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Dear readers,

["EURAXESS – Researchers in Motion"](#) is a European Commission initiative focused on **researcher mobility and career development**. EURAXESS is active in 40 European countries and has representatives in six countries/regions around the world, including in the Latin American and Caribbean region: **EURAXESS LAC**.

Adapted from our flagship publication in Brazil, the EURAXESS LAC list of funding opportunities highlights open calls to fund researchers mobility and cooperation with researchers based in Europe. The jobs, grants and fellowships announced are **funded by the European Commission, EU member states or associated countries as well as private institutions** and are open to researchers from Latin America and Caribbean States.

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To find more opportunities, we invite you to consult the [EURAXESS Portal](#), and more specifically the:

- [EURAXESS Job database](#) that lists thousands of vacancies from more than 40 European countries and other regions in the world.
- And the [Funding database](#) allowing you to search for the funding programme you need for your mobility or research cooperation project.

Please note that **individual researchers** can upload their CVs on the portal, register their searches and create alerts to be informed when a vacancy matching their profile has been published. **Funding organisations** can publish their funding opportunities and scholarships on the EURAXESS website to increase their visibility and reach the best candidates worldwide.

We hope this list will help you turn your interest in research mobility into reality and remain at your disposal to discuss your projects.

Your EURAXESS LAC Team

EURAXESS LAC Funding opportunities is a list of open calls to fund researchers' mobility, compiled by the EURAXESS LAC team.

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Useful links:

[Horizon 2020 Participant Portal.](#)

International cooperation

ALL H2020 calls are open to international and more specifically Latin American and Caribbean participation.

For more details on funding of applicants from non-EU countries, click [here](#).

Grants & Fellowships

1 European Union

1.1 [Horizon 2020 – Work programme 2018-2020](#) and calls targeting Latin America and Caribbean States

[Horizon 2020](#) is the EU funding **programme** for research and innovation running from 2014 to 2020 with a €80 billion budget. H2020 supports scientifically-excellent research, innovation, and technological development, through **collaborative research projects** as well as **grants and fellowships to individuals**.

The final Work Programme for Horizon 2020 covers the budgetary years 2018, 2019 and 2020, representing an investment of around €30 billion.

The vast majority of this funding is allocated on the basis of **competitive calls open to applications from researchers, businesses and other interested organisations** located in any of the EU Member States or countries [associated](#) to Horizon 2020. It is also open to the world, so Latin American and Caribbean researchers and institutions are very welcome to get involved.

Access all open calls on the [Horizon 2020 Participant Portal](#).

See [HERE](#) for Horizon 2020 calls specifically open to LAC researchers and institutions. (pages 11 and 12 of this « [Roadmap for EU - CELAC S&T cooperation](#) »).

1.2 [MSCA Co-Funding of regional, national and international programmes \(COFUND\)](#): Call open

Aims to stimulate regional, national or international programmes to foster excellence in researchers' training, mobility and career development, spreading the best practices of Marie Skłodowska-Curie actions.

The COFUND call is open to European research (funding) institutions.

LAC organisations can be partner organisations in a proposal. COFUND supports many high-quality fellowships or doctoral programme positions, which include transnational mobility.

LAC researchers: Doctoral candidates can apply directly to COFUND positions advertised on the [EURAXESS job portal](#) throughout the year, while experienced researchers apply directly with the funding organisations.

Deadline: **27 September 2018**.

MSCA en español:

Lee los manuales elaborados en el marco del Proyecto ALCUE-NET:

[Guía para la participación exitosa de INVESTIGADORES Latinoamericanos y Caribeños en las ACCIONES MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE](#)

[Guía para la participación exitosa de INSTITUCIONES Latinoamericanas y Caribeñas en las ACCIONES MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE](#)

1.3 [Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships \(IF\)](#) - call open



The **Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA)** contribute to excellent research, boosting jobs, growth and investment by equipping researchers with the new knowledge, skills and international and intersectoral exposure to fill the top positions of tomorrow and solve current and future societal challenges.

Check out our **Guide on how researchers from LAC can benefit from MSCA funding** at http://bit.ly/FocusMSCA_CELAC

IF aims at supporting the international mobility of researchers within (**European Fellowships**) and beyond Europe (**Global Fellowships**) as well as helping to **attract the best foreign researchers** to work in the EU. The grant usually covers two years' salary, a mobility allowance, research costs and overheads for the host institution.

WHO? experienced researchers of any nationality, i.e. researchers holding a doctoral degree or at least four years' full-time research experience by the time of the call deadline.

Individual researchers submit proposals for funding in liaison with their planned host organisation from Europe. Proposals are judged on their research quality, the researcher's future career prospects, and the support offered by the host organisation.

Researchers based in LAC can apply for a European fellowship to perform a research stay of up to 2 years in Europe, choosing to apply either for a re-integration grant, a scientific grant or a society & enterprise grant in the non-academic sector.

Researchers based in Europe can apply for a global fellowship to carry out research in a third country such as any Latin American or Caribbean state and return to Europe. They can also apply to a European fellowship for mobility within the [EU or associated countries](#).

Research institutions from LAC (all countries) are eligible to host post-doctoral researchers coming from the European Union and Associated countries (EU/AC). In that case, note that you can express the interest of your institution to host a MSCA global fellow on EURAXESS Hosting tool [here](#).

Deadline: **12 September 2018**.

1.4 [ERC Advanced Grants](#): Call expected on 17 May 2018

ERC Advanced Grants are long-term funding to pursue ground-breaking high-risk projects. They are designed to support excellent Principal Investigators at the career stage at which they are already established research leaders with a recognised track record of research achievements. This action is **open to researchers of any nationality** who intend to conduct their research activity in any European Member State or Associated Country.

The ERC's frontier research grants operate on a 'bottom-up' basis without predetermined priorities. The call applies to each of the three main research domains:

- Physical Sciences & Engineering
- Life Sciences
- Social Sciences & Humanities

Eligibility: any nationality, any age. Applicants must be leaders in their respective field(s) of research and must demonstrate significant achievement in the last 10 years

Location: research must be conducted in a public or private research organisation (known as a Host Institution/HI). It could be the HI where the



European Research Council

Established by the European Commission

ERC grants support projects carried out by an individual researcher ('Principal Investigator') who can employ researchers of any nationality as team members. It is also possible to have one or more team members located in a non-European country.

Check out our **Guide on how researchers from LAC can benefit from the ERC funding** and cooperation schemes at http://bit.ly/FocusERC_CELAC

Find the ERC National Contact Points in LAC here.

Find out about all the free services EURAXESS provides to researchers and employers. You can save time and money by using [more than 500 EURAXESS Centres and contact points](#) around Europe to help you with a range of issues including visa requirements, work regulations, taxation and social security.

applicant already works, or any other HI located in one of the EU [Member States](#) or [Associated Countries](#)

Funding: up to € 2.5 million per grant (up to € 3.5 million in some cases)

Duration: up to 5 years

Sole evaluation criterion: scientific excellence of researcher and research proposal.

Deadline: **30 August 2018**. For more details on Advanced grants, see [ERC website](#)

Important notice: Time to spend on the project

Researchers applying for ERC-funding must be strongly committed to the project and spend a significant amount of time on it. However, it is not obligatory to spend 100% of your time in Europe whilst carrying out the ERC-funded research.

For Advanced Grants, the Principal Investigator should devote at least 30% of her/his working time to the ERC project and spend at least 50% of her/his total working time in a [EU Member State](#) or [Associated Country](#).

