional trips during the visit, costs on these days (such as the daily allowance) will not be reimbursed. **nThe grant is disbursed in two installments:** First payment for flight tickets, visa fees, travel insurance, and accommodation and 50% of living costs. (Maximum 80% of the awarded grant). Second payment: remaining expenses *after the visit* and *after submitting the final report.*

To receive the second payment the report, pictures and copies of all relevant invoices and receipts must be sent to the IMU Secretariat. The grantee must submit a detailed financial and activity report and with all invoices and boarding tickets to the IMU Secretariat (via email) **four weeks after the conclusion of the visit**.

Selection Committee: The Grant Selection Committee (GSC) consists of the CDC Secretary for Grants Selection as Chair and has six other members, three from CDC and three others, each representing Latin America, Africa and Asia respectively.

Note: If you do not receive an automated reply after submitting the application, let us know

via cdc.grants@mathunion.org

Applicants for this program cannot simultaneously apply for the Abel Visiting Scholar program.

Applicants currently holding a grant for research visits from the IMU-CDC cannot apply for this program until their activity has concluded.

Successful applicants cannot reapply for the program within the same year.

In case of cancellation of the research visit, all reimbursed costs must be returned to the IMU-CDC.

For Details: <u>https://www.mathunion.org/cdc/grants/grants-</u> research-visits/imu-simons-research-fellowship-programdeveloping-countries

Global Infectious Disease Research Training (GID)

This program addresses research training needs related to infectious diseases that predominantly impact people living in developing countries. The focus is on a major endemic or lifethreatening emerging infectious disease, neglected tropical disease, infections that frequently occur as a co-infection in HIV infected individuals, or infections associated with noncommunicable disease conditions of public health importance in LMICs.

Link: https://www.fic.nih.gov/Programs/Pages/infectiousdisease.aspx

Research Grants on Education: Small

Application Deadlines: Applications Open: Mid-February, 2025 Full Proposal Deadline: Mid-April, 2025

Program contact: smallgrants@spencer.org

The Small Research Grants on Education Program supports education research projects that will contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived, with budgets up to \$50,000 for projects ranging from one to five years. We accept applications three times per year.

This program is "field-initiated" in that proposal submissions are not in response to a specific request for a particular research topic, discipline, design, method, or location. Our goal for this program is to support rigorous, intellectually ambitious and technically sound research that is relevant to the most pressing questions and compelling opportunities in education.

Details: https://www.spencer.org/grant_types/small-research-grant

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS: SMALL GRANTS FOR AFRICAN HERITAGE PROJECTS

The **Heritage Management Organization (HERITAGE)** is launching a new call for concept notes for small grants (\$5000-\$50000) for organizations, groups, and individuals working with heritage in Africa.

The grants are part of our Heritage Management Project – Africa (HerMaP-Africa) which is funded by the Mellon Foundation's Humanities in Place program. They will fund projects that focus on the protection of and/or promotion of local heritage for socio-economic development in the continent.

"We are looking to untap the potential of heritage in Africa, in order to make a difference for the development of local communities, " said HERITAGE Director, Dr. Evangelos Kyriakidis. "Heritage has the ability to empower and we are ready to partner with local organizations around the continent to this end."

Applicants will have to demonstrate that their project addresses one or more of three criteria:

1) Sustainability – Our focus is on projects that will have a lasting impact, much beyond the duration of the project, for example protecting heritage sites from desertification by creating green belts, preserving/stabilizing/restoring and adaptively reusing a historic building for community needs, researching the public heritage landscape, installing solar

panels at heritage sites to generate income or decrease expenditure in the long term, building eco-friendly tourism infrastructure, direct interventions that strengthen social institutions, like traditional methods of mediation, etc.

2) Capacity development and network building – We encourage projects that strengthen local skills and build closer links with peer organizations in the HERITAGE network. Examples include on-the-job training in preventive conservation (e.g clearing or fencing sites), experience and expertise exchanges with other local NGOs on shared issues such as desertification or erosion of sites, co-operative training on museum exhibition design, etc.

3) Concrete and community impact – We encourage projects with strong, measurable incomes in terms of heritage protection and benefits to local people. Each project should provide clear indicators of the planned impact. These indicators will depend on the type of work carried out but some examples include increased visitation to a heritage site or program, financial benefits to the local community in terms of increased employment opportunities or local businesses created; tourism earnings; money savings by solar panel installation; the size of area protected from desertification, etc.

To apply for these grants please complete the concept note <u>application form you will find here.</u>

About HerMaP-Africa: Made possible by a \$5 million grant from the **Mellon Foundation**'s **Humanities in Place** program, it aims to strengthen **HERITAGE**'s Africa programs, fund initiatives that link heritage with socio-economic impact, develop the capacity of local organizations, and help them preserve African heritage and culture.

About The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation: The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation is the largest supporter of the arts and humanities in the United States. Since 1969, the Foundation has been guided by its core belief that the humanities and arts are essential to human understanding. The Foundation believes that the arts and humanities are where we express our complex humanity and that everyone deserves the beauty, transcendence, and freedom that can be found there. Through its grants, it seeks to build just communities enriched by meaning and empowered by critical thinking, where ideas and imagination can thrive. Learn more at <u>mellon.org</u>. **Deadline**: Open

Wellcome Development Career Awards

This scheme provides funding for mid-career researchers who have the potential to be international research leaders. They will develop their research capabilities, drive innovative programmes of work and deliver significant shifts in understanding related to human life, health and wellbeing.

