

Funding options

Stay abroad:

[DAAD: Short research/travel grants for PhDs](#)

Funding: Research stays abroad at a university, research institute or research lab are funded, especially: research in libraries or archives, field work, experiments

Requirements: for doctoral researchers doing their PhD at a German university

[Martin Luther University Networking funds](#)

Funding: for participation in conferences and further education measures as well as for working group meetings/research stays

[Friedrich Schiller University Jena: ProChance^{exchange}](#)

Funding: Expenses of up to € 1,000 may be provided.

Requirements: For female doctoral researchers employed at Jena University only.

[Leipzig University / Research Academy Leipzig](#)

Funding: travel allowance for conference participation or research stays abroad

Requirements: active participation (e.g. poster presentation, giving a lecture, ...), for doctoral researchers at Leipzig University only

[Erasmus Traineeships Saxony-Anhalt](#)

Funding: Monthly grant rates between 480 and 600 Euros. Grant depends on the destination country

Requirements: Doctoral students who are enrolled at a higher education institution in Saxony-Anhalt. This internship can be completed in research institutions and universities, but also in companies and other institutions.

[FAZIT Stiftung](#)

Funding: travels / research abroad during PhD (participation fees, travel costs, accommodation)

Requirements: if financial need is given

Note: Applications accepted only in German

[Benedikt und Helene Schmittmann-Wahlen-Stiftung](#)

Funding: stay-abroad

Requirements: financial need, social commitment; focus on international understanding /cultural exchange

[Japan Society for the Promotion of Science Summer Program](#)

Funding: cooperative research at a Japanese university or research institute and orientation in Japanese language and culture

Requirements: Be a citizen of the US, the UK, France, Germany, Canada or Sweden (permanent residents or others with equivalent status may apply if approved by the nominating authority in one of the above countries.) Have received in advance acceptance from their host researchers

Conferences:

[DAAD: Conference and talk travel programme abroad \(for German scientists\)](#)

Funding: participation in international conference or talk at a foreign scientific institution

Requirements: active participation

[Martin Luther University Networking funds](#)

Funding: for participation in conferences and further education measures as well as for working group meetings/research stays

Requirements: For the promotion of early-career female scientists of MLU. Please note that the website is in German and you can access it via the MLU Intranet.

[Friedrich Schiller University Jena: Impulse^{conferences}](#)

Funding: Travel expenses of up to € 1,000 may be provided.

Requirements: Eligible are doctoral candidates as well as postdocs at Jena University.

[Leipzig University / Research Academy Leipzig](#)

Funding: travel allowance for conference participation or research stays abroad

Requirements: active participation (e.g. poster presentation, giving a lecture, ...), for doctoral researchers at Leipzig University only

[Fulbright Germany](#)

Funding: Travel costs & monthly maintenance allowance in the amount of Euro 1,700

Requirements: for doctoral researchers who are conducting a four- to six-month research project at a U.S. university or scientific institution that is directly related to their academic dissertation. Website in German.

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Database for further research:

[Electronic Funding Information System \(ELFI\)](#)

ELFI collects comprehensive information from the internet with the help of software-robots that explore websites for relevant information on research funding