1.5 [EURAXESS Jobs](#)

There are currently **around 10489 research job positions** (all over Europe, but also in other countries and in all disciplines) announced on the [EURAXESS Jobs database](#). Opportunities can be viewed by country, level of seniority, field or research or via free text searches.

Please note that these jobs also include **doctoral positions**, including those funded by the Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions (MSCA – ITN & Cofund) and by the European Research Council (ERC).

2 EU Member States and Associated Countries

2.1 National EURAXESS Portals

The latest information on open calls for national grants and fellowships in the 40 member countries of the EURAXESS network can be accessed on the respective **national EURAXESS portals**:

[Austria](#), [Belgium](#), [Bosnia-Herzegovina](#), [Bulgaria](#), [Croatia](#), [Cyprus](#), [Czech Republic](#), [Denmark](#), [Estonia](#), [Faroe Islands](#), [Finland](#), [France](#), [Macedonia](#), [Germany](#), [Greece](#), [Hungary](#), [Iceland](#), [Ireland](#), [Israel](#), [Italy](#), [Latvia](#), [Lithuania](#), [Luxembourg](#), [Malta](#), [Moldova](#), [Montenegro](#), [Netherlands](#), [Norway](#), [Poland](#), [Portugal](#), [Romania](#), [Serbia](#), [Slovakia](#), [Slovenia](#), [Spain](#), [Sweden](#), [Switzerland](#), [Turkey](#), [UK](#).

2.2 AUSTRIA (Austrian Academy of Sciences - ÖAW) – [PhD Fellowship programme including outgoing mobility](#)

The DOC Fellowship Programme of the Austrian Academy of Sciences offers funding for highly qualified doctoral candidates **from all nationalities and in all**

areas of research. The fellowships in the amount of 38 000 Euros allow young researchers to dedicate themselves to working in focused fashion to complete their doctoral thesis within a clear timeframe.

Applications for a DOC Fellowship are open to **doctoral candidates of all ages** who:

- completed their Diploma or Master's degrees no more than two years ago,
- are writing their thesis at an Austrian university, and
- submit a project exposé and a reference from their doctoral supervisor.

OUTGOING PHASE : It is possible to arrange a stay abroad of up to 12 months in length within the framework of a DOC Fellowship.

There is **no deadline for submission**, applications can be submitted at any time and take six months to process.

2.3 BELGIUM - [Ph.D. Grant at Université Libre de Bruxelles \(ULB\)](#) (Incoming)

The department of Economic law, Centre of private law at Université Libre de Bruxelles offers a **full-time research grant for a 3 years period in order to write a Ph.D. thesis** (in English or French) on the general topic "Interactions between Intellectual Property Law (IP) and Artificial Intelligence (AI)".

The first year of funding is considered "seed money": it aims at giving the chosen candidate the possibility to further define his/her scientific project in order to obtain external funding beyond the initial 3 years period.

Duration: 1 year "seed money" grant (not renewable) followed by a 2 years grant (not renewable).

Eligibility

Applicants must hold a **Master Degree in Law** (120 Credits) or another degree deemed equivalent and fulfil the requirements of doctoral enrolment.

Deadline: **16 April 2018**

2.4 FRANCE - [PREFALC call for projects 2018 between France, Latin America, & the Caribbean](#)

WHAT IS FUNDED:

PREFALC offers co-financing for 2-year projects of up to € 25 000 and up to 40% of the total budget of a project.

RESEARCH FIELDS:

Agronomic and ecological sciences, physical and chemical sciences; Humanities and social sciences, digital humanities; Medical sciences, human biology; Mathematical Sciences ; Earth and universe sciences; Information and communication sciences; Engineering Sciences.

DURATION:

2 Years

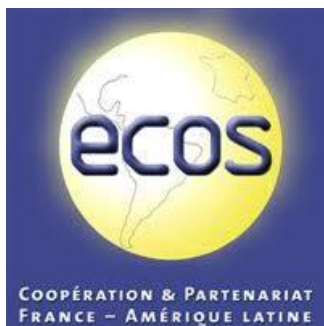
ELIGIBILITY:

Eligible projects must include a French higher education institution (or a network of institutions) and at least two higher education institutions from different Latin American or Caribbean countries.

Deadline: **29 April 2018**



PREFALC is a university cooperation scheme aimed at developing exchanges and training opportunities between French, Latin American and / or Caribbean higher education institutions. It helps to support the mobility of lecturer-researchers for the realisation of seminars and training modules at master level. These modules must be clearly integrated into French, Latin American and Caribbean masters degrees and allow European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS) credits or a recognition of periods of study.



Institutional partners in France: Ministry of Europe and Foreign Affairs via the French Embassy in Colombia and Ministry of Higher Education, Research and Innovation.

Institutional partners in:

- **Colombia:**
COLCIENCIAS (Colombian Institute for Science and Technology Development, Program Secretariat),
Ministry of National Education, ICETEX (Colombian Institute for Higher Education Support).

- **Mexico:** **Conacyt** (National Council of Science and Technology), ANUIES (Asociación Nacional de Universidades e Instituciones de Educación Superior and SEP (Secretaría de Educación pública)

- **Argentina:** Ministry of Science, Technology and Productive Innovation
MINCYT.

2.5 FRANCE (French Government) & institutional partners from ARGENTINA, COLOMBIA and MEXICO – [ECOS call for projects](#)

Based on partnership and transparency, the ECOS programme is designed to support projects of excellence in scientific collaboration. It funds exchanges between researchers in the form of **short-term assignments and specialisations for doctoral students** participating in the selected projects.

Collaborations on a joint scientific project with a Argentinian / Colombian / Mexican partner are currently being selected. Doctoral training has to be included in the collaboration.

To be admissible, the projects must involve a Argentinian / Colombian / Mexican PhD student.

Specificities depending on the Latin American partner country:

- **Colombian** projects may cover **all fields of knowledge** for a duration of **3 years**. However projects that are part of the priorities of Franco-Colombian cooperation will be given special attention. The Colombian partner must submit his project simultaneously to the Colombian committee (on the same terms but in Spanish), using the form provided by COLCIENCIAS. To be admissible, the project must involve a Colombian PhD student.

Deadline for projects with Colombia: **4 May 2018**

- **Mexican** projects (duration of **4 years**) may cover **all fields of knowledge**. However, it is suggested to check the priorities of Franco-Mexican cooperation in the call. The **Mexican** partner must submit his project simultaneously to the Mexican committee (on the same terms but in Spanish), using the form provided by ANUIES.

Deadline: **25 May 2018**

- Projects in collaboration with **Argentinian** partners must include not only doctoral but also postdoctoral training. **Three-year projects** will be selected in the following areas:
1. Sustainable development and population
2. Water and atmosphere science and technology.

The **Argentinian** partner must submit his project simultaneously to MINCYT.

Deadline to submit projects with Argentinian partners: **15 June 2018**.

Note that tripartite projects with other Spanish speaking American countries can be funded. Check the calls for more details. Project forms can be downloaded [here](#).

2.6 FRANCE – [PHD scholarship at University of Lille](#) (Incoming)

Project title: Surface characterisation of catalysts for sustainable development using high-field (DNP)-NMR

A **three-year PhD position in solid-state NMR spectroscopy of catalysts** is available at the University of Lille, France. It can start from July 2018.