Lead Applicant Career State: Mid-Career Researchers Administering organisation location: UK, Republic of Ireland, Low- or middle-income countries (apart from mainland China)

Funding duration: Usually 8 years, but may be less for some disciplines, and may only be longer if held on a part-time basis. **Funding Amount:** You should ask for the resources you need for your research programme – see the 'Research costs we'll

cover' section on this page. You will need to work with your organisation to justify your request in the context of the support they will provide. The annual expenditure for a Career Development Award is usually below £250,000 excluding the applicant's salary. Applications above this value will be subject to additional scrutiny.

Strategic programme: Discovery Research, Climate and Health, Discovery research schemes, Infectious disease, Discovery research schemes, Mental Health, Discovery research schemes.

Frequency: Three times a year - Upcoming deadlines in November 2024 and April 2025.

Coapplicants: Not Accepted

Deadline: 03 April, 2025.

Link: https://wellcome.org/grant-funding/schemes

Global Health Research - Health Policy and Systems 2025

Our Global Health Research - Health Policy and Systems (GHR-HPS) programmes fund research to improve the understanding and effectiveness of health systems in low and middle income countries (LMICs).

How to apply

We will be launching a funding opportunity under our new HPS programmes model on 26 February 2025.

For Details: https://www.nihr.ac.uk/research-funding/globalhealth

Wellcome Discovery Awards

This scheme provides funding for established researchers and teams from any discipline who want to pursue bold and creative research ideas to deliver significant shifts in understanding related to human life, health and wellbeing. Lead Applicant Career State: Established Researchers Administering organisation location: UK, Republic of Ireland, Low- or middle-income countries (apart from mainland China) Funding duration: Usually 8 years, but may be less for some disciplines, and may only be longer if held on a part-time basis. Funding Amount: You should ask for the resources you need for your research programme - see the 'Research costs we'll cover' section on this page. You will need to justify this in your application. The average size of a Discovery Award is £3.5 million. Applications above £5 million will be subject to additional scrutiny. Strategic programme: Discovery Research, Climate and Health, Discovery research schemes, Infectious disease, Discovery research schemes, Mental Health, Discovery research schemes. Frequency: Three times a year - Upcoming deadlines in November 2024 and April 2025. Coapplicants: Not Accepted

Deadline: 08 April, 2025. Link: https://wellcome.org/grant-funding/schemes

Wellcome Early Career Awards

This scheme provides funding for early-career researchers from any discipline who are ready to develop their research identity. Through innovative projects, they will deliver shifts in understanding related to human life, health and wellbeing. By the end of the award, they will be ready to lead their own independent research programme.

Lead Applicant Career State: Early Career Researhers Administering organisation location: UK, Republic of Ireland, Low- or middle-income countries (apart from mainland China) Funding duration: Usually 5 years, but may be less for some disciplines, and may only be longer if held on a part-time basis.

Funding Amount: Your salary and up to £400,000 for research expenses. Certain costs do not count towards the £400,000 research expenses limit. Check 'Research costs we'll cover' for more information.

Strategic programme: Discovery Research, Climate and Health, Discovery research schemes, Infectious disease, Discovery research schemes, Mental Health, Discovery research schemes. **Frequency:** Three times a year

Coapplicants: Not Accepted

Deadline: 25 February, 2025.

Link: https://wellcome.org/grant-funding/schemes

NEW GRANTS OF UP TO \$15,000 FOR AFRICA-BASED EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT RESEARCHERS

Grants Overview

Deadline: Friday, 28 February 2025 at 23:59 GMT **Countries of research:** Ghana, Kenya, Mozambique, Tanzania (priority), and other eligible sub-Saharan African countries Grant amount: Up to \$15,000

Time period for carrying out research: Ten months Application form: https://forms.gle/5Ut98kfuizG8VSXBA Are you passionate about transforming the lives of young children in Africa? The <u>Research for Equitable Access and</u> Learning (REAL) Centre at the University of Cambridge and <u>Education Sub Saharan Africa (ESSA)</u>, with funding from the Conrad N. Hilton Foundation, are offering grants of up to \$15,000 to support African Early Childhood Development (ECD) researchers in Central, East, West and Southern Africa. **Context and importance:** This initiative is part of Phase 2 of an ECD-focused project. We are building on our efforts in <u>Phase 1</u> to identify the researchers, understand their professional needs, strengthen their research capacity, and address critical challenges facing the region's youngest learners.

For more details, please refer to the concept note <u>here</u>. Why this matters: ECD is the foundation for lifelong learning and societal progress. However, the challenges are significant:

250 million children under five in low- and middle-income countries risk falling short of their developmental potential (<u>WHO, 2020</u>).

Early childhood development is key to school readiness. Children in Africa are five times less likely to achieve basic reading proficiency by the end of primary school compared to their global peers (<u>UNESCO, 2023</u>).

