GRANT NEWSLETTER February 2021

Corona and research



The outbreak of the new Corona virus has great impact on everyone's lives. In this newsletter you'll find additional information, in particular for researchers at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences.

Over all, funding organizations have taken measures effecting the grant process.

We urgently advise to check the websites for the possibly changed deadlines, updates and other important information.

Pre-award: This newsletter contains an overview of grants that could be interesting for our scientific staff. The Faculty is happy to offer support with your application. For more information, please contact Hester Bergsma.

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Post-award: Obtained a grant? Congratulations! Please consult Anita Wagemaker for matters such as legal verification of the contract and obtaining the correct signatures.

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If you consider applying for a grant, be aware that it might take some time to obtain mandatory forms and signatures as well as legal checks.

Luris has provided a handy overview of things to think of/consider when writing a grant: https://www.staff.universiteitleiden.nl/research/research-funding?cf=social-and-behavioural-sciences&cd=fsw-board-office

Please also take into account the rules with regard to 'working for third parties': https://www.organisatiegids.universiteitleiden.nl/en/regulations/general/regulations-on-working-for-third-parties



Special Note

NWO/NRO network hack

Due to a hack of the NWO network servers it is impossible for NWO to carry out its primary process - funding science. All related activities, from the opening of new calls to the assessment process, have therefore been suspended until further notice. Mails to NWO staff will not be delivered, and will therefore remain unanswered. A form has been opened to answer questions of relations of NWO. A team of specialists within NWO will

provide an answer as soon as possible, and post the answer on a Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) page. So before submitting a question, please check whether your question may already have been answered.

More information

ERC Starting and Consolidating Grants: update

The latest information on the ERC website is that the Starting Grant deadline is extended until 8 April (deadline for Consolidator Grant is 20 April). We call will open on 25 February. For Consolidator Grants the expected deadline is 20 April, with the call expected to open on 11 March.

On 5 February ERC published a statement

The reason for the delay is because the 7 year budget for Horizon Europe was only approved at the end of the December, this has resulted in a delay in approval of the Horizon Europe programme as a whole, of which the ERC 2021-2027 programme is one.



FSW Research Support website

The <u>FSW Research Support website</u> offers information to scientists at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences, during the different stages of their research.

The website includes information on finding and applying for grants, writing research proposals, funding and regulations, as well as protocols for safe working practices, manuals for equipment and software, and contact details for supporters.

An important part are currently the $\underline{\text{COVID-19 protocols}}$ for researchers who want to restart their research.

The website is available in English and will be updated regularly.

To keep improving this website, we kindly ask you to email any suggestions for additional information and your remarks. We intend to keep developing our web pages, so all researchers might profit!

NWO: <u>adjustments in Veni 2021</u>: higher budget per application and broader rule regarding applying during doctoral programme

From the 2021 round onward, NWO will increase the amount to be applied for in the Veni from €250,000 to €280,000. This means that the amount to be applied for will increase for the first time since 2008. The NWO Executive Board has decided to take this step to reduce the pressure on universities to contribute financially to Veni projects. A higher budget means successful applicants will be able to finance a full salary, or at least a large part of it, from the Veni budget.

Announcement of possible ROLLING-GRANT FUND

The rolling grant fund for unfettered research provides working capital in the form of research grants to assistant, associate and full professors with a permanent appointment. They can use these at different points in their scientific careers so that they can continue to develop.

The Rolling Grant fund has not been implemented yet. We, at the Researchdesk will be monitoring developments closely and keep you informed.

More information

NEW ERC PANEL STRUCTURE IN 2021 AND 2022

In view of the major revision of the ERC panel structure for the 2021 and 2022 calls, the ERC Scientific Council is publishing the full panel structure.

More information

NWO Open competition-SSH

NWO Open Competition - SSH Non-programmed, Curiosity-driven research - round 2020 Please note that the next deadline for pre-proposals in the NWO Open Competition SSH has been delayed until September 2021 (instead of January 2021).

More information

ODISSEI

ODISSEI (Open Data Infrastructure for Social Science and Economic Innovations) is the national research infrastructure for the social sciences in the Netherlands. ODISSEI brings together researchers with the necessary data, expertise and resources to conduct ground-breaking research and embrace the computational turn in social enquiry.

ODISSEI received large Roadmap investment to understand social change. <u>More information</u>



Covid-19 Research

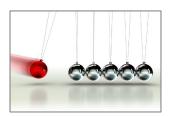
Resilient Society Platform

The current COVID-19 crisis poses many societal and academic challenges. In aim to address these challenges the independent Resilient Society Platform is initiated, which originated in TU Delft and is supported by the VSNU.

It calls for academics and students to be involved.

<u>Resilient Society Platform</u> serves as an online knowledge broker. It aims to connect COVID-19 related questions to solutions and organizes online work sessions. The platform is open for researchers from all domains. It cooperates with the <u>SSH & COVID-19 initiative</u>. So far, over a hundred organizations have joined. In concrete terms, the platform is looking for:

- Researchers who can submit <u>challenges</u> and <u>solutions</u> online or via <u>e-mail</u>;
- Students to act as knowledge brokers, facilitators and communicators (see separate attachment for a recruitment text);
- Reviewers to assess whether suggested challenges meet the goals and quality criteria of the platform. Reviewers can contact the platform via <u>e-mail</u>.



Impact

Knowledge utilisation to create impact - NWO

Besides scientific impact, research should also have a societal impact and contribute to solving societal issues. Within the social sciences and humanities domain, much knowledge and experience has been gained in facilitating the societal impact of research, for example within the many

thematic programmes and international collaborations.

Research manuals have been developed to help social sciences and humanities researchers set up collaborative programmes and projects.

