

Newsletter Research; 22 August 2016

European Research Council: Proposal-Reading-Day - FFG/Starting u. Consolidator Grant, 9.9.2016

In the wake of the upcoming ERC Starting und Consolidator Grant calls, the FFG would like to offer potential applicants the opportunity to read successful ERC proposals.

Due to the kind consent of the ERC grantees in question, FFG can offer several sample proposals for the domains „Physical Sciences and Engineering“, „Life Sciences“ and „Social Sciences and Humanities“ as reading material within FFG premises (currently available panels: LS1, LS2, LS7, LS8, LS9, PE2, PE3, SH2, SH3, SH6).

Date of the next “Proposal Reading Day”: Friday, 9th Sept. 2016, 3 pm - 6 pm

Location: FFG, Sensengasse 1, 1090 Vienna, Room Bernhard Brühl, Ground Floor

Registration: please notify FFG at gudrun.reisenauer@ffg.at (if possible no later than one week before the respective date).

If you are already registered and not able attend, please send a short notification.

According to informal information the following deadlines are currently planned for the ERC Calls

2017: Starting Grant Call 2017: October 18th. 2016 Consolidator Grant Call 2017: February 9th, 2017

Advanced Grant Call 2017: August 31st, 2017

Please note that these dates are still indicative at this stage.

Open Calls

European FTI-Funding Life Sciences, August 2016

Update Call 2017 for „Health“

Further information: https://www.ffg.at/ausschreibungen/horizon2020_health

Deadline 1st stage: October 4th, 2016

The following themes of the call 2017 follow a 2-stage procedure:

- SC1-PM-02-2017: New concepts in patient stratification
- SC1-PM-08-2017: New therapies for rare diseases
- SC1-PM-07-2017: Promoting mental health and well-being in the young
- SC1-PM-10-2017: Comparing the effectiveness of existing healthcare interventions in the adult population

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Call 2016 „Health Programme“ of the european commission

Deadline: September 13th, 2016

Calls for tender:

- a study on the added value of the strategic and life-course approach to vaccination and
- a study on shortcomings related to low vaccination coverage in health care workers.

Further information: http://ec.europa.eu/chafea/health/tender-51-2015_en.html

Daniel Swarovski Fundingfonds 2016

Target group: young researches at the Medical University Innsbruck

Deadline: 15th September 2016

Further information: <https://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/foerderungen/foe/>

Application: <http://fld.i-med.ac.at/public/garinfo.cgi>

Sir Hans Krebs-Prize 2016

Target group: researchers up to an age of 45 years

Deadline: 17th October 2016

Further information and application: <http://www.mh-hannover.de/ausschreibungen.html>

Hans-Heinrich Niemann-Prize 2016

Target group: researchers up to an age of 40 years

Deadline: 10th October 2016

Further information and application: <http://www.mh-hannover.de/ausschreibungen.html>

Arnold Spiegel- Promotion Prize 2016

Target group: graduates in the field of biomedicine who finished their studies with a degree Dr.med.vet., Dr.med., Dr. rer.nat., or PhD within the last two years.

Deadline: 17th October 2016

Further information and application: <http://www.mh-hannover.de/ausschreibungen.html>

Peter und Traudl Engelhorn-Stiftung Research Prize 2017

Target group: Young scientists not older than 35 years, living/working in Austria, Germany or Switzerland distinguished by their outstanding scientific achievements in Life Sciences dedicated to the biology of infection.

Deadline: 30th August 2016

Further information and application:

<http://www.engelhornstiftung.de//index.php/ausschreibung2017.php>

3 Grants Fulbright Austria – 2017/18

* Fulbright Grants for Teaching and Research

* Fulbright-Botstiber Visiting Professor of Austrian-American Studies

* Fulbright Visiting Professor at the University of Minnesota

Target group: austrian scientists

Deadline: 30th October 2016

Further Information: <http://www.fulbright.at/going-to-the-usa/scholars/programm/>

Arnold Rikli Prize

The Arnold Rikli-Prize is an international award offered to all scientific disciplines represented in photobiology that focus on the effects of optical radiation on the human organism.