Why fund African ECD researchers? Funding African ECD researchers based in Africa is crucial because they possess the local knowledge and contextual understanding needed to address the unique challenges faced by children in their regions. By empowering these researchers, we can: Develop context-specific, policy-relevant solutions that are more effective and sustainable.

Build local research capacity, ensuring long-term improvements in ECD.

Foster collaboration and knowledge sharing within the African research community.

What is on offer? A total of 20 to 25 grants will support highimpact, policy-relevant research focused on topics that involve education and its interplay with one or more of: health, nutrition, caregiving, play, or environmental protection for children aged 0 to 8 years. Funding will cover research activities, including costs related to data collection (as relevant), analysis, and dissemination.

Research proposed for funding via this grant can also be supported by other financial sources, but other support must not have already been covered by any of the research costs requested under this grant.

Focus countries: Focus countries are Ghana, Kenya, Tanzania, and Mozambique. In addition, funds will be available for successful applications from Central, East, West and Southern Africa. Collaborative projects between institutions or countries are encouraged.

Eligibility: Africa-based African researchers with a PhD, working in a relevant research-oriented institution or unit, such as a university, research think tank, or research unit in government department/ministry are eligible to lead applications for these grants. Applications must focus on context-specific, policyrelevant and actionable research addressing key ECD challenges.

Webinar

On 23 January 2025, ESSA and the REAL Centre hosted an engaging webinar about grants available. We were excited to see such an incredible turnout, with over 300 participants representing 16 African countries. It is inspiring to see such a strong commitment to driving impactful Early Childhood Development research across the continent.

If you missed the live session, you can watch <u>the recording</u> <u>here</u>.

For Details: https://essa-africa.org/node/1972

Wellcome Early-Career Award

This scheme provides funding for early-career researchers from any discipline who are ready to develop their research identity. Through innovative projects, they will deliver shifts in understanding related to human life, health and wellbeing. By the end of the award, they will be ready to lead their own independent research programme. **Frequency:** Three times a year

Funding Amount: Your salary and up to £400,000 for research expenses. If eligible, you may also request additional funding for overseas allowances, overheads and adjustment support.

Funding Duration: Usually 5 years, but may be less for some disciplines, and may only be longer if held on a part-time basis.

Coapplicant: Not accepted

Who can apply: You can apply to this scheme if you are an early-career researcher and you are ready to design, plan and deliver your own innovative research project that aims to:

- advance understanding in your field
- develop methodologies, conceptual frameworks, tools or techniques that could benefit health-related research.

Lead applicant career stage and experience

- completed a PhD (for example, in the life sciences) or an equivalent higher research degree. At the point of application you must have passed your viva examination. Or
- if you have not started a PhD or equivalent degree, at least four years' equivalent research experience (for example, in the humanities and social sciences).

You may also have some postdoctoral experience in your proposed field of study, but no more than three years unless you can demonstrate how other factors have impacted on your research career. When we review how much postdoctoral experience you have, we will allow for part-time work, the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic, career breaks (for example, parental leave or long-term sick leave) and other significant amounts of time spent outside research (for example, clinical training) **Application deadline**: 25 February 2025, 17.00 GMT **For Details**: https://wellcome.org/grant-funding/schemes/earlycareer-awards

The Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study (NIAS) Fellowship

Who should apply?

NIAS seeks scholars who are willing to ask bold questions, challenge conventional thinking, and engage deeply with their research and each other. This is more than a research institute – it is a place where you can experience, learn, and help protect academic freedoms.

NIAS Fellowships

The Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study (NIAS) offers a wealth of fellowships. Besides the NIAS individual and group fellowships, we offer several fellowships in cooperation with our partners:

- Distinguished NIAS Lorentz Fellowship: for scholars bridging the humanities, social sciences and natural or technological sciences.
- Safe Haven Fellowship: for scholars, artists and journalists unable to work in their home countries due to conflict or war.
- The L'Oréal-UNESCO For Women in Science Fellowship stimulates the scientific careers of talented young women in Life Sciences and STEM.
- NIAS-NIOD-KITLV Fellowship: focuses on "Moving Objects, Mobilising Culture in the Context of (De)Colonisation". For researchers from formerly colonised countries studying collections in the Netherlands.
- The Golestan Fellowship is aimed at researchers from the medical or biological sciences.
- Willem F. Duisenberg Fellowship: for researchers in the field of applied monetary economics, macro-economics or public finance.
- Fellowships aimed at writers, artists and journalists.

Apply now or spread the word

Applications are open until 17 March 2025 (12:00 CET). To maintain sound selection procedures, NIAS will cap the 2025 Open Call for Fellowships at 215 applications for the first time. This cap does not apply to applicants from the so-called Global South. Only the first 215 eligible submissions will be considered for the 2026-2027 academic year.

The Call opens on 15 January 2025 and closes on 17 March 2025 at 12:00 noon CET. Applicants are strongly encouraged to submit early to secure consideration.

If this isn't the right opportunity for you, please share it with your network. Any questions about applying for a fellowship can be addressed to selection@nias.knaw.nl.

Travel Grants for Women 2024/2025

Travel Grants for Women: The objective of the NSF-AWM Women Travel Grants program is to enable women to attend research conferences in their fields, thereby providing a valuable opportunity to advance their research activities and their visibility in the research community.