This project aims at developing and applying novel solid-state NMR methods to probe the local environment of quadrupolar nuclei at the surface of heterogeneous catalysts. The structural information obtained by solid-state

NMR will be useful to improve the performances of these heterogeneous catalysts.

Eligibility: National and **international students** who have graduated in **physics or chemistry**, preferably with a background in material sciences or NMR spectroscopy.

Deadline: **15 June 2018**



The [GSO Leadership Academy](#) is a joint project of German Scholars Organisation with Fraunhofer Society, Helmholtz Association of German Research Centres, Max Planck Society, and Klaus Tschira Foundation. Associated Partners are the Center for Science Management (ZWM), the Association of Technical Universities (TU9), and the German Association of University Professors and Lecturers.

2.7 GERMANY - [GSO Leadership Academy for Scientists and Researchers \(Incoming\)](#)

Are you a young **German-speaking scientist or researcher** and are about to take the next step in your career? Are you interested in pursuing a career in Germany?

The programme is designed to give 25 full scholarships to **25 outstanding researchers of all disciplines and all nationalities** who are about to take the next step in their career – as a junior group leader in science or industry, as assistance or full professor, as founder of a start-up or as someone taking responsibility in a research-related organisation.

In two intensive five day training phases that blend self-assessment, interactive group workshops, case studies, videos, and lectures with individual mentoring and coaching, participants will be able to develop the skills they need for the next big step in their careers. They will gain a better understanding of their personal approach to leadership, experience what it means to model leadership in research-related environments, and learn how they can further push their personal development. As a group they will motivate and surprise each other and forge essential professional bonds with each other and with key players in their field.

You can apply [here](#). Get inspired by the experiences of our Fellows from the Academy 2016/2017 [here](#). Contact: Dr. Anne Schreiter, German Scholars Organization e.V., academy@gsonet.org

Deadline: **27 May 2018**

2.8 ICELAND ([The Icelandic Research Fund - IRF](#)) - [postdoctoral grants \(Incoming\)](#)

The purpose of the **postdoctoral grant** is to help young research scientists to develop their academic careers. The applicant must explain how the fellowship fits with previous work of the applicant, how it will enhance his/her career development, and provide information about future research plans after the grant period. If the grant recipient accepts another position during the grant period, the grant payments will be terminated at the start date of the new position.

Research fields:

- Formal sciences
- Humanities
- Natural sciences
- Applied sciences
- Social sciences

Funding

The grant from the IRF may fund up to 100% of the total project cost. Approved expenses from the Icelandic research fund include: Salaries, operational expenses, travel expenses, contracted services, overhead expenses and facilities.

Duration: The maximum grant amount for projects is ISK 24 million for a 36-month project (approx. EUR 193 000), ISK 16 million for a 24 month project (approx. EUR 129 000), and ISK 8 million for a 12-month project (approx. EUR 64 000),

Eligibility: The eligible applicant must have obtained an invitation from a host institution, preferably different from the institution awarding the doctoral degree, prior to the submission deadline. Applicants for postdoctoral fellowships must have been awarded a doctoral degree within the past seven years before the grant application deadline.

Deadline: **15 June 2018**

2.9 ITALY - [EURAC Federal Scholar In Residence \(Incoming\)](#)



The programme funds a **research stay of up to 3 weeks** at the Institute for Comparative Federalism of the European Academy of Bolzano/Bozen (EURAC); Aims at weaving experts and their networks in order to develop and advance comparative federal and regional studies.

This annual programme welcomes applications from scholars and practitioners in federalism, regionalism and intergovernmental relations.

Deadline of submission: **1 July 2018**

2.10 ITALY - [Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori: Inflow of foreign researchers](#) (Incoming, short term)

This international mobility programme is meant to be an essential tool for professional development throughout the stages of a researcher's career and aims at facilitating training, the acquisition and development of new skills, and a process of knowledge transfer in the fields of **experimental, translational and clinical research**.

Funding for **short-term visits (3-6 months) of foreign researchers** to Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori (INT)'s Units: a maximum monthly reimbursement of € 2500 is granted for travel and accommodation.

Deadline : **Applications are accepted at any time.**

2.11 ITALY (Università di Pavia) - [CICOPS Scholarships 2018](#) (Incoming, short-term)

WHAT? CICOPS scholarships are foreseen for research collaboration in the **short period** in order to encourage the mobility of researcher from developing countries.

10 scholarships will be awarded to visiting scholars for the year 2019 for a period of stay of 4 to 12 weeks at the University of Pavia.



WHO? Academics and other researchers from Developing Countries – including Latin American and Caribbean countries - who wish to carry out research in collaboration with a professor at the **University of Pavia** are welcome to apply.

Applicants must have the support of a collaborator at the University of Pavia who invites them with a formal invitation letter.

Applicants must have at least **two years of either teaching experience or activity in international organisations and institutions**. Applicants enrolled in a Doctoral or Postgraduate Course at an Italian University are not eligible to apply.

Deadline: 31 May 2018

2.12 ITALY - University of Torino - Tech4Culture PhD programme (Incoming)

PhD Technology Driven Sciences: Technologies for Cultural Heritage (Tech4Culture) is a new **doctoral programme** in technologies applied to Cultural Heritage.

Tech4Culture PhD Programme aims at building up the next generation of Cultural Heritage professionals able to develop technological solutions and services for the restoration, the protection, the diagnostics and the valorisation of cultural heritage in academia and in non-academic fields.

The First Call for Applications will assign up to **10 fellowships** to incoming mobility early stage researchers. (A second Call will be published in March 2019.)

Duration: 3 years

Why apply? You will have the opportunity of developing your own PhD research project with a joint supervision (academic and non-academic), while receiving excellent scientific training, training in soft skills and increasing your expertise through national and international short-term visits and secondment opportunities.

Eligibility:

Early-stage researchers (not holding a PhD) of **any nationality**, complying with the MSCA-COFUND mobility rule.

Deadline: **23 April 2018**

2.13 ITALY (Raffles Milano) - [20 Masters scholarships \(Incoming\)](#)

In order to stimulate young talents to carry on with their studies in premium institutes, Raffles Milano Institute of **Fashion and Design** is giving away 20 Scholarships for its Masters (ranging from **Fashion, design, photography to Architecture**) starting in the 2018/2019 Academic Year.

Please note these are partial scholarships which will be given out based on an evaluation of the candidates' dossiers by the Course Leaders and lecturers of each Master:

- 10 partial scholarships for each Master covering **50% of the tuition fee**, not including the enrolment fee
- 10 partial scholarships for each Master covering **25% of the tuition fee**, not including the enrolment fee.

Deadline: **30 May 2018**



Tech4Culture is an interdisciplinary and intersectoral doctoral programme funded by the H2020 MSCA-COFUND scheme and the banking foundation Compagnia di San Paolo.



UNIVERSITY OF MALTA
L-Università ta' Malta

2.14 MALTA - [Scholarships in Climate Action offered by the Government of Malta for Postgraduate Studies at the University of Malta](#) (Incoming)

The government of Malta is financing **3 scholarships for masters** of science by research at the University of Malta in three climate-change related pathways: mitigation of climate change and the development of a low carbon economy; identifying risks and vulnerability to adapt to climate change and enhance resilience; good governance of climate change.

The scholarships are open to applicants and residents from [UNFCCC Non-Annex I countries](#), including all countries of the Latin America and Caribbean region (LAC).