More information



Conferences - workshops

Matchmaking Climate adaptation and health on March 12

On Friday 12 March, NWO will organise an online matchmaking meeting around the Dutch Research Agenda (NWA) call Climate adaptation and health.

Researchers and professionals from the physical environment, social and healthcare domains will get to know each other in a diverse and inspiring

online programme so that they can jointly come up with innovative research ideas. More information

Save the date: 21st Century Skills (NWO/NRO) 16-17-18 March 2021

Four projects investigated 21st-century skills in different areas: primary school, vocational education, higher education and work floor. Join a series of webinars and a plenary meeting on this topic (in Dutch). 16-17-18 March 2021

More information

Ontwikkeling Telt Festival! Online op 20, 21 en 22 april

Dit festival wordt georganiseerd door de Rijksoverheid en de SER. Het is een vervolg op de eerdere congressen van Tel mee met Taal en Leven lang ontwikkelen. Het festival is een inspirerende (digitale) ontmoetingsplaats voor iedereen die zich inzet op het gebied van Leven lang ontwikkelen (zoals leren in het werk, omscholing, ontwikkeladvies) en basisvaardigheden (zoals taal, rekenen, digitale vaardigheden en gezondheidsvaardigheden). Het uitwisselen van kennis en ervaring staat centraal.

Meer informatie

MQ Virtual Mental Health Science Summit - 12th & 13th May

This year's MQ Mental Health Science Summit is organised in collaboration with Wellcome. Now in its seventh year, the Summit is one of the largest international scientific meetings dedicated solely to mental health science. This year's themes include:

- Mental health research in the COVID-19 era
- Children and young people's mental health
- How to tackle inequalities in mental health

More information

Nordic Association for Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect

NFBO invites you to the 11th Nordic conference that will be held in Helsinki, Finland, for the first time. The theme of the conference is Hearing the Voice of Children and Young People.

The conference will be held at 23rd – 26th May 2021, Helsinki, Finland.



<u>Horizon 2020 News</u> <u>European Research Council News</u>

Net4Society is the international network of National Contact Points for

the Societal Challenge 6 ("Europe in a changing world: inclusive, innovative and reflective societies") in Horizon 2020. National Contact Points (NCPs) are set up to quide researchers in their



quest for securing EU funding. Visit their website to be informed on various news items and interesting

More information

Dissemination and Exploitation Booster

The European Commission has just launched a new Dissemination and Exploitation Booster to support FP7/H2020 projects in improving their dissemination and exploitation activities and truly maximise impact and potential uptake. The Booster addresses projects eager to go beyond their Dissemination and Exploitation (D&E) obligations under Horizon 2020. In order to help the beneficiaries get a step further and better implement their D&E actions, the European Commission offers free consulting services through the D&E booster.

More information

ERC Starting Grant

The ERC supports individual principal investigators in any field of research. ERC Grants are open to researchers of any age and nationality who may reside in any country in the world at the time of the application. ERC Grants aims to empower individual researchers and provide the best settings to foster their creativity. If you are an excellent investigator looking to set up your own independent research team or programme, ERC offers an opportunity to be awarded funding for a period up to five years. Expected call opening on 25 February 2021

Deadline: 8 April 2021 More information

ERC Consolidator Grant

ERC Consolidator Grants are designed to support excellent Principal Investigators at the career stage at which they may still be consolidating their own independent research team or programme. Applicant Principal Investigators must demonstrate the ground-breaking nature, ambition and feasibility of their scientific proposal.

Expected call opening on 11 March 2021

Deadline: 20 April 2021 More information

Upcoming call: Proof of Concept

Have you already received an ERC grant for your frontier research project and now want to explore the commercial or societal potential of your work? The ERC Proof of Concept Grant aims to maximise the value of excellent research.

Expected Call Opening: <u>unknown</u> (subject to adoption of Horizon Europe and ERC WP 2021)

More information



NWO News NWO Calendar

Integral call planning

The pausing and restarting of the operational process has caused many shifts in the timetables of funding instruments. NWO has decided to create an overview of these changes. NWO therefore publishes the first part of the integral call planning in which the upcoming deadlines for pre-proposals and full proposals until the end of June 2021 are listed.

NWO funding instruments KIC 2020-2023

The NWO instruments for the Knowledge and Innovation Covenant (KIC) 20202023 provide funding for fundamental and practical research in a public-private partnership (PPP). The set of instruments consists of four main lines, for which 118 million euros has been reserved annually. More information

NWO announces implementation guidelines for Plan S

Plan S – an initiative of European research funders to accelerate the transition to open access – will apply to all new NWO calls published as of 1 January 2021. To give researchers sufficient time to prepare, NWO is already announcing how it will implement the guidelines for Plan S in its grant rules.

More information

Advance notice: New international (cofund) call on capacity building for urban transformations expected

In January JPI Urban Europe expects to publish a new call on capacity building for urban transformations. In the ERA-NET Cofund Urban Transformation Capacities (ENUTC) Call, 14 European countries, including the Netherlands (NWO), together with the European Commission, have earmarked a global budget of about 18 M€, in order to support transnational R&I projects.

The deadline for pre-proposals is in March 2021.

More information

SPRONG educational grants

The Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research's Taskforce for Applied Science (NWO SIA) invites applications for its SPRONG educational grants. These aim to connect existing regional partnerships between teachers, teacher-educators and professors in the field of education with national partnerships of professors in the field. The aim is to increase the impact of applied science in the education field. Deadline: 1 March 2021

More information

Demand-driven Partnerships for Consortia

Demand-driven Partnerships for Consortia 'is a new instrument within the second main line of the Knowledge and Innovation Covenant (KIC) 2020-2023. For this call, NWO is looking for knowledge institutions that want to further investigate a knowledge and / or development question in collaboration with public and private co-funders. The consortia to be formed can submit a research proposal for financing a large-scale project of 3 to 10 million euros.