Travel Grants for Women will include;

(a) The _Mathematics Travel Grants provide full or partial support for travel and subsistence for a meeting or conference in the applicant's field of specialization.

A maximum of \$1,500 for domestic travel and of \$2,000 for foreign travel will be available.

(b) The Mathematics _Education Research Travel grants provide full or partial support for travel and subsistence in math/math education research, for mathematicians attending a math education research conference or math education researchers attending a math conference.

A maximum of \$1,500 for domestic travel and \$2,000 for foreign travel will be available.

Application Deadlines February 1, May 1 and October 1 each year.

For more information and application, see website: <u>AWM</u> <u>Travel Grants for Women</u>

<u>Swiss National Science Foundation — Postdoc</u> <u>Mobility</u>

Postdoc researchers who wish to pursue an academic career in Switzerland are invited to apply to the Postdoc.Mobility fellowships. The research stay enables researchers to acquire more in-depth knowledge, increases their scientific independence, and enhances their research profile. The fellowships include a grant for subsistence costs, a flat rate for travel expenses, and a possible contribution to research and conference costs. The funding period is 24 months. Foreign nationals are eligible if they have at least 2 years of research activity at a Swiss research institution. The application deadlines are 01 February and 02 August 2025. **Postdoc.Mobility**:

https://www.snf.ch/en/XIZpfY3iVS5KRRoD/funding/careers/p ostdoc-mobility

Travel Grants

Application Deadline: 16 March 2025

Applications will open on 16 December 2024 Travel Grants are available to help those who may find it difficult to afford the travel and registration costs associated with attending the meeting. Travel Grants are available to IES Early Career Members, as well as scientists and physicians at any career stage who reside in a Low/Lower-Middle/Upper-Middle economy and require financial assistance. While applicants can receive the award more than once, priority will be given to those who have not previously received a Travel Grant.

Application Requirements:

Candidates must provide:

- A short letter of application, including the reasons for applying.
- A copy of their abstract.
- A letter of recommendation from a supervisor/mentor (does not have to be a member of IES) or a colleague who is a current member of IES.
- A copy of their Curriculum Vitae.

We aim to make our Congress accessible and affordable for all attendees, ensuring a diverse and inclusive environment. If you have any questions or need further information, please contact us at info@eosinophil-society.org.

Details: <u>Travel Grants</u> | International Eosinophil Society 2025 Congress

Short-term Research Stays 2024-25 at SCAS

General Fellowship, Barbro Klein Fellowship & Global Horizons Fellowship Programmes Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study (SCAS).

Application Deadline: February 28, 2025

Details: http://0w745.mjt.lu/lnk/AWYAAEH-

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Global Fund for Women Travel Grants

The Global Fund for Women awards grants to support operational and programmatic costs as well as small grants for organizing and participating in events to enable women's organizations to build strong movements.

Forms must be submitted at least 8 weeks prior to the start date of the event.

Deadline: Applications are Accepted All Year Round.

DMM Conference Travel Grants

General guidelines:

- Maximum funding is set at £400 within the home country and at £600 for meetings overseas.
- The amount given depends on demand and may provide only a portion of the requested funding.
- Applicants who are presenting talks or displaying posters might be looked on more favourably than those who are not.
- DMM does not fund applications made retrospectively, so please submit your application in good time.
- DMM reserves the right to reject applications to attend conferences or workshops that it considers to be possibly 'predatory' in design. We strongly encourage applicants to judge the legitimacy and credentials of conferences to help decide whether or not to attend.

The <u>Think.Check.Attend</u> initiative might be useful in this regard.

- The date of travel must occur within six months of funding being awarded.
- Unsuccessful applicants may not submit a new application within 12 months of their initial application unless otherwise advised to by the Grants Administrator.
- Applicants should not have received other funding from The Company of Biologists in the past 12 months.
- Funding of multiple applications from the same lab or department will be limited, and it is likely that only one will be awarded each round.

Guidelines for completing the application:

- The application and all supporting documents must be completed in English.
- It is your responsibility to ensure that you meet the criteria required for a grant.
- Expenses include registration fees, travel, subsistence, accommodation and visa fees. Travel insurance costs are not to be included in the expenses.

Please upload the following documents to your application (note: all letters of support must be in English, on headed paper and signed).

• For PhD students and post-doctoral researchers: a supporting letter from your supervisor confirming your status.

- For independent group leaders and PIs: a supporting letter from your Head of Department confirming that no independent funding is available to attend meetings and courses.
- A short justification for your proposal outlining why you should be awarded the grant.
- A copy of any abstract submitted to the meeting or conference for which funding is requested.
- Curriculum Vitae.

Terms and conditions for successful applicants:

- Support from DMM and The Company of Biologists should be acknowledged in any presentations given or posters displayed at the meeting or course (logo will be supplied).
- Any unspent funds must be returned within one month of the end of the travel.
- If for any reason you do not attend the conference, workshop or course, please email <u>dmmtravelgrants@biologists.com</u>. Please also arrange for the funds to be returned, in full.
- Successful applicants will be required to keep all of the receipts related to the visit to upload on the via the online application portal on your return.
- Successful applicants will be required to provide a 250-word meeting report and at least two bright, clear photographs.
- We may use material from your report on our website, in social media, and in other promotional materials. If you have any concerns about the use of your material, please let us know in advance.