Deadline: **25 May 2018**

2.15 NETHERLANDS ([KNAW](#)) - [Evert Willem Beth Foundation: funding for research and symposiums](#)

The Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW) Evert Willem Beth Foundation funds some research and symposiums in the following disciplines: **modern logic, philosophy of science, history of logic, history of the philosophy of science and scientific philosophy** in general.

Students as well as researchers can apply. **Continuous application.**

2.16 POLAND – “Polish Returns” [Polish National Agency for Academic Exchange \(NAWA\)](#) (Incoming)

To enable Polish scientists to return to their country and take up employment in Polish higher education institutions or research units. The programme will create optimal conditions for Returning Scientists to conduct in Poland world-class research.

Funding:

- remuneration of the Returning Scientist (for a period of 36-48 months) along with employer costs;
- remuneration for two members of the Project Group (for a period of 36-48 months) along with employer costs;
- costs of relocation and adaptation of the workplace.

Eligibility:

- Polish citizenship;
- hold a **PhD degree** at the time of submitting the application
- returns to the country after at least two years of documented employment at a higher education institution abroad / at a research or scientific institute / at a research department of a foreign enterprise based outside of Poland;
- conducted research, didactic or other scientific activity during his/her stay outside Poland for at least two full years (in the period counted from the beginning of 2014).
- The two-year period since the Returning Scientist's departure from Poland must end no later than on 31 May 2018.

Deadline: **31 May 2018**



KONINKLIJKE NEDERLANDSE
AKADEMIE VAN WETENSCHAPPEN



POLISH NATIONAL AGENCY
FOR ACADEMIC EXCHANGE

The task of the Returning Scientist is to create his own Project Group and apply for grants to Polish and international research funding institutions, as well as to conduct and disseminate research results in renowned scientific journals or to conduct development/implementation work. As part of projects financed in the programme, the Applicants plan research activities to be carried out during the project.

2.17 PORTUGAL - [Grants for Sabbatical Leave](#) (outgoing)

BOLSAS DE LICENÇA SABÁTICA (BSAB) Grants by Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia (FCT) are designed for **holders of doctoral degrees on sabbatical leave for the purpose of carrying out research at foreign universities.**

All research fields and nationalities are eligible. Candidates must first obtain authorisation for the sabbatical leave from the institution to which they are contractually bound. Monthly allowance of EUR 750 (2014), length 3 months – 1 year.

Deadline: **The call is on-going.**

2.18 SLOVAK REPUBLIC – [incoming / outgoing sandwich scholarships in all areas](#)

The National Scholarship Programme of the Slovak Republic (NSP) supports **two-way mobility of PhD students, university teachers, researchers and artists** at higher education institutions and research organisations. Candidates must hold an Admission/Invitation letter.

Incoming stays can last **1 to 10 months** at higher education institutions and research organisations in Slovakia. Open to **researchers from all over the world.**

Outgoing stays vary from **1 to 10 months** for PhD students and **3 to 6 months** for postdoctoral researchers

It offers scholarships to cover living costs during the stay and travel allowances (all categories in case of scholarship holders from Slovakia; students and PhD students in case of international scholarship holders).

Deadline: **30 April 2018**; 31 October 2018 (Two calls per year)

2.19 SWITZERLAND (Friedrich Miescher Institute for Biomedical Research) - [International PhD Programme, Spring Call 2018](#) (Incoming)

The FMI International PhD Programme offers advanced, interdisciplinary training in **epigenetics, neurobiology, and quantitative biology** on a wide variety of topics.

PhD students admitted to the programme pursue research projects developed together with their Group leader, with support from the FMI technology platforms in, for example, imaging, genomics or bioinformatics. Numerous theoretical and practical training programmes are available both at the FMI and at the University of Basel, and the Basel/Zurich life science community provides exceptional local opportunities for further scientific interactions.

Funding

Selected candidates receive **full fellowships with social benefits** and are awarded with funds to participate in scientific meetings or for the acquisition of a laptop.

Duration

A course of study at the FMI leading to a **PhD degree** of the University of Basel typically lasts **4 years**



Friedrich Miescher Institute
for Biomedical Research

The Friedrich Miescher Institute for Biomedical Research, affiliated with the Novartis Institutes for BioMedical Research and the University of Basel, operates at the interface between academic research and biomedical applications. Hence, students not only acquire fundamental research skills, using cutting-edge approaches, but also learn to consider the biomedical applications of their discoveries.

Eligibility

Applicants must hold, or anticipate receiving before enrolment, a university degree that would formally qualify them to enter a PhD or equivalent program in their home country (**MSc., Diploma, DEA** etc.).

Deadline: **1 May 2018**

2.20UK - [Newton Fund Researcher Links Call for participants to workshop in Colombia](#)

Theme: "Social innovation for maintaining and restoring natural capital in Latin America."

Under the Researcher Links scheme offered within the Newton Fund and the British Council, a workshop to explore opportunities to develop research on **social innovation for restoring natural capital** will be held.

Early Career Researchers from the **UK, Colombia, Mexico and Peru** are invited to apply to attend this workshop.

All travel and accommodation expenses will be covered by the Newton Researcher Links programme.

Dates of workshop: 26-29 June 2018

Location: Corporación Universitaria Minuto de Dios, Pereira (Colombia)

Eligibility criteria and application form are [available here](#).

Deadline for applications: **15 April 2018**

2.21UK (British Council / Newton Fund) – Peru (CONCYTEC) [Researcher Links Travel Grants](#) (to UK only)

Researcher Links Travel Grants are designed to enhance and strengthen links for future collaboration, build research capacity in developing economies and enhance the researchers' career opportunities.

WHAT ? financial support for early career researchers in Peru (among other countries worldwide) to visit an institution in the UK.

Proposals may be for **4 to 12 weeks visits** for research in :

- Water
- Health
- Biodiversity

WHO ? Applicants must be based either in the UK, or in Peru, and must be an employee affiliated with a recognised publicly funded research establishment or public or private Higher Education Institution. In the case of Peru, the call is open to researchers with a degree of Master or PhD.

FUNDING ? The Travel Grant is calculated using five flat rate categories: Travel, Visa, Insurance, Subsistence, Consumables.

Application via UK system only, provided that the Peruvian applicant registers and uploads his/her documentation via Peruvian system.

Deadline : **8 June 2018**

Find a list of workshops funded by the Newton Fund to take place in LAC countries [here](#). They are all selecting early career researchers to support their participation.

The Researcher Links Travel Grants are co-funded by the Peruvian National Council on Science, Technology and Technological Innovation (CONCYTEC).

Travel grants are not intended to cover travel costs for a conference abroad, or to fund travel as part of PhD studies.



The **Newton Fund** aims to build UK-partner country collaborations centred on shared research and innovation challenges which have direct relevance to Newton Fund partner countries' social welfare and economic development. It is managed by UK Government's Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, and delivered through 15 UK delivery partners in collaboration with 18 partner countries. Tackling global challenges – such as extreme weather conditions, urbanisation, access to affordable health care, food and energy security, and meeting the social and economic needs of a growing population – requires an integrated research and innovation approach, bringing together communities from different disciplines, sectors, and countries in high-quality collaborations.

ELIGIBILITY:

Please see details on eligible UK research institutions [here](#).

Other eligibility criteria apply.

2.22UK (British Council / Newton Fund) with Brazil (CONFAP) and Peru (CONCYTEC) - [Researcher Links Workshop grants](#)

In this call, workshops can be proposed between the UK and **Brazil**, China, India, Jordan, and **Peru**.