The Demand-Driven Partnerships for Consortia call has two rounds, each consisting of three steps and associated deadlines: Applying for a statement of suitability (16 February and 31 August) Submitting a preliminary application (16 March and 28 September)

Submitting a full application (6 July 2021 and January 25, 2022)

More information

Talent Programme Vici

The Innovational Research Incentives Scheme Vici is a grant for senior researchers.

Vici is targeted at outstanding senior researchers who have successfully demonstrated the ability to develop their own innovative lines of research, and to act as coaches for young researchers. Researchers who have obtained their PhD within the last 15 years can apply for a Vici grant.

Deadline: 25 March 2021 (pre-registration) Deadline: 26 August 2021 (full application)

More information

Rubicon

NWO invites postgraduates to apply for the Rubicon grant.

Deadlines in 2021: March 30, August 31, November 30

>>> Note: please check with Projectcontrol for calculation of salary compared to budget allocated to the Rubicon grant.

More information

Open Science Fund 2020/2021

The Open Science Fund aims to support researchers to develop, test and implement innovative ways of making research open, accessible, transparent and reusable, covering the whole range of Open Science. With this call, NWO wants to stimulate Open Science by incentivizing and rewarding researchers who are or would like to be at the forefront of this movement.

Deadline: 1 April 2021 More information

Energy transition as a socio-technical challenge

The goal of this call is to gain insight into the possibilities and strategies for the stimulating of a sustainably constructed environment, a zero-emission energy system and sustainable system of mobility through interdisciplinary research into the social, societal and technical aspects of the energy transition.

Deadline pre-registration: 8 April 2021

Deadline full application: 16 September 2021

Dutch Research Agenda - Theme: Health Inequalities

Promoting Health Potential of People with Lower Socioeconomic Status

Relatively large health disadvantages occur among people in a lower socio-economic position. How can this health potential be better addressed and utilized? The thematic program of the National Research Agenda makes \leqslant 4,835,000 available for empirical research into promising breakthroughs from a systems approach.

Deadline pre-registration: 13 April 2021 Deadline full application: 28 August 2021

More information

ERA-NET cofund Urban Transformation Capacities

Full, associate and assistant professors and other researchers with a comparable appointment can submit an application to conduct research on capacity building for urban transformation towards sustainable, resilient and liveable cities.

The aim of the Joint Programming Initiative (JPI) Urban Europe is to create attractive, sustainable, and viable economic urban areas.

Deadline pre-registration: 15 April 2021 Deadline full application: 23 September 2021

More information

Data and intelligence: A safe society with the help of data and intelligence

Within the KIC 2020-2023, budget will be made available for research on innovations for data and intelligence, in the context of the Knowledge and Innovation Agenda (KIA) Security.

The Data and Intelligence programme aims to contribute to better and usable intelligence products that satisfy the needs of the intelligence and security professionals in operational, tactical, and strategic tasks.

Deadline pre-registration: 22 April 2021 Deadline full application: 26 August 2021

More information

Maritime hightech: maritime hightech for a secure sea

Within the KIC 2020-2023, budget will be made available for research on innovations for maritime hightech, in the context of the Knowledge and Innovation Agenda (KIA) Security.

(In Dutch, English will be published soon) De toekomst van Nederland als maritieme handelsnatie is afhankelijk van een veilige zee. De zee is een mondiale transportroute, bron van grondstoffen en voedsel en wingebied voor energie tegelijk. Dat maakt de zee en haar kustgebieden kwetsbaar voor competitie, concurrentie en conflicten.

Deadline pre-registration: 22 April 2021 Deadline full application: 26 August 2021

More information

Long Term Programs Strategy driven consortia with impact

Public-private consortia can apply for funding for a Long Term Program (LTP) with a term of ten years. An LTP aims to structurally stimulate the development of a scientific field on subjects from the mission-driven top sectors and innovation policy.

Deadline: 22 April 2021 (pre-registration)

More information

NWO Talent Programme Veni - Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH)

NWO Talent Programme Veni is a grant for researchers who have recently obtained their PhD, whose qualities clearly exceed what is customary within their international peer group. They are at the start of their scientific career and display a striking talent for scientific research. Veni applicants must have obtained their doctorate within the last three years. The 2021 Veni round is open to researchers who meet this criterion on 1 January 2021.

>>> Please make sure to work on the embedding guarantee well before the deadline (signatures needed) and ask us for help.

Deadline: 7 January 2021 (for submitting the compulsory pre-proposal)

Deadline: 20 May 2020 (full proposal)

More information

Lifestyle and living environment

Interdisciplinary public-private consortia can apply for research funding of sustainable, innovative, preventative interventions aimed at both lifestyle and living environment.

Deadline pre-registration: 26 January 2020 Deadline full application: 25 May 2021

Living with dementia

Interdisciplinary public-private consortia can apply for research funding that contribute to the overarching mission objective of the KIA 2020-2023 Health & Care that by 2030, the quality-of-life of people with dementia has increased by 25%.

Deadline pre-registration: 26 January 2020 Deadline full application: 25 May 2021

More information

NGinfra Responsive Futures: Modelling and Governance for Infrastructures in Transition

NWO and Next Generation Infrastructures (NGinfra) are jointly developing the research programme 'Responsive Futures: Modelling and Governance for Infrastructures in Transition'. The programme is a continuation of the previous collaboration between NWO and NGinfra entitled 'Responsive Innovations'. The aim of 'Responsive Futures' is to fund interdisciplinary research which generates insights for developing a 'multi-infrastructure system'.

Deadline: 26 January 2021 **27 May 2021**

More information

Dutch Research Agenda - Theme: Climate adaptation and health

This call for proposals calls upon knowledge institutions, civil society organisations and other interested parties to develop practice-oriented research proposals on the theme 'Climate adaptation and health: A healthy living environment for people, animals and plants in times of climate change'. The consortia to be formed will work in an inter- and transdisciplinary manner and across the entire knowledge chain.