Deadline dates, applicant handbook and FAQs DMM will consider applications to attend virtual and online scientific meetings, conferences, workshops and training courses.

Deadline dates for applications: 2024 and 2025

- 1 November 2024 (for travel after 9 December 2024*)
- 28 February 2025 (for travel after 14 April 2025*)
- 30 May 2025 (for travel after 21 July 2025*)
- 29 August 2025 (for travel after 13 October 2025*)

• 1 October 2025 (for travel after 8 December 2025*) **For Details**: https://www.biologists.com/grants/dmm-conference-travel-grants/

Boehringer Ingelheim Travel Grants

Travel Grants by Boehringer Ingelheim Fonds: Boehringer Ingelheim Travel Grants are for junior researchers pursuing experimental projects in basic biomedical research.

Who Can Apply for a Travel Grant? Non-European citizens who will use the travel grant to work in Europe can apply.

The Travel Grant

Travel grants are awarded for short-term visits of up to 3 months. Boehringer Ingelheimprovides a flat-rate contribution which may cover the expenses for travel, lodging and course fees.

Travel Grant Timing: Applications may be submitted at any time. To allow sufficient time for the selection procedure, applications should reach the Boehringer Ingelheim Fonds at least 6 weeks before the planned date of departure.

Conditions for Travel Grants: Researchers can be awarded one travel grant during a period of 12 months.

How to apply for the Travel Grant: The application should be completed in English and by the applicant personally.

Deadline: Applications accepted all year round

For more scholarship information and application, see: Boehringer Ingelheim Travel Grants

Travel Grants

About Travel Grants

The Travel Grant Program was established to support students, early career scientists, and attendees from low and low-middleincome countries (according to the OECD definition) with an accepted abstract. Please remember the abstract number and abbreviated name of the symposium where your abstract was submitted, as it is required in the travel grant application.

The support can be requested to get a waived Registration fee (at the early registration rate) OR Living/Travel Expenses (lump sum) OR a waived Registration Fee + Living/Travel expenses (registration fee + lump sum).

Key Dates

Applications for the IAGA / IASPEI 2025 Travel Grants Program are open until **12 March 2025**.

The IAGA / IASPEI 2025 Secretariat will notify successful applicants by **17 April 2025**.

Applicants granted a waived registration fee will be provided a discount code. Applicants granted monetary support will receive it onsite. All applicants granted any form of support are required to complete their registration via online registration system by **8** May 2025.

For Details: https://iaga-iaspei-2025.org/tra

Travel Grants by the ISPRS Foundation for GSW 2025, 6 -11 April 2025

The ISPRS Foundation (TIF) will be offering travel grants to deserving applicants, especially from developing countries, to participate in the Geospatial Week (Dubai GSW'2025), April 2025, Dubai, UAE.

Please note that TIF has limited amount of travel grant funds to support limited number of applicants and that the grants may not cover all the financial expenditures needed for the travel, food and stay. Applicants are therefore expected to mobilise additional funds from other funding sources to support their participation.

Important dates for applicants for travel grants sponsored by The ISPRS Foundation

- Applications for travel grants "live" on TIF web site : October 20, 2024
- Deadline for submission of travel grant applications : January 12, 2025
- Decision and notification of successful applicants : February 2, 2025
- Notification of acceptance of travel grant to Operations Officer : February 9, 2025

Submission of Application:

https://www.isprs.org/foundation/forms/Travel_Grants.aspx For Details: https://gsw2025.ae/travel-grants/

Global Travel Grants

SSA's Global Travel Grant program offers early-career and student members financial support to participate in scientific conferences and workshops anywhere in the world. Since 2018, sixteen SSA members have been given the opportunity to attend international conferences and present their research.

"The Global Travel Grant is special among other grants," says Leah Salditch, a 2019 grant recipient. "Not many professional societies provide you with the means to attend other meetings, especially ones in other countries." It's an opportunity to improve science, she adds, by "sharing [information] across political borders." The grant program is competitive, and applicants are required to submit an application and a letter of support. Applications are accepted every year in February and July.

If you would like to support the Global Travel Grant program, please donate to the <u>SSA General Fund</u>.

Next Application Period: February 2025

For Details: https://www.seismosoc.org/awards/global-travelgrant/

IUIS 2025 Travel Award

We are excited to announce that the IUIS 2025 Congress will provide travel grants to participants from Low- and Middle-Income Countries (LMICs). These grants will help promote diversity and global collaboration by supporting talented researchers and professionals who might otherwise be unable to attend.

We are actively seeking financial support and enable wider participation. Eligible participants from LMICs will have the opportunity to express their interest in travel support during the abstract submission process.

If you want to apply for travel grants, please check the guidelines in the button below.

CHECK THE TRAVEL GRANT GUIDELINES HERE

For Details: https://iuis2025.org/travel-grants/

ESERA ECR Travel Grants 2025

Submission deadline: 12th January 2025 (22h00 CET)

ESERA is offering travel grants of up to 1.000 euros for early career researchers to visit other countries to meet science education researchers with expertise relevant to applicants' project. The grants can be granted to ESERA members* who are currently enrolled in doctoral studies, or who were awarded their doctorate no more than 3 years before the submission deadline. Applicants with career breaks are also welcome to apply even if they were awarded their doctorate more than 3 years before the submission deadline.