Researcher Links Workshop grants are designed to provide financial support to bring together a UK – Brazil and UK - Peru bilateral cohort of early career researchers to take part in workshops to meet the overarching objectives.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA: Leading Researchers as defined by the EC [here](#) can apply to be workshop coordinators.

Each proposal must have **one workshop coordinator from the UK, as well as a workshop coordinator from Brazil / Peru**. The two coordinators will be able to **select four other leading researchers (two from each country)** to participate as mentors, and the other participants should be **early-stage researchers from both countries**.

Once funded, grants will be available for early-career researchers in the UK and the country hosting the workshop (Brazil and Peru in this call) to attend.

The workshops should be in English and have a duration of **3 to 5 days**.

2.22.1 Brazil call with CONFAP

Eligible Brazilian States:

- | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Alagoas – FAPEAL | 8. Minas Gerais - FAPEMIG |
| 2. Amazonas - FAPEAM | 9. Paraíba - FAPESQ |
| 3. Bahia - FAPESB | 10. Paraná - Fundação Araucária |
| 4. Distrito Federal - FAPDF | 11. *Pernambuco - FACEPE |
| 5. Espírito Santo - FAPES | 12. *São Paulo - FAPESP |
| 6. Goiás - FAPEG | 13. Sergipe – FAPITEC |
| 7. Maranhão – FAPEMA | |

*Principal Applicants from the Brazilian states of São Paulo and Pernambuco must also submit their application to the local funding agencies, respectively FAPESP and FACEPE.

Research areas:

proposals are welcome, and may include social sciences and arts and humanities. The challenge areas are as follows:

- Agriculture
- Climate and environment
- Renewable and clean energy
- Education
- Inclusive economic growth
- Health, (neglected tropical diseases)
- Water and sanitation
- Food and nutrition (including food security)
- Demographic change and migration/ urban development
- Infrastructure (for social and economic development, focusing on remote communities)
- Humanitarian disasters and emergencies, disaster risk reduction
- Governance, society and conflict,
- Development-relevant data collection, quality and access (including administrative data and macroeconomic statistics).
- Zika virus

2.22.2 Peruvian call with National Council on Science, Technology and Technological Innovation (CONCYTEC)

Research priorities :

- Water
- Health
- Biodiversity

Up to £45,000. Workshops. Deadline : **8 June 2018**

2.23 UK (British Council / Newton Fund) – Peru (CONCYTEC) - Institutional Links Grants



RESEARCHER LINKS

The call is co-funded by the Newton Fund and CONCYTEC, being executed by its execution unit Cienciactiva.

Applications can be submitted for collaborations between the **UK** and **Peru**. Please note that Mexico is expected to join the call on 16 April 2018.

Newton Institutional Links aims to build UK-partner country research and innovation collaborations centred on shared research and innovation challenges which have direct relevance to social welfare and economic development.

This programme is designed to establish links beyond the level of the individual researcher and innovation practitioner, opening up opportunities for more sustainable, solution-oriented collaborations between academic groups as well as with the private and third sector (e.g. SMEs, NGOs, technology transfer offices and other not-for-profit organisations).

Small-scale seed funding (up to £100,000 for up to 12 months projects) will be provided for collaborations between the UK and Peru in

- Water
- Health
- Biodiversity

Application via UK system only, provided that the Peruvian applicant registers and uploads his/her documentation via Peruvian system.

Deadline: 8 June 2018.

2.24 UK – The Royal Society's International Collaboration Awards (Incoming)

As part of the Global Challenge Research Fund (GCRF), the Royal Society has launched an award to enable outstanding **UK research leaders to develop international collaborations with the best leading researchers from around the world**, to work on some of the **global challenges and problems facing developing countries**.

Duration:

Up to three years

The objectives of these challenge awards are to:

- Support the development of sustainable collaborative partnerships between outstanding researchers in the UK and the best research groups in developing countries to generate new approaches to the most significant and complex problems faced by developing countries
- Strengthen research capacity in developing countries through collaboration, sharing of knowledge and skills and exchange of staff between research groups in the UK and their partners in developing countries.



- Attract outstanding international scientists from developing countries and their teams to work with the UK's best universities and research institutions.
- Support the research of the best UK scientists working in fields relevant to the Global Challenges to formulate new approaches to global development problems.

The proposed research must fall within the remit of the Royal Society (the **natural sciences including engineering**). The Royal Society does not cover social sciences or clinical medical research.

Eligibility:

The **UK applicant and overseas co-applicant** must both be research leaders of international standing with an established track record in their field of research, and typically have a **minimum of 8 years of active post-PhD** research experience.

Deadline: **3 May 2018**

2.25UK – [University of Cardiff Ursula Henriques Scholarship](#) (Incoming)

The Professor URQ Henriques Scholarship Fund supports **postgraduate students**. Now in its 16th year, the legacy rotates annually between the **Schools of English, Communication and Philosophy, History, Archaeology and Religion, and Modern Languages**.

In 2018-19 the award is with the **School of English, Communication and Philosophy** and has been used to create on a competitive basis two one-year partial fee scholarships of £2 500 for postgraduate applicants holding an offer of a place on a PhD or MA programme in the School to commence in the academic year 2018-19.

Deadline: **31 May 2018**

2.26UK - [Leverhulme Trust Visiting Professorships](#) (Incoming)

The Leverhulme Trust Visiting Professorships are awarded to UK institutions that wish to **invite an eminent researcher from overseas** to enhance the knowledge and skills of academic staff or the student body within the host institution.

Applications in **all subject areas** are considered with the exception of clinical and pharmaceutical research.

The scheme covers maintenance, travel expenses and research costs. Visiting Professorships can last for 3 to 12 months.

WHO? Applications must be made by a member of academic staff, based in the UK. The host institution must agree to administer the grant, and to provide appropriate facilities for the Visiting Professor.

Deadline: **10 May 2018**

2.27UK - [Wellcome Intermediate Fellowships in Public Health and Tropical Medicine](#) (Incoming)

This scheme enables high-calibre, mid-career researchers from [low- and middle-income countries](#), to establish an independent research programme.

Research should be aimed at understanding and improving public health and tropical medicine of local, national and global relevance. Public health and

tropical medicine cover a wide range of health problems, including communicable and non-communicable diseases.

This fellowship is part of a series of career awards aimed at building sustainable capacity in areas of research that have the potential for increasing health benefits for people and their livestock in low- and middle-income countries.

Next deadline: **9 May 2018** (applications are twice a year)

CLICK ON THE [BLUE TITLES](#) FOR MORE INFORMATION

2.28 UK (Birkbeck University) – Incoming opportunities

[2.28.1 2018 Santander Scholarships \(for students from Latin America, incoming\)](#)

In partnership with Santander, Birkbeck University offers various £5000 scholarships to students from Latin America who will be studying at either undergraduate or postgraduate level at Birkbeck during the 2018-2019 academic year. The £5000 scholarship will be applied towards course tuition fees.

How to apply:

Students must first submit an online application through the course web page. After receiving an unconditional offer, applicants must submit an essay of no more than 500 words to international-office@bbk.ac.uk with the subject line 'Santander Scholarship Application' answering the following question: Why are you the ideal candidate to receive the scholarship?

[2.28.2 Birkbeck International Merit Scholarships \(Incoming\)](#)

Birkbeck is offering a limited number of Merit Scholarships to suitably qualified students from Japan, Russia, South Korea, Turkey, **Latin America**, South-East Asia (ASEAN) and Taiwan.