Matchmaking Climate adaptation and health on March 12

Deadline pre-registration: 2 June 2021 Deadline full application: 18 November 2021

More information

Human Capital: Learning communities as innovation accelerator

The aim of the call "Human Capital: learning communities as innovation accelerator" is to acquire new knowledge about the optimal development and deployment of learning communities so that the interaction of working and learning leads to innovation.

Deadline: 15 June 2021

More information

TTW Perspectief

A public private partnership programme of NWO Applied and Engineering Sciences connected to the Knowledge and Innovation Covenant. The application process has four steps:

The deadline for submitting initiatives was 22 October 2020 >>> Failure to publish initiatives online excludes applicants from submitting a pre-proposal

The deadline for request for assessment of suitability in Top Sectors policy is 17 November 2020 The deadline for submitting pre-proposals is 15 December 2020

The deadline for submission of full proposals is 15 June 2021

More information

Mission-driven innovation systems in a regional context: a knowledge base for social earning capacity

Within the KIC 2020-2023, budget is made available for research into mission-driven innovation systems, in the context of the Knowledge and Innovation Agenda Social Earning Capacity. Interdisciplinary consortia including research institutes and public and private organisations can submit proposals.

Deadline pre-registration: 17 June 2021

More information

Third call NWA programme 'Research along routes by consortia'

NWO has published the third funding round of the NWA research programme 'Research along Routes by Consortia (ORC)'. The aim of the NWA-ORC 2020/21 is to stimulate research and innovation aimed at the portfolio of the 25 routes and the associated 140 cluster questions in the Dutch Research Agenda (NWA).

The deadline for submitting initiatives is 1 October 2020 >>> Failure to publish initiatives online excludes applicants from submitting a pre-proposal

The deadline for submitting pre-proposals is 14 January 2021

The deadline for submission of full proposals is 24 June 2021

More information

MVI top up Electrochemical Conversion and Materials (ECCM)

The new ECCM MVI top-up call has two priorities: the collaboration of tenure track researchers from the natural sciences with researchers from the social sciences and humanities, and the connection of the ECCM tenure track research with Responsible Innovation research.

Deadline: continuous

More information ECCM/MVI Top-Up call

KIEM 2020

Kiem 2020 is open to exploratory research from universities of applied sciences in collaboration with SMEs and the public sector.

Deadline: ongoing More information

Open Access Books

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

Deadline: ongoing More information

Cooperation Germany - Von Humboldt Stiftung (VHS)

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

Submission deadline: continuous application

More information

NWO Taiwan (MOST) Cooperation - Joint Seminars

NWO has a cooperation agreement with the Ministry of Science and Technology of Taiwan (MOST; former NSC). The Cooperation Taiwan (MOST) programme is for Dutch researchers who want to cooperate with colleagues in Taiwan. It offers the opportunity of a joint seminar in Taiwan or the Netherlands. Submission deadline: continuous application

More information



NRO News

Innovation in education through research

The Netherlands Initiative for Education

Research (NRO) contributes to innovation and improvements in education by coordinating and funding educational research and by facilitating the connections between educational practice and research. See granting information and calls for proposals More information (in Dutch)

Praktijkgericht Onderwijsonderzoek- Gedrag en Passend onderwijs - derde ronde

The "Gedrag en passend onderwijs" (behaviour and education) round is a grant for schools and educational researchers. A budget of 1.000.000 euros is available for this round. Since this round is focused on Dutch education, all documentation is in Dutch.

Deadline intentieverklaringen was: 21 Januari 2020, voor het indienen van startaanvragen was 10 maart De sluitingsdatum voor het indienen van volledige aanvragen is 15 april 2021 More information

Leven Lang Ontwikkelen

Onderzoekers kunnen financiering aanvragen om de ontwikkeling van de leercultuur en eigen regie op leven lang ontwikkelen in kaart te brengen. Of volwassenen daadwerkelijk deelnemen aan leer- en ontwikkelactiviteiten (een leven lang ontwikkelen) hangt echter af van de interactie tussen aspecten op microniveau (zoals individuele motivatie, interesse, eerdere leerervaringen), mesoniveau (zoals onderwijsaanbod en leercultuur) en macroniveau (zoals landelijk beleid).

Deadline intentieverklaringen: 11 februari 2021 Deadline volledige aanvraag: 22 april 2021

Meer informatie

Kennisbenutting Plus

Kennisbenutting Plus is a grant for activities that stimulate the utilization of educational research. A budget of \in 60.000 is available. Since this grant is focused on Dutch education, all documentation is in Dutch. Call for proposals: continuous

Meer informatie

Urgent onderzoek

Het NRO heeft in toenemende mate te maken met het uitzetten van onderzoek naar urgente vragen met een korte looptijd en een relatief klein bedrag waarbij het van belang is dat er snel gestart kan worden. De gebruikelijke procedure is hiervoor ongeschikt, onder andere vanwege de grote investering aan de kant van aanvragers en de langere doorlooptijd. Het NRO heeft daarom een nieuwe procedure ontwikkeld voor het snel starten van relatief kort onderzoek naar urgente vragen.

Vanaf 19 november 2019 kan het NRO de registraties in de database gebruiken voor het uitzetten van kleine subsidies.

Meer informatie



<u>News</u>

Nationale Wetenschaps Agenda (NWA) - Gezondheidsverschillen – beter benutten van het gezondheidspotentieel van mensen in een lagere sociaaleconomische positie

Onder mensen in een lagere sociaaleconomische positie komen relatief grote gezondheidsachterstanden voor. Hoe kan dit gezondheidspotentieel beter worden aangesproken en benut? De Nationale Wetenschapsagenda stelt €4.835.000 beschikbaar voor empirisch onderzoek naar kansrijke doorbraken vanuit een systeembenadering. Brede consortia kunnen voorstellen indienen

voor een omvangrijk onderzoeksprogramma.