For 2025, ten grants will be funded. Grantees can either be:

- 1. affiliated with an institution in Europe and use the grant to visit any institution worldwide, or
- 2. affiliated with an institution outside of Europe and use the grant to visit an institution in Europe.

Applicants should plan the visit in collaboration with their host researcher. The grants are for researchers to share expertise, address an issue of concern in the applicant's work, or to otherwise advance the applicant's research. Grants can be used to pay for travel, accommodation and/or subsistence. Grants are not intended to support attendance at conferences or summer schools, nor visits that are part of an established collaboration. Reports from previous grants 2024 can be viewed on the ESERA website.

Brocher Foundation Research for Human being and Society Call for Proposals for 2026

Configuration

Workshops may have a maximum of 30 participants of which 12 participants (including a minimum of 6 coming from European countries) will be entirely sponsored by the Foundation (travel, accommodation, and catering).

Travel Grant

The Brocher Foundation offers a grant of up to a maximum of CHF 6000 to cover the travel expenses of 12 participants.

- a) The grant covers only air/railway travel costs and cannot be allocated to other costs (such as taxis).
- b) CHF 3000 will be paid when the proposal is selected. The applicants will have to submit a financial report at the latest 60 days after the end of the workshop. It will have to include a summary with receipts of travel expenses of each sponsored participant (maximum 2 pages). The remaining amount will be paid to your institution after receipt of the requested material.
- c) If the grant amount is not fully spent by the applicants, the credit balance will be retained by the Foundation.
- d) The grant only covers round trip economy class plane or train tickets to Geneva.
- e) If the workshop is cancelled, the Foundation will request a refund of the CHF 3000.
- f) Invoices must include an amount in Swiss Francs and will be paid in Swiss Francs to avoid any exchange currency rate differences.

Deadline: Applications must be submitted by March 6 2025 at 1PM GENEVA TIME (not GMT).

For Details:

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European Commission — Marie Curie Postdoctoral Fellowships 2025

The Marie Skłodowska-Curie Postdoctoral Fellowships provide opportunities to acquire and transfer new knowledge and to work on research in a European context or outside Europe. The scheme particularly supports the return and re-integration of researchers from outside Europe who have previously worked there. It also develops or helps to re-start the careers of individual researchers that show great potential, considering their experience. Applicants in the EU; their overseas territories; countries associated with Horizon 2020; and most developing countries are eligible for consideration. The closing date for applications is 10 September 2025.



Developing Nations Travel Awards

The Botanical Society of America is pleased to offer several trave BOTANY 2025 - Botany without Barriers conference July 26-30, lc international collaboration and foster connections within our inter financial help to those in need of assistance to attend this importa Applicants for the Developing Nations travel award **must be living nation** (excluding China) to the conference. Applicants must be **cu** America. **Applicants must also present an oral presentation or pc** have won this award the year before.

APPLICATIONS:

In the award submission you will be required to provide your nam title of your abstract, a link to your submitted abstract and a one-t BOTANY 2025 is important to you and your career in the botanical

Deadline is March 3, 2025.

Submit Your Application

Current BSA members can access the awards portal by <u>clicking her</u> Once signed in, click on the "**2025 - Developing Nations Travel Aw** says "+ Create New Travel Award Application" at the bottom if you

Please feel free to email <u>bsa-manager@botany.org</u> with any quest process.



Details: https://botany.org/home/awards/awards-forestablished-scientists/developing-nations-travel-grants.html

Short-term Research Stays 2024-25 at SCAS

General Fellowship, Barbro Klein Fellowship & Global Horizons Fellowship Programmes Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study (SCAS).

Application Deadline: February 28, 2025

For Details: <u>http://0w745.mjt.lu/lnk/AWYAAEH-aSUAAABZnyQAAAoxYeUAAAAA-</u>

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DMM Conference Travel Grants

General guidelines:

- Maximum funding is set at £400 within the home country and at £600 for meetings overseas.
- The amount given depends on demand and may provide only a portion of the requested funding.
- Applicants who are presenting talks or displaying posters might be looked on more favourably than those who are not.
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The <u>Think.Check.Attend</u> initiative might be useful in this regard.

- The date of travel must occur within six months of funding being awarded.
- Unsuccessful applicants may not submit a new application within 12 months of their initial application unless otherwise advised to by the Grants Administrator.
- Applicants should not have received other funding from The Company of Biologists in the past 12 months.
- Funding of multiple applications from the same lab or department will be limited, and it is likely that only one will be awarded each round.

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- 28 February 2025 (for travel after 14 April 2025*)
- 30 May 2025 (for travel after 21 July 2025*)
- 29 August 2025 (for travel after 13 October 2025*)
- 1 October 2025 (for travel after 8 December 2025*)

For Details: https://www.biologists.com/grants/dmm-conference-travel-grants/

British Ecological Society — Training & Travel Grants

The British Ecological Society (BES) makes grants to PhD students and postgraduate research assistants to meet the costs of specialist field training courses and to network and publicize their research at workshops and conferences. Applicants must be members of BES. However, there are no restrictions on the nationality or residence of applicants. Grants of up to £500 are available. The program has two funding rounds annually. **Deadlines:** on 10 March and 08 September 2025. <u>Training & Travel grants</u>

Empower the Next Generation of Scientists!