Target group: young photobiologically researchers

Deadline: 30th April 2017

Further information: [http://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/files/Arnold-Rikli-](http://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/files/Arnold-Rikli-Ausschreibung_Foerderpreis-2016.docx)

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Second call for the invitation of the EIP-AGRI projects

Deadline: September 30th, 2016

Further information:

https://www.bmlfuw.gv.at/land/laendl_entwicklung/foerderinfo/veroeffentlichung_stichtag_aufrufe_1/aufruf_vha_1611_und_1621.html

Further information:**General amendments Horizon 2020 work programme 2017**

Further information: http://europa.eu/rapid/press-release_MEMO-16-2604_en.htm

Work programme 2017 at the participant portal:

http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/funding/reference_docs.html

New version of the Model Grant Agreements (MGA)

The new version of the Model Grant Agreements (MGA) has been published on July 20th, 2016.

Further information:

https://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/funding/reference_docs.html

FFG webinars to the calls 2017: notes and presentations are available

<https://www.ffg.at/europa/veranstaltungen/webinar>

1st Pfizer Biotech Partnering Days, 4. – 5. October 2016

Invitation: http://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/files/Invitation_Pfizer-Berlin-Biotech-Partnering-Days-2.pdf

Further information: www.berlinresearchlab.de

Deadline Proposals: 31.08.2016

Reminder

New Gender Monitoring Tool for Grant Application

The Coordination Office for Equality, Affirmative Action for Women and Gender Research of the Medical University of Innsbruck has developed a building-block-system to integrate gender-specific and equality-relevant standards in grant applications quickly, in a structured manner and in agreement with the European legal and quality criteria.

Detailed information and building blocks to download (English and German):

<http://www.gendermed.at/de/geschlechterforschung-2/gender-monitoring-tool.html>

24. FFG Call- Bridge 1

The FFG Bridge 1 funds near-basic research collaborative projects between a scientific and a business partner, whereby at least 80 % of the work must be carried out at the scientific partner institution.

Business partners commit themselves to finance the remaining project costs.

Funding level: maximum 75% of project costs.

Duration: up to 36 Months

Deadline: 06.09.2016 16:00

Total call budget: at least 4 Mio. Euro

Further information: <https://www.ffg.at/bridge1>

FWF - START-Prize

Researchers should be given the long-term and extensive financial security to plan their research and to build up or consolidate their own research groups thereby qualifying themselves for senior scientific positions (especially as university professors within Austria or abroad).

Target group: outstanding young researchers of any discipline with two or more years research experience as Postdoc

Length: 6 years, an interim review after 3 years decides on continuation

Level: maximum 1.2 Mio. €

Deadline: 19th September 2016 (date of postmark)

Further Information:

<https://www.fwf.ac.at/en/research-funding/fwf-programmes/start-programme/>

FWF – Call - Science Communication Programme 2016

Grants are awarded for outstanding science communication measures related to a research project funded by the FWF. Decisive is the quality in terms of originality, attractiveness and appropriateness of the planned communication activities for the target groups as well as the opportunities for the target audience to participate.

Target: Researchers who work in Austria and who currently have a FWF-sponsored project or whose FWF grant period ended no more than three years prior to application.

Proposals must be submitted in German language

Funding level: up to 50.000 Euro per application

Total call budget: 250.000 Euro

Deadline: 19.09.2016

Further Information:

<https://www.fwf.ac.at/en/research-funding/application/science-communication-programme-wisskomm/>

European Pathways to Open Science

A joined National information event, organised by OpenAIRE NOAD Austria and FFG (Austrian Research Promotion Agency).

When: 25 October 2016, 10:00 - 03:30

Where: Universität Wien, Aula am Campus, Spitalgasse 2, 1090 Wien

Further Information:

<https://www.openaire.eu/events/eventdetail/407/53|54|55|56|57|58/european-pathways-to-open-science>

Homepage SC Forschung: https://www.i-med.ac.at/servicecenter_forschung/index.html

Database Devices and Methods: <http://geraetedb.i-med.ac.at><http://geraetedb.i-med.ac.at>