Vooraankondiging van uw intentie tot indienen (verplicht) **uiterlijk 25 februari 2021** per mail Deadline indienen van vooraanmeldingen (fase I) - 13 april 2021

Deadline indienen van volledige aanvragen (fase II) - 28 september 2021

Meer informatie

Onderzoek Leeftijdsgrenzen in de Wet donorgegevens kunstmatige bevruchting (Wdkb)

Uit de tweede evaluatie van de Wet donorgegevens kunstmatige bevruchting (Wdkb) kwam naar voren dat de gehanteerde leeftijdsgrenzen onvoldoende zijn onderbouwd. Het doel van deze subsidieoproep is dan ook om de leeftijdsgrenzen beter te verantwoorden dan wel een aanpassing in de leeftijdsgrenzen aan te brengen.

Deadline: 2 maart 2021

Meer informatie

Gender in Research Fellowship

The ZonMw Gender and Health Knowledge Program will provide Gender in Research Fellowships for PhD-students and post-doctoral researchers to get exclusive access to the Gender in Research workshops and attend the Gender and Health course of the Erasmus Summer Programme.

Deadline: 18 March 2021

More information

Klinisch toegepast onderzoek in de geestelijke gezondheidszorg

U kunt subsidie aanvragen voor klinisch toegepast onderzoek in de geestelijke gezondheidszorg. Dit is de tweede van in totaal 3 subsidierondes voor klinisch toegepast onderzoek binnen het Onderzoeksprogramma ggz.

Deadline: 30 maart 2021

Meer informatie

Joint Transnational Call 2021 for research projects in synergy with the FET Flagship Human Brain Project (Note: For the Netherlands: Only Human Brain Project)

LAG-ERA gathers National and Regional Funding Organisations (NRFOs) in Europe and beyond with the goal of supporting, together with the European Commission, the FET Flagship initiatives, i.e., the Graphene Flagship and the Human Brain Project (HBP) Flagship. One of its main aims is to allow researchers to complement the current Flagship projects and to collaborate towards the achievement of their vision using existing or dedicated transnational, national and regional calls Note that researchers interested to work in the framework of the Flagships can also do so using other sources of funding in combination with the Flagship association mechanisms (Graphene Flagship, Human Brain Project). Deadline: 19 April 2021

More information

Vierde evaluatie van de Wet toetsing levensbeëindiging op verzoek en hulp bij zelfdodingDeze oproep betreft de vierde evaluatie van de Wet toetsing levensbeëindiging op verzoek en hulp bij

zelfdoding. Deadline: 11 mei 2021

Meer informatie

Citizen Science voor Gezondheid en Zorg

Het doel van het programma Citizen Science voor Gezondheid en Zorg (CS4GZ) is het realiseren van creatieve, innovatieve en vooral ook duurzame oplossingen aan de hand van Citizen Science voor het Maatschappelijk Thema Gezondheid en Zorg.

Deadline: 18 mei 2021

Meer informatie





News

The Academy regards awards as an important means of showcasing outstanding and promising researchers. They also serve to spotlight specific areas of research and/or the arts. In addition, the Academy runs a number of incentive programmes specifically meant to encourage research excellence, in particular

among young scientists and scholars.

The Academy offers several awards and funding possibilities.

More information

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

More information on NIAS Co-Sponsored Fellowships

Mingler Scholarship

Eenmaal per jaar stellen de Akademie van Kunsten en De Jonge Akademie in samenwerking met het Niemeijer Fonds een Mingler Scholarship beschikbaar voor een samenwerking tussen een wetenschapper en een kunstenaar. Het Scholarship is bedoeld voor kunstenaars (uit alle artistieke disciplines) en wetenschappers (onderzoekers uit de geesteswetenschappen, sociale en natuurwetenschappen) die samen een onderzoeksproject willen starten.

Deadline: 1 Maart 2021

Meer informatie

NIAS-Lorentz Theme Group

The NIAS-Lorentz Program calls for coordinators for the NIAS-Lorentz Theme Group (NLTG) 2022/2023. A NIAS-Lorentz Theme Group (NLTG) is an international group of three researchers including the coordinator. All NLTG members hold fellowships at NIAS, providing them the opportunity to work as a team and engage in the kind of intensive interdisciplinary collaboration that is often difficult to realize in a regular academic setting. They specifically work as a group on cutting-edge research that bridges the divide between the humanities and/or social sciences and the natural and/or technological sciences.

Deadline: 15 February 2021 pre-proposals Deadline: 15 April 2021 full proposal

Deadline: 30 September 2021 detailed Workshop proposal

More information

Instituut GAK-KNAW Award

This award offers researchers the opportunity to work on topics in the fields of social security and labour market policy and concentrate on producing new scientific knowledge or work on solutions to practical issues. The inspiring international environment at NIAS-KNAW offers researchers an opportunity to work within a multidisciplinary community of scholars.

Deadline: 13 mei 2021 More information

Workshops at the Lorentz Center

There are currently two types of workshops at the Lorentz Center with a humanities and/or social sciences component:

- The NIAS-Lorentz Workshops (NLW) for research that bridges the divide between humanities and/or social sciences and the natural and/or technological sciences.
- The SSH Workshops, which only significantly involve disciplines from the humanities and/or social sciences – whether interdisciplinary or monodisciplinary research.

Deadlines for submission of workshop applications are 30 January, 30 May and 30 September. More information

Dr Hendrik Muller Prize

The Dr Hendrik Muller Prize is awarded every two years to a mid-career researcher working in the Netherlands, who has a sustainable link with the Netherlands and has made an outstanding contribution to the humanities or social sciences.