Who may apply: students accepted onto one-year taught Master's degrees at Birkbeck, starting in September 2018.

Amount: £2500-£5000.

General: scholarships may not be held in conjunction with any other Birkbeck-funded/supported scholarship (eg Chevening), or where the fees are fully funded by other sources.

How to apply: once you have received an offer from Birkbeck, you must [email us an essay of no more than 500 words](#). The essay should detail why you are the ideal candidate to receive the International Merit Scholarship. Recipients will be chosen based on a combination of academic merit and financial need.

Deadlines for all 2 calls: **1 June 2018**

2.29 PRIVATE (Bayer Science & Education Foundation) - [Incoming and outgoing fellowships](#)



The regular Bayer Fellowship Programme is geared toward **students and trainees in scientific, technical and medical disciplines**. It is open to applicants from German-speaking countries wishing to go abroad and **foreign applicants who want to go to Germany**.

The programme comprises the following areas:

- Otto Bayer Scholarship: life sciences
- Carl Duisberg Scholarship: medicine

- Jeff Schell Scholarship: agro sciences
- Kurt Hansen Scholarship: science teachers
- Hermann Strenger Scholarship: apprentices

Deadline: 18 July 2018

2.30 INTERNATIONAL - [TWAS-Lenovo Science Prize \(world-class achievements in Engineering Sciences\)](#)



The TWAS-Lenovo Science Prize is one of the most prestigious honours given to scientists from the developing world. In 2018 the prize will be given for outstanding achievements in Engineering Sciences.

The TWAS-Lenovo Science Prize will carry a monetary award of USD100 000 provided by Lenovo, as well as a medal and a certificate highlighting the recipient's major contributions to science.

Field :

During the second four-year cycle (2017-2020) the prize subjects will be: **Engineering Sciences (2018)**, Agricultural Sciences (2019), Social Sciences (2020).

Nominations :

Nominations are invited from **TWAS members, selected individuals, as well as from science academies, national research councils, universities and scientific institutions. Nominations of women scientists are particularly encouraged.** Self-nominations and nominations from jury members will not be accepted.

Eligibility :

Candidates must be nationals of a **developing country (Brazil, Argentina, Colombia, Chile and Mexico included)** and must have lived and worked in a developing country for the last 10 years. The prize will only be awarded to individuals for scientific research of outstanding international merit carried out at institutions in developing countries.

Deadline: 16 April 2018

3 LAC countries

3.1 ARGENTINA – [EUREKA / GlobalStars Argentina](#)

Within the GlobalStars initiative of EUREKA, based on the mutual consent, Argentina is determined as a privileged country to increase cooperation with. Participants from Argentina and Czech Republic, Finland, Israel, Spain and Turkey (respective EUREKA members) are invited to submit **joint project proposals in the fields of industrial and technological research and development.**

In order to submit a project proposal under this Call, at least 1 partner from Argentina and 1 partner from a EUREKA member or associated country participating in the Call must build a consortium.

Deadline : **7 June 2018.**

3.2 CHILE (Conicyt)– [call to support incoming short term stays in all areas](#)

Support of short-term stays of scientists of excellence from abroad in Chile, in regional accredited universities whose central house (rectory) is outside the Metropolitan Region, in order to strengthen especially the postgraduate and research , in direct collaboration with researchers and Chilean students.

The stay of the scientist from abroad will have a minimum duration of two (2) months and a maximum of ten (10) months . It can be divided into modules of minimum duration of one (1) month each and these must be done within a period that may not exceed eighteen (18) months counted from the start of the stay.

All areas of knowledge. Proposals are submitted by the accredited regional universities of Chile.

Deadline : **27 April 2018.**

3.3 COLOMBIA – [ICETEX Postgraduate scholarships](#) (Incoming)



Financial grants for **Specialisation courses, Masters or PhDs offered by the Government of Colombia to foreign citizens**, in return for international cooperation received by Colombia under existing cooperation agreements.

All areas included: see details [here](#)

FUNDING:

Tuition fees (100% coverage); stipend for books and materials; monthly allowance; health insurance; installation costs.

Programme available to all countries cooperating with Colombia, except Hungarian and French citizens as there is a programme aimed to professionals from these countries. See below.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Foreign professionals **between 25-49 years old**,
- in possession of an undergraduate degree with at least 1 year of professional experience in their field of study.
- The candidate must **master the Spanish language** (reading, writing and speaking) He/she must have an admission letter from the Colombian educational institution in any career listed in the call annex.

- The candidate must not live in Colombia and must not have Colombian nationality.

The same programme is available specifically for Hungarian citizens [here](#) and French citizens [here](#).

Deadline: **1 June 2018**

3.4 MEXICO (CONACYT) – GERMANY (DAAD): CONACYT- [DAAD Master and PhD scholarships](#) (Outgoing to Germany)



This programme supports the training of Mexican professionals, in order to increase the scientific, technological and innovation capacity of the State of Yucatan and contribute to its development.

Eligibility:

Full time **Masters and PhDs abroad** when there is no offer for these courses at the national level for Mexican researchers who wish to carry out or are already engaged in postgraduate studies in German institutions, preferably within the following areas established in the PECITI (Programa Especial de Ciencia, Tecnología e Innovación 2014-2018):

- Exact and Natural Sciences
- Engineering
- Environmental Sciences
- Biotechnology and Agricultural Sciences
- Health Sciences Society (Doctorate Only)
- Society

Duration:

Master's degree: up to 24 months

Doctoral degree: Initially 36 months with the possibility to extend the scholarship

Funding:

CONACYT: monthly scholarship payments

DAAD: initial language course, health insurance, printing costs subsidy for doctoral thesis

Deadline: **25 May 2018**

4 Calls still open

4.1 European Union

[European Innovation Council \(EIC\) Horizon Prize: Affordable High-Tech for Humanitarian Aid](#): **rewarding the best, proven, cost-effective, tech-based solutions for Humanitarian Aid** and will amount to **€5m**; **open to all legal entities** (i.e. natural or legal persons, including international organisations) or groups of legal entities. Deadline for registration of interest: **15 September 2019**

ERCIM – [Alain Bensoussan Fellowships](#): Fellowships for **PhD holders from all over the world** in **Computer Science, Information Technology, and Applied Mathematics**, 12 months in network. Deadline: **30 April 2018**

(Click on the blue links or see [previous EURAXESS LAC lists of funding opportunities](#) for more details)

European cooperation in Science and Technology (COST) [call for proposals to fund science and technology networks](#) with a duration of **four years** in **any science and technology field**, including Humanities and Social Sciences. Deadline: **20 April 2018**

[Erasmus+ Joint Master Degrees](#) (JMD) are offered by an **international consortium of higher education institutions**. Students from anywhere in the world at **master's level can apply for these degrees** and one of the approx. **15 student and 4 guest lecturers scholarships**. **Deadlines: various** (depending on each consortium's rules for application. Most consortia will require applications to be submitted between October and January, for courses starting the following academic year.)

[EMBO Long-Term Fellowships](#). Long-term fellowships for up to 2 years to support **post-doctoral research visits** to laboratories throughout Europe and the world. Deadline: **now accepted throughout the year**.



EMBO offers the largest number of life science events in Europe. EMBO Courses & Workshops funds approximately 90 events attracting more than 11,000 participants every year.