We need your help to bring **500 early-career scientists** from low-and middle-income countries to the **19th International Congress of Immunology (IUIS2025)** in Vienna, Austria, 17-22 August 2025.

Support emerging researchers so they can gain knowledge, network with top scientists, and bring valuable skills and cutting-edge research back to their communities. **IUIS 2025 Travel Award** recipients will receive registration, round-trip tickets, 5 nights' accommodation and onsite support through dedicated orientation and targeted networking sessions. IUIS 2025, the world's largest immunology congress, will convene over **5,000 delegates from 150 countries**. Join us! Sponsorship levels include:

- Visionary: Sponsor 100+ scientists
- Change-maker: Sponsor 40+ scientists
- Leader: Sponsor 20+ scientists
- Supporter: Sponsor 10+ scientists
- Friend: Sponsor 5+ scientists

Contributors will be recognized across Congress communications, newsletters, invitations to connect with recipients and on-site acknowledgments.

Looking for a long-lasting impact? IUIS has a NEW! Corporate Partnership Program to offer long-term collaboration dedicated to advancing immunology and global health. Join us in shaping the future of immunology without borders. Contact us at info@iuis.org or call +49 (0)30 24603-407.

New Lecturer Research Grant

This grant aims to boost innovative microbiological research that aligns with AMI's strategic goals, particularly focusing on contributing to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals(UNSDGs).This grant is designed to support the research of newly appointed lecturers, investigators, assistant professors, and assistant researchers in sustainable applied microbiology.

Eligibility:

- New lecturers in their first permanent academic appointment in a higher education institute.
- Open to current AMI Full or Associate members with a minimum of 13 months continuous active membership.

- Not previously awarded a major research grant (£30,000+) from other sources.
- Not previously received this award
- Preference for projects demonstrating potential for significant societal or environmental impact.

Grant Details and Financial Support:

- Funding of up to £10,000 for successful applicants to support the initiation or enhancement of research projects.
- Payments will be made to the individual's institution only.
- Claims for reimbursement should be made every 3–4 months and be completed within 24 months from the project start date. Claims made after this period will NOT be paid.

Application Requirements:

• A comprehensive research proposal aligned with sustainable applied microbiology.

Selection Criteria:

- Alignment with AMI's strategic objectives and the UNSDGs.
- Potential for innovative research in sustainable applied microbiology.
- Academic merit and feasibility of the proposed research project.

Post-Award Requirements:

- Submission of annual progress reports and final outcomes of the research.
- Expectation to submit findings in at least one paper to Sustainable Microbiology (SMI). The successful candidate will be eligible to receive one automatic waiver for Article Publication Charges (APCs) for this.
- Engagement with AMI output e.g. a webinar or *The Microbiologist* article
- Acknowledgment of AMI's support in any publications or presentations resulting from the research.
- Periodical claims should be made by invoice and include a breakdown of costs and all relevant receipts.

Application Process:

• Application deadline: 30th April annually.

For Details:

https://appliedmicrobiology.org/membership/grants-awards/nlrg.html

Travel Grants

About Travel Grants

The Travel Grant Program was established to support students, early career scientists, and attendees from low and low-middleincome countries (according to the OECD definition) with an accepted abstract. Please remember the abstract number and abbreviated name of the symposium where your abstract was submitted, as it is required in the travel grant application.

The support can be requested to get

a waived Registration fee (at the early registration rate) OR Living/Travel Expenses (lump sum) OR

a waived Registration Fee + Living/Travel expenses (registration fee + lump sum)

Key Dates

Applications for the IAGA / IASPEI 2025 Travel Grants Program are open until **12 March 2025**.

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Applicants granted a waived registration fee will be provided a discount code. Applicants granted monetary support will receive it onsite. All applicants granted any form of support are required to complete their registration via online registration system by **8 May 2025.**

For Details: https://iaga-iaspei-2025.org/travel-grant/

West African Research Association — Predoctoral Fellowship

January 20, 2025 by Ilka Westermeyer

The West African Research Association, (WARA) offers predoctoral fellowships. The fellowship is for 2 to 3 months of research in West Africa during summer. This competition is open to U.S. citizens who are currently enrolled in graduate programs at institutions of higher education in the United States. Each fellowship will provide round-trip travel to a West African country and a stipend of up to US\$3,500.

Applications must be submitted by 23 February 2025.

WARA Pre-doctoral Fellowship

For Details: https://www.terravivagrants.org/tag/travel-mobility/

Travelling Fellowships

Applicants should be working in the field of the journal to which they apply and plan to visit another laboratory. Each application will be judged on the excellence of the candidate, as well as the importance and innovative quality of the work to be done. Please review the <u>Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)</u> before completing and submitting your application.

Note: We are unable to pay awards to recipients in jurisdictions, countries or regions of the world subject to sanctions, embargoes or other political trade restrictions put in place by the United Nations, the EU or the UK.