Nominations for the next round may be submitted from March 2021.

More information

KNAW Early Career Award

The KNAW Early Career Award is intended to showcase talented PhD graduates, and to provide them with support and encouragement. The Award is aimed at researchers at the start of their career who are capable of developing innovative and original research ideas.

Nominations for the next round may be submitted from April 2021.

More information

National Postdoc Prize

The National Postdoc Prize was established in 2017 by The Young Academy and the Royal Holland Society of Sciences and Humanities (KHMW) as an incentive for postdoc researchers and assistant professors who conduct excellent scientific research that could have a major impact on society. Nominations for the next round may be submitted from April 2021.

More information





National Institute for Health Research

UK's largest funder of health and care research, working in partnership with the NHS, universities, local government, other research funders, patients and the public.

Check their website for various funding possibilities.

More information

IASH (University of Edinburgh)

Several Fellowship programmes for external researchers.

Various deadlines.

More information

LIVES>Doctoral Programme

The NCCR LIVES proposes a Doctoral Programme intended in the first instance for doctoral students in social science and psychology who include life course issues in their work.

Each year "Doctoriales" are being organised, which are an opportunity for all PhD candidates within the Doctoral Programme to present their work in front of LIVES members and external experts.

More information

Grawemeyer award in psychology

The University of Louisville invites nominations from throughout the world by individuals, professional associations, university presidents and administrators, and publishers or editors of journals and books in psychology.

Deadline: 28 February 2021

More information

Travel Grant René Vogels Foundation

The René Vogels Foundation invites applications for its travel grants. These enable young researchers in the field of oncology to conduct research abroad. In exceptional cases, grants can be used to complete a course.

Deadline: 1 March 2021 More information

Spencer Foundation Small Research grants on education

The Spencer Foundation invites proposals for its small research grants. This 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. The foundation accepts applications three times per year.

Next deadline: 1 March 2021

Small Research grants

The Spencer Foundation invites proposals for its small research grants. These support smaller scale or pilot projects that will contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived.

Deadline: 1 March 2021 (1 June 2021 & 1 October 2021)

More information

Esther Rosen Fund grants

The Esther Katz Rosen Precollege Psychology Grant Program provides financial support for efforts aimed at improving the quality of education in psychological science and its application in the secondary schools for high ability students. Proposals must focus on supplying education for gifted and talented high school students.

Deadline: 1 March 2021 More information

Stichting tot Steun VCVGZ

De Stichting tot Steun VCVGZ kent subsidiegelden toe voor wetenschappelijk onderzoek of innovatieve projecten in de psychiatrie. Zij doet dat vanuit een breed christelijk perspectief. Zowel GGZ-instellingen als wetenschappelijke instituten kunnen aanvragen indienen voor financiering van projecten. Subsidieaanvragen, tussen- en eindrapportages worden behandeld tijdens een bestuursvergadering. Hieronder de vergaderdata voor 2020 en de bijbehorende uiterste datum voor het inzenden van stukken:

Vergaderdatum Uiterste datum aanleveren stukken

23 september 9 september 16 december 2020 2 december 2020 17 maart 2021 3 maart 2021

Meer informatie

All Saints Educational Trust Corporate Awards

The All Saints Educational Trust invites applications for its corporate awards. These support religious education or home economics teaching, or the development of education, in schools or the community. Grants are typically made to fund time-limited projects rather than augment the general funds of receipt institutions.

Deadline: 19 March 2021

More information

Institutional grants

The Tinker Foundation invites applications for its institutional grants. These support the creation of effective policy changes to improve the lives of Latin Americans. Proposals should address one of the following areas of interest: democratic governance; education; sustainable resource management.

Letter of Inquiry Open Date: January 11, 2021 Letter of Inquiry Close Date: January 28, 2021

Full Proposal Submission Date (by invitation only): 24 March 2021

Final Decisions: June 2021

More information

Max Weber Fellowships

The MWP is open to eligible applicants who are within 5 years from the completion of their PhD, in the fields of political and social sciences.

The aim of the MWP is to provide Fellows with the experience of membership of a vibrant academic community, to which they make a central contribution.

(The annual deadline for applications for the Max Weber Fellowships is 18 October)

Deadline applications for self-funded Fellowships: 25 March 2021

More information

MSR Scholarship

The Mahmoud S. Rabbani Scholarship is intended for Arab students who have been accepted into a Masters or Ph.D programme in the Netherlands or for Dutch students who have been accepted into a Masters or Ph.D programme in the Arab World.

Deadline: 31 March 2021

More information

Yidan Prize

The Yidan Prize aims to create a better world through education. The Prize comprises two categories: the Yidan Prize for Education Research, which recognizes outstanding research that contributes in significant ways to education, and the Yidan Prize for Education Development, which recognizes innovative ideas that tackle important challenges in the field of education.

Deadline: 31 March 2021

ORWAC

The Organization for Research on Women and Communication invites submissions for the 11th annual Research Development Grant. Members are eligible to apply in one of five grant categories that support scholars at different levels of their career: Category 1 for undergraduate students, Category 2 for master's students, Category 3 for doctoral students, Category 4 for contingent faculty, and Category 5 for tenure/track faculty. Grants are designed to assist feminist scholars completing research or creative projects that privilege and advance understandings about the intersectionality and complexity defining women's lives.

Deadline: 1 April 2021 More information

Wenner-Gren symposia grants

The Wenner-Gren Foundation seeks proposals for its new Seminar program.

Growing out of our longstanding Symposium program, Wenner-Gren Seminars are small three-day workshops that bring together scholars at different stages of their career for conversations addressing one or more of the Foundation's strategic goals: advancing anthropological knowledge, increasing the impact of anthropology, addressing the precarity of anthropologists, and promoting an inclusive vision of the field

Deadline: 1 April 2021 More information

DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) Research Stays for University Academics and Scientists

University teachers and established academics and scientists who have usually completed a doctoral degree and work at a university or research institute in their home country can apply.