The Erwin Schrödinger programme is co-funded by the European Union.

4.2 EU Member States and Associated Countries

AUSTRIA – [Marietta Blau PhD Grant \(Outgoing\)](#): 6-12 months of a doctoral programme at Austrian universities in **Natural Sciences**.

Monthly grants of 1500 Euros; Next application deadline: **1 September 2018**.

AUSTRIA - [Institute of Science and Technology call for professors](#) for internationally accomplished scientists in all areas. Deadlines: **On-going for Professor applications**.

AUSTRIA - [Lise Meitner Programme for Scientists from Abroad](#). WHO: Highly qualified scientists of any discipline with an invitation from an Austrian research institution. Applications accepted continuously, **no application deadlines**.

AUSTRIA – [Erwin Schrödinger Outgoing Fellowship](#) (Outgoing) including a return phase. Post-doctoral fellowships at **leading foreign research institutions** for young and especially highly qualified post-doc scientists of any discipline. Applications accepted continuously, **no application deadlines**.

BELGIUM (Wallonie-Bruxelles) – **Incoming doctoral and postdoctoral scholarship for Excellence [IN.WBI](#) in a University of Wallonia-Brussels** in Transport and logistics; Mechanical engineering; Life sciences; Agro-industry; Aviation-space; Environmental technologies. Deadline: **1 May 2018; 1 October 2018**(short-term stays)

BELGIUM (Wallonie-Bruxelles) – **Outgoing doctoral and postdoctoral scholarship for Excellence [WBI.World](#)** to follow a **doctorate or postdoctorate programme** in a university abroad. Deadline: **1 May 2018; 1 October 2018**(short-term stays)

BELGIUM (Wallonie-Bruxelles) - [Ulysse incoming Mobility \(Incoming\)](#) For a highly qualified researcher to lead a research team at Wallonie-Bruxelles Federation (WBF) university. Employment contract for 3 years. Deadline: **rolling basis**.

BELGIUM (Wallonie-Bruxelles) - [F.R.S.-FNRS Post-doctoral temporary incoming fellowship*](#) (up to 3 years) for a non-Belgian PhD holder (with maximum 6 years of experience). Deadline: **rolling basis**

BELGIUM – [FWO outgoing mobility opportunities](#). Grants supporting international contacts between research groups.

- [Travel Grants for Short Stays Abroad \(Max. 1 month, outgoing\)](#)
- [Grant for participation in a conference abroad](#)
- [Grant for participation in a workshop or course abroad](#)
- [Travel Grants for Long Stays Abroad](#) (31 days to 12 months) for researchers affiliated with a university in the Flemish community or



belong to the scientific staff (of the Dutch-speaking community) of a federal or Flemish scientific institute.

Deadline for all grants: **no later than 3 months prior to the departure date.**

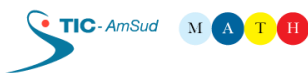
BELGIUM (Flanders) - [Scholarships for incoming Master](#). Full scholarships funded by VLIR-UOS to follow a training or Master programme at a Flemish university or university college. Applicants must apply to the [master programme of their choice](#), mentioning they also apply for a scholarship. Open to **national and resident of one of the 54 eligible countries** in Africa, Asia and Latin America. Deadline: depends on the Master programme.

DENMARK - [Danida Mobility Grants \(incoming\)](#) to facilitate research collaboration through research stays in Denmark by researchers (PhD holders) from the growth and transition countries included in the "Partnering with Denmark" programme, (incl. **Brazil, Colombia, Mexico**). No application deadline.

ESTONIA - [Mobilitas Pluss Support for study visits and training abroad](#) for 100 researchers to attend international training events of both ETAg and its partners abroad. Deadline: **Continuous**

ESTONIA – [Dora Plus programme \(incoming / outgoing\)](#). **Outgoing**: Support to short-term study mobility for Master's students and doctoral students from higher education institutions in Estonia. **Incoming**: Foreign Master's students and doctoral students for short-term teaching and research work in Estonia (1-10 months). Applications: **On-going**

FINLAND - [CIMO Fellowships](#). WHO? **Young doctoral level students and researchers from all countries and from all academic fields. No application deadline.**



FRANCE- [MATH-AmSud 2018](#) and [STIC-AmSud 2018](#): Aimed at researchers from **Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay and Venezuela**, to strengthen collaboration and create networks in **mathematics (MATH-AmSud) and Information and Communication Science and Technology (STIC-AmSud), for joint projects through the mobility of investigators**. Deadlines: **15 May 2018** to submit to the programme coordinators, Other deadlines with national institutions may apply.



The AXA Research Fund supports basic science dedicated to a better understanding of global risks related to: **Environmental risks, Life risks, Socio-economic risks, "The Fourth Industrial Revolution"**.

FRANCE – [AXA Chairs](#). For institutions located within countries [where the AXA Group has insurance operations \(most LAC countries included\)](#) ; **€120 000** per year for 5 years. Deadline for requesting a slot : 27 April 2018; 24 October 2018 & **deadline for application submission : 13 June 2018; 22 November 2018**

FRANCE - [PRESTIGE Postdoc programme](#). Three mobility schemes aimed at fostering the international mobility of **post-doc researchers** complying with the Marie Curie Actions mobility rules. Call open all year long with four cut-off dates. The next ones are: **30 June 2018, 30 September 2018**

FRANCE – INRIA [The "Internships" Programme \(Incoming\)](#): Research training experience for students from all over the world; **Undergraduate, masters or PhD students** come and spend a few months in an Inria research team; **2-6 months** with fixed remuneration around **500€ per month**. Deadline: check on website

FRANCE – [15 Postdoctoral Fellowships on Biology and Information Technologies](#) open to all nationalities at the French Atomic and Alternative Energies Commission (CEA). **No specific application deadline**: The positions are open until they are filled by appropriate candidates.

SciencesPo

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DAAD

Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst
German Academic Exchange Service
research organisation.
Research efforts are geared entirely to people's needs: health, security, communication, energy, and the environment.
Check out the DAAD funding database [here!](#) Here you can find information on various kinds of DAAD funding for foreign students, graduates and postdocs as well as on funding offered by [other selected organisations](#)



The current offers are published under [DLR-DAAD Fellowships - Current offers](#)

FRANCE - [Université Paris-Saclay International Master Scholarship Programme 2018-2019](#) (Incoming). Scholarships are awarded for 1 year to newly enrolled **Master's** students at Université Paris-Saclay (M1 or M2 level). **All academic fields**. Deadline: varying and depending on the Master taken. See details [here](#)

FRANCE – [Sciences Po Scholarships](#) (Incoming): The [Emile-Boutmy scholarship](#): for the very best international students from outside the European Union. Deadline: **26 April 2018** (Bachelors) & [Science Po PhD Scholarship](#) of 16 400 € per year for three years on the basis of excellence of the research project. Deadline: **14 May 2018**

GERMANY – [German funding to prepare applications under H2020 with partners from South America](#): Supports the participation of German applicants together with partners from **Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Cuba, Mexico**, in the EU Research and Innovation Framework Programme Horizon 2020. It will involve funding for exploratory talks and networking of partners. Deadline: **21 December 2018**

GERMANY – [Falling Walls Fellowships for Science Journalists](#) (Incoming) to attend the Falling Walls Lab, Falling Walls Venture, the Falling Walls Conference as well as an additional programme in **Berlin around 8 and 9 November 2017**. Freelance and full-time journalists or bloggers can apply. Deadline : **24 June 2018**