Conditions of the Travelling Fellowship

- 1. If your application is successful, you will be required to sign our Travelling Fellowship Agreement.
- 2. You may only apply to one journal. Please ensure that the chosen journal is the most relevant to your field of study.
- If for any reason you do not carry out your collaborative visit or it is delayed beyond six months of the award, please email <u>tf@biologists.com</u>. Please also arrange for the Travelling Fellowship funds to be returned, in full.
- 4. Any unspent funds must be returned within one month of the end of the visit.
- 5. You must provide at least two bright, clear photographs and a 250-500 word summary of the results obtained from your visit within 3 months of return from the host lab.
- 6. You must keep all of the receipts related to your visit and send to the Charity Administrator within one month of completion of your visit. These must be scanned and uploaded via the online application portal.

Deadline dates, applicant handbook & FAQs 2024 and 2025

- 25 October 2024 (for travel after 9 December 2024*)
- 31 January 2025 (for travel after 17 March 2025*)
- 2 May 2025 (for travel after 16 June 2025*)
- 8 August 2025 (for travel after 22 September 2025*)
- 24 October 2025 (for travel after 8 December 2025*)

For Details: <u>https://www.biologists.com/grants/travelling-</u><u>fellowships/</u>

West African Research Association — Postdoctoral Fellowship

The West African Research Association, (WARA) offers postdoctoral fellowships. The fellowship is for 2 to 3 months of research in West Africa during summer. This competition is open to U.S. citizens holding a Ph.D. Each fellowship will provide round-trip travel to a West African country and a stipend of up to US\$3,500.

Applications must be submitted by 23 February 2025. WARA Post-doctoral Fellowship

University of Bonn — SDG Fellowships

The University of Bonn invites international postdoctoral fellows for a joint research project on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The scientists will research and teach together with a professor from the University of Bonn for one or two semesters. The university seeks collaborations with universities and research institutes in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. Post-doctoral researchers invited by a professor of the University of Bonn for a joint research project are eligible. The funding can cover a travel allowance, a scholarship of €3 thousand per month, and a research expense allowance of up to €500 per month. The application must be submitted by a full-time professor at the University of Bonn together with the fellow.

Deadline is 31 March 2025. Bonn SDG Fellowships

American Association of Zoo Veterinarians — International Grants for Conference Participation 2025

The American Association of Zoo Veterinarians (AAZV) provides financial aid to zoo and wildlife veterinarians from outside of the USA to participate in the AAZV's annual conferences. Preference is given to applicants from developing countries with demonstrable financial needs and focused educational/ conservation goals. Grants are normally up to US\$2 thousand. **The application deadline is 31 March 2025.**

2025. Training & Travel grants

West African Scholar Mobility Fellowship

The West African Research Association (WARA) is pleased to announce researching funding and support for young West African scholars through its **West African Scholar Mobility Fellowship (WASMF)** program. This program reflects our commitment to increasing opportunities for emerging West African scholars, and of enhancing transatlantic exchange and collaboration. The WASMF is for 2 to 3 month's research in West Africa during the summer of the current year for the purpose of preparing a doctoral research proposal or conducting doctoral research.

This competition is open to West African citizens who are currently enrolled in graduate programs at institutions of higher education in the United States. (West African citizens with U.S. citizenship are not eligible.) Priority will be given to applicants who are at the pre-dissertation stage and who demonstrate financial need.

The West African Scholar Mobility Fellowship program will award one pre-doctoral grant of \$4,000 for travel to West Africa to conduct research.

Application requirements:

- Abstract (50-80 words)
- Proposal (6 pages double spaced)
- Resume or CV
- Itemized budget (including estimated costs for housing, food, travel, equipment, printing/photocopying, and institutional affiliation fees)
- Graduate transcripts (Scan and upload official transcripts)
- Bibliography
- Two letters of reference signed by the recommender.
- Statement explaining how your research will contribute to the mission of WARA

The proposal statement should describe the concept, methodology and the significance of the proposed research project to the applicant's academic field, and how this research contributes to the objectives of the West African Research Association. The language should be understandable to nonspecialist readers. (An excellent resource for preparing applications, On the Art of Writing Proposals, can be found on the SSRC website.)

Deadline is February 23, 2025.

Start Application

https://www.westafricanresearchassociation.org/fellowships/w est-african-scholar-mobility-fellowship/

CALL FOR DEVELOPMENT RESEARCH APPLICATIONS 2025

10. Application process

	January – March	Deadline for Phase 1 applications:		
Phase 1 - 2025		29 January 13:00hrs CET		
		DFC administrative screening and administrative rejections		
		Embassy assessment of relevance		
	April-June	FFU assessment of applications and prequalification		
20		Innovation Fund Denmark assessment		
25		Applicant hearing, if and when required (cf. §19 of the Danish		
		Public Administration Act)		
		Reply to applicants		
		Invitation and instructions to a full Phase 2 application		
	September	Deadline for Phase 2 applications:		
		3 September 13:00hrs CEST		
Phase 2 – 2025/26		DFC administrative screening and administrative rejections		
	September - October	Peer reviews and applicant hearing		
	December - January	FFU assessment and prioritisation of Phase 2 applications for funding		
		Reply to applicants		
26	January - March	Agreement on budget, etc.		
		Letters of Grant and endorsements		
	April	Official project start date is 1 April 2026		

For Details: https://africa-uninet.at/fileadmin/Dokumente/africa-

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