The aim of this particular programme is to support short-term research stays and thus promote the exchange of experience and networking amongst colleagues.

Deadline: 1 April 2020 for research stays starting August 1st of the same year and January 15th of the following year;

August 31st for research stays starting between 1st February and 15th July of the following year.

More information

Huibregtsenprijs- Stichting De Avond van Wetenschap & Maatschappij

Jaarlijks onderscheidt het bestuur van de Stichting De Avond van Wetenschap & Maatschappij bijzondere wetenschappelijke prestaties van onderzoekers, werkzaam in een van de Nederlandse publieke onderzoeksinstellingen. De onderscheiding wordt uitgereikt aan degene die eindverantwoordelijk is voor het bekroonde onderzoek – de onderzoeksleider.

Let op: indienen gaat via CvB.

Deadline 15 april 2021

Meer informatie

Germany – Alexander Von Humboldt Stiftung (VHS)

Junior researchers of all nationalities and disciplines can carry out their own long-term research project in cooperation with an academic host of their choice at a research institution in Germany.

Submission deadline: continuous application

More information

Senior Researchers: Alexander von Humboldt Professorship.

Winners of this most highly-endowed research award in Germany are honoured for their outstanding research record and can carry out long-term and groundbreaking research at a university or research institute in Germany.

Two selection rounds per year; deadlines: 15 April and 15 September.

More information

Netspar Theme Grants

Netspar supports innovative academic research on all aspects of the social sciences related to aging and retirement. As part of these efforts, Netspar offers Theme Grants for three years, with a maximum of k€ 250 per project.

This year, Netspar has k€750 to allocate. Furthermore, there is additional possibility for funding by Instituut Gak by means of an extra theme project (2). This could raise the total amount to allocate new multi-year pension research in 2020 to € 1 million.

Netspar will inform interested researchers in more detail about the new extra funding possibility by Instituut Gak during the Matchmaking Event on 18 March 2021.

Deadline: 20 April 2021 (draft proposal)

Evans fund

The University of Cambridge invites applications for the Evans fund. A graduate of any university is eligible to apply for a Fellowship, provided that they intend to engage in research in anthropology and archaeology (broadly defined as ethnological, ethnographic or archaeological research) in relation to South East Asia.

Deadline: 27 April 2021 More information

FNO: Call <u>Evaluatieonderzoek</u> programma Samen Kansrijk en Gezond

en

FNO: Call Gebiedsgerichte aanpak programma Samen Kansrijk en Gezond

Deze calls zijn een oproep tot het indienen van een onderzoeksvoorstel voor de evaluatie van het programma Samen Kansrijk en Gezond. FNO zoekt een (consortium van) onderzoekspartijen die in nauwe samenwerking met de gebieden en het programmateam van FNO het evaluatieonderzoek van het programma vormgeeft.

'In Samen Kansrijk en Gezond willen we leren hoe we in Nederland hulp, zorg en ondersteuning beter en doelmatiger kunnen organiseren om zo gezondheidsachterstanden bij gezinnen te verminderen.' Deadline: 28 april 2021

Meer informatie

UNESCO-Japan prize on education for sustainable development

The UNESCO-Japan Prize on Education for sustainable development, funded by the Government of Japan, consists of three annual awards of USD 50,000 for each recipient.

The Prize and award winners recognize the role of education in connecting the social, economic, cultural and environmental dimensions of sustainable development.

Deadline: 30 April 2021 More information

NORFACE and HERA launch a new programme – **CHANSE Transformations: Social and Cultural Dynamics in the Digital Age**. CHANSE will support new and innovative research into the workings, meaning and consequences of transformations and innovations in the present digital age, viewed through the lens of the social and cultural dynamics. The objective of the call is to help understand how digital innovations give rise to social and cultural changes, and are also influenced by society and culture. Deadline for outline proposals: 7 May 2021

Deadline for full proposals (for invited applicants): 7 December 2021

More information

Gerda Henkel Stiftung

The funding activities concentrate basically on German and foreign academics in the fields of historical humanities. Candidates can apply regardless of their nationality and place of work. Funding Programme Democracy, two calls:

- The first, historically oriented subsection on the topic of **Democracy as a Utopia, Experience** and **Threats** aims at placing the aforementioned problematic issues in the broader historical
 context and considering the history of conflicts over the foundation of the social order.
- The second subsection, which is oriented towards analysis of the present situation and predictions
 for the future, focuses on **Transformations of Democracy? Or: The Contours of Future Democratic Society.** It represents an invitation to venture contributions, speculations and
 assertions so that we might learn to better understand the complex present-day situation and the
 processes of profound transformation that are taking shape while also trying to trace the contours
 of future society.

Deadline: 12 May 2021 More information

Niels Stensen Fellowship

Since the 1960s, the Niels Stensen Fellowship has been awarded annually to outstanding researchers who recently received their PhD to enable them to gain research experience at a top university or institute abroad. Candidates for the Niels Stensen Fellowship have to meet several requirements to be eligible and need to be nominated by two professors from a Dutch university or research institute. It is not possible for candidates to apply for a grant themselves.

Deadline: 15 June 2021 More information

Holberg Prize

The Holberg Prize is an international prize awarded for outstanding contributions to research in the arts and humanities, social sciences, law and theology.

Nomination deadline: 15 June 2021

BBVA's Foundation Frontiers of Knowledge Awards

The BBVA Foundation Frontiers of Knowledge Awards recognize fundamental contributions in a broad array of areas of scientific knowledge, technology, humanities and artistic creation.