GERMANY - [Doctoral scholarships from the Friedrich Naumann Foundation \(Incoming\)](#): For socially engaged doctoral students of **any nationality, in all disciplines and of any age**. Deadlines: **30 April 2018 and 31 October 2018**

GERMANY - [Research grant Fraunhofer Attract \(Incoming\)](#) offering outstanding external scientists the opportunity to develop their ideas towards an actual application within an optimally equipped Fraunhofer institute operating close to the market; Funding: **€2,5 Million over 5 years**; Deadline: **2 October 2018**

GERMANY – [Development-Related Postgraduate Courses \(EPOS\) - DAAD](#): Scholarships for **foreign graduates from all disciplines** and with at least two years' professional experience to take a **postgraduate or Master's degree at a state or state-recognised German university**; Duration: **12 to 36 months**. Last deadline: **31 May 2018**)

GERMANY - [Friedrich Wilhelm Bessel Research Awards](#) of EUR 45 000 and up to one year cooperating on a long-term research project with specialist colleagues at a research institution in Germany by the Humboldt Foundation. **Rolling call for applications** with two reviews panels per year. In spring and autumn.

GERMANY – Incoming [Emmy Noether Programme*](#). WHO? **Outstanding postdocs/junior researchers** with 2 to 4 years postdoctoral experience. **No application deadlines**.

GERMANY – [Gerda Henkel Foundation](#) post-doctoral 1 to 24 months Research Scholarships in **humanities** to carry out an independent research project alone. Applications are welcome at **any time**.

GERMANY- [DAAD Reintegration of German scientists*](#) with the goal of reintegrating into the German scientific community after having spent at least 1 year abroad. Deadline depends on [current offers](#)

GERMANY - [DLR-DAAD Research Incoming Fellowships*](#) in the fields of Space, Aeronautics, Energy and Transportation Research open to **foreign doctoral and postdoctoral students** as well as **senior scientists**. **Deadlines depend** on the [current offers](#).

GERMANY - **Humboldt INCOMING Fellowships*** for researchers at different stages in their careers: - [Humboldt Incoming Research Fellowship for Postdoctoral Researchers \(6-24 months\)](#) for researchers from abroad who have completed their doctorate in the last four years; - [Humboldt INCOMING Research Fellowship for Experienced Researchers \(6-18 months research projects\)](#) for Assistant Professors or Junior Research Group Leaders from abroad who completed their doctorate less than twelve years ago; [Georg Forster Research Fellowship \(HERMES\) for Postdoctoral Researchers \(6-24 months research project\)](#) for **postdoctoral or experienced researchers** from [developing or transition countries](#) who have completed their doctorate in the last 4 (post-doc)/12 years (experienced researchers). Deadline: **any time during the year.**

IRELAND – [SFI incoming Research Professorship*](#) open to researchers in **academia or industry**. Applications on a **rolling basis**.

IRELAND - [Career-FIT: Career Development Fellowships in the National Technology Centre Programme \(Incoming\): Postdoctoral fellowship programme](#) for **experienced researchers from outside Ireland** to develop their careers in **market focused applied research** through **3 year fellowships with secondment into industry** through Ireland's Technology Centres. Deadline: **30 April 2018**

ITALY - [Calls for the Admission to 2018/19 PhD Programmes - Sant' Anna School of Advanced Studies](#): 65 positions for Ph.D. students from **around the world** in Biorobotics, Law, Human Rights and Global Politics, Economics, Management, Agrobiosciences, Agrobiodiversity, EDT. Deadlines : varying depending on the topics

NETHERLANDS - [NIAS Individual Fellowship – non-Dutch](#) (Incoming) for scholars with a non-Dutch affiliation, for **5 or 10 months** in **humanities and social sciences**. Fellows must have already made a considerable contribution to their field. **Open to all Latin American and Caribbean researchers**. Deadline: **15 April 2018**

NETHERLANDS - [Holland Scholarships](#) for Bachelor and Masters candidates (Incoming): For international students from outside the European Economic Area (EEA) who want to do their bachelor or master's in the Netherlands. Deadline: 1 May 2017 (depending on the host institution)

NETHERLANDS – NWO ASPASIA Programme linked to [Innovational Research Incentives Scheme Vidi and Vici](#). Aspasia is a grant linked to the Vidi and Vici competitive grant scheme. The highest performing female candidates in the NOW's Vidi and Vici rounds will be approached by NWO after the round if they are not yet an associate professor (in case of Vidi) or full professor (in case of Vici). **No deadline** nor application form.

NETHERLANDS – [NWO visitor's travel grant*](#) for **foreign senior researchers** to stay in the Netherlands for a maximum of **4 months**. **Continuous application**.

NORWAY – [The Research Council of Norway: Personal Visiting Researcher Grant](#) for international researchers with qualifications at the professor level. Deadline: **on-going**.

POLAND (Foundation for Polish Science) - [IDEAS FOR POLAND](#) for Winners of the “*ERC Starting Grants*” competition who intend to pursue scientific research in Poland. **Rolling basis**.

SPAIN - [Attracting Talent Scholarships for Master's Degrees, University of Jaén](#) (incoming): **30 scholarships for international students** of excellence who



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wish to be enrolled in a **Master** programme at the University of Jaén . Deadline: **30 April 2018**

SPAIN - Extensive list of national, regional and private sector recruitment and funding opportunities for those looking for a research job or funding to carry out research in Spain.

SWITZERLAND (Swiss National Science Foundation - SNSF) – outgoing fellowships for Swiss nationals or permanent residents: [International Short Visits](#), fund incoming / outgoing short term mobility and small joint research project. **Continuous application**

TURKEY - [TÜBİTAK “2221” Fellowships for Visiting Scientists and Scientists on Sabbatical Leave](#) who would like to **give workshops/conferences/lectures, or conduct R&D activities in Turkey**. Three types of visits are granted within this programme: Short-term (up to 1 month), Long-term (up to 12 months) and Sabbatical Leave (from 3 months to 12 months). All types of grants cover monthly stipend and travel costs. Deadline : **rolling basis**.

UK (University of Leicester) - [International Postgraduate Research \(PGR\) Excellence Scholarship](#): The College of Social Sciences, Arts and Humanities offers eight International Excellence Scholarships of £15 000* for September 2018 entry, to its Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) programmes. Deadline : **28 May 2018**

FORTHCOMING:

- FRANCE - Centre for Integrative Biology of Toulouse [International PhD programme](#) (Incoming): launching in **June 2018**
- [GERMANY - Postdoctoral Researchers International Mobility Experience \(P.R.I.M.E.\)](#) : call announced in **June 2018**
- GERMANY - [Anneliese Maier Research Award](#): opening in **Autumn 2018**
- GERMANY - [Sofja Kovalevskaja Award of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation](#) (Incoming): call **launching in Spring 2018**
- GERMANY - [Green Talent Awards in Sustainable Development](#). Competition Opens **9 April**
- POLAND - [Thesaurus Poloniae \(Incoming\)](#): call launching **1 May 2018**
- [Baillet Latour Health Prize](#) – 2019, theme for upcoming call: Cardiovascular Diseases: Lanching in May 2018; planned deadline: **30 September 2018**
- [The Bio-Based Industries Joint Undertaking \(BBI JU\)](#) is a Public-Private Partnership between the European Union and the Bio-based Industries Consortium (BIC). Call expected to launch on **11 April 2018**.

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