

## **INTERNATIONALISATION AWARD 2021**

### **A measure within the framework of the Excellence Strategy**

TU Dresden is a centre of vibrant academic exchange and diversity in Dresden. Internationality and openness to the world are the foundations of our excellent research and teaching. As a modern university, we are faced with the challenge of intensifying and expanding the internationalisation of research, teaching and administration as a long-term goal. However, internationalisation can't be taken for granted to work on its own, it requires commitment.

#### **Objectives of the award**

The internationalisation award 2021 wants to honour and shine a light on the people and initiatives at the TU Dresden who, with their commitment, make a valuable and sustainable contribution to the internationalisation of our university.

All projects and initiatives that focus on the following exemplary topics of internationalisation are considered eligible to apply for the award:

- Projects and initiatives that emphasize the internationality of the TU Dresden and thus increase the **international visibility** of our university
- Projects and initiatives to support and expand an **international campus**
- Best practice examples for establishing and expanding international cooperations and networking in **research and teaching**
- Initiatives that combine **digitalisation and internationalisation** and thus demonstrate how internationalisation can work under pandemic conditions

You don't know whether your project or initiative is eligible for the award? You are welcome to contact us and together we will consider whether your project fits this year's call for entries.

The 1st prize is endowed with 3.000 €, the 2nd prize with 2.000 € and the 3rd prize with 1.000 €.

#### **Who should apply?**

**All members of the TU Dresden are eligible to apply for funding**, even if they apply on behalf of a group, a joint activity or initiative, as well as the StuRa, student councils and university groups.

**Only existing** projects, measures, initiatives and other activities that have a clear benefit for the further development of the internationalisation at our university can be considered for the award. Newly planned projects and activities that are not yet established are not the subject of this call for entries.

## How to apply?

Please submit applications in electronic form, using the indicated application form and any attachments, to **internationalisierung.exu@tu-dresden.de** by **July 4th 2021**. The following **criteria** are relevant for the selection decision:

- The activity / project is presented in a coherent and comprehensible manner.
- The goals / benefits of the activity are specific and clearly identifiable.
- The activity does not follow a purely personal interest but makes a sustainable and lasting contribution to the internationalisation of the TU Dresden.
- The content of the activity can be assigned to at least one field of action of internationalisation. The reference to the [central internationalisation strategy](#) or decentralized strategies is made clear.
- The activity is interdisciplinary in nature and offers the potential for extension (e.g., inclusion of other initiatives, partnership extension, networking)

A selection committee will evaluate the applications in accordance with the criteria and conditions set out above. **The information of the award winners will be provided in August 2021**. Depending on the pandemic situation, the recognition of the award winners may take place in a virtual format at the start of the next semester.

Incomplete or delayed applications cannot be considered. Please note that there is no entitlement to funding.

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