Deadline: 30 June 2021 More information

IsDB: PhD and Post-Doctoral Research Programme

The Islamic Development Bank invites applications for its PhD and Post-Doctoral Research Programme. The Programme was launched with the objective to produce technically qualified human resources in the IsDB member countries and Muslim Communities in non-member countries by providing scholarships to promising and outstanding scholars and researchers to undertake PhD studies and Post-Doctoral research in development related fields with a special focus on "Sustainability Science" and to achieve Sustainable Development Goals.

Deadline: see website

More information

DFG Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft: Emmy Noether Programme

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

Deadline: ongoing More information

Volkswagen Stiftung

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

Deadline: ongoing More information

BIMTECH Research Fellowship for Young Global Scholars

The BIMTECH Research Fellowship scheme is to provide opportunities to researchers from foreign B Schools/Universities to undertake advanced studies in India leading to research outcomes. Deadline: ongoing (selection meets only three time a year – March, July and November)

More information

The British Academy: Newton International Fellowships

The Newton International Fellowships enable researchers to work for two years at a UK institution with the aim of fostering long-term international collaborations.

Deadline: ongoing More information

The British Academy: Global Professorships

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

Deadline: ongoing More information

Dokter Wittenberg Stichting

De Dokter Wittenberg Stichting verleent subsidies aan projecten die bijdragen aan de terugkeer in de samenleving en de arbeidsmarkt van (uitbehandelde) psychiatrische patiënten.

Door de toekenning van financiële bijdragen wordt beoogd initiatieven te ondersteunen die zonder deze ondersteuning niet levensvatbaar zijn. Het kan daarbij gaan om tijdelijke projecten; of liever nog om projecten die na verloop van tijd ook zonder financiële ondersteuning van de Dokter Wittenberg Stichting voortgang vinden.

Doorlopende aanmelding

Meer informatie



OTHER: Latin American funding

Visit the Euraxess Brazil & LAC website for funding opportunities. More information

Open Society Foundations

The Latin America Program addresses rights and governance issues in Latin America and the Caribbean through grant making, network building, and collaboration with partners. They focus on supporting Latin American and Caribbean efforts to defend democracy and increase governmental transparency, protect minority rights, reduce homicides, and reform drug policy.

The Latin America Program accepts letters of inquiry in English, Spanish or Portuguese. There is no established deadline to submit them, these requests are being reviewed on an ongoing basis.

More information









UKRI Medical Research Council

More information

ESRC (Economic and Social Research Council) is part of UK Research and Innovation (UKRI), a new organisation that brings together the UK's seven research councils, Innovate UK and Research England to maximize the contribution of each council and create the best environment for research and innovation to flourish.

More information

ESRC postdoctoral fellowships

The call is open to applicants who have completed their PhD at a research organisation that is part of a DTP and who are within 12 months of passing their viva voce. At the submission deadline, the applicant must either have been awarded a PhD or have submitted their thesis and passed their viva voce with minor corrections, with the expectation that the PhD will be awarded by the fellowship start date. Deadline: 23 March 2021

More information

Linked justice and education data research fellowship

Apply for funding to conduct research and analysis through Administrative Data Research (ADR) UK. Your project will show how Ministry of Justice (MoJ) justice data and Department for Education (DfE) educational data could have an impact on policy.

Deadline: 30 March 2021

More information

Global Talent Visa: new visa scheme for international researchers to be led by UK Research and Innovation

The Global Talent Visa introduces new routes for researchers to work and live in the UK. Individuals wishing to apply for the new visa will be able to do so on the UK Government website from 20 February 2020.

More information

Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) Open call

Read more about the opportunities to seek funding through the Research Grants open call. This open call has no fixed closing date.

More information

• **(ESRC) Secondary Data Analysis Initiative (SDAI)** - open call The Secondary Data Analysis Initiative aims to deliver high-quality high-impact research through

utilising existing data resources created by the ESRC and other agencies in order to address some of the most pressing challenges facing society.

• (ESRC) UKRI-FAPESP ESRC Working with Brazilian researchers— Open call
UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) and the State of São Paulo Research Foundation (FAPESP)
have agreed a pioneering Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to welcome, encourage and
support applications that may cut across their national boundaries and involve international
collaborative teams.

Deadline: ongoing.

New Investigator Grants

New Investigator Grants will support new researchers and academics at the start of their careers to become independent researchers through gaining experience of managing and leading research projects and teams. In addition, they will provide applicants with an opportunity not only to support their own skill development but also the skill development of research staff employed on the grant.

There are no fixed closing dates – proposals can be submitted at any time More information

Find Funding Websites



American Anthropological Association

Find information on international grants and fellowships More information

AURORA

Find funders and funding opportunities on the Finnish AURORA website. More information

APA

Find research funding, scholarships, honours and awards from APA and other psychology-related organizations.

More information

Collaborative grants and further

Read more on the Luris website:

More information

Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC)

Read more about the opportunities to seek funding through their Research Grants open call. More information

Grants, Scholarships and Fellowships

Find funders and funding opportunities on the Open **Society** Foundation website.

More information

LURIS Deadlines list:

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Promovendi Netwerk Nederland

More information

Princeton University

More information

Scholarship portal

Find scholarships to Finance your Study on the Study portals website.

More information

Wenner-Gren Foundation (supporting anthropology worldwide)

More information

WilWegWijzer

Thinking of going abroad? Many possibilities for PHD's in foreign countries.

More information

ZonMw - ELSI

Onderzoekers zoeken antwoorden op ethische, juridische en maatschappelijke vragen vaak op diverse plekken binnen de eigen organisatie. Sinds kort kunnen zij hun vragen over Ethical, Legal and Social Implications (ELSI) ook beantwoord krijgen door een landelijke ELSI Servicedesk.

Meer informatie



Additional Information

NWO news and events

Calendar for researchers. Scientific conferences, specialist conferences and closing dates for the submission of grant applications.

More information