



Vice-Rector for Research Institutional Strategy

#### Call

## **DRESDEN FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM**

## A measure of the Institutional Strategy in the Excellence Initiative

#### **Aims**

The Visiting Scholar Program enables the invitation of excellent researchers to TU Dresden for a period of up to six months.

The focus is on intensifying collaboration and building up long-term strategic cooperation with institutions and working groups at TU Dresden and their DRESDEN concept partners.

Invitations can be extended to established top researchers (W3 professorships or equivalent), designated as **DRESDEN Senior Fellows** and promising young scientific researches (within 10 years of defending their dissertation) nominated as **DRESDEN Junior Fellows**.

The DRESDEN Fellowship in particular is aimed at excellent female researchers with the purpose of increasing the number of female researchers at TU Dresden.

#### **Procedure**

Professors of TU Dresden can propose candidates for DRESDEN fellowships to the Rectorial Board.

The following documents are required:

- Information about the candidate's academic career (NB: in general, the candidates nominated have to be post-docs and may not have been employed in any capacity at TU Dresden in the last three years; repeated funding through the Fellowship program is also excluded)
- List of their 10 most significant academic publications reviewed according to international standards
- Information on the planned organization of the stay, including integration into research and possibly teaching and information on strategic background to the invitation
- Information about existing or intended cooperation with one or more DRESDEN-concept partner institutions
- Information on planned duration of the stay (at least 2 weeks, max. 6 months)
- Form "Antrag auf Genehmigung eines Gastaufenthaltes" (D2.1/29) and annex to this call
- Travel cost calculation

Generally, nominations must be submitted to the Vice-Rector for Research at least three months before the planned stay of the Fellow. He will then prepare a recommendation that has to be confirmed by the Rectorial Board.

## **Funding**

The expense allowance comprises:

- all-inclusive residency remuneration for Junior Fellows (young researchers up to 10 years after the completion of the doctorate)
  - € 2,300/month
- all-inclusive residency remuneration for Senior Fellows (W3 professorships or equivalent)
   € 3,000/month
- per child additional payment of € 250/month if Fellow is accompanied by his/her minor children during the stay
- travel allowance for a single return journey according to calculated costs

The host institution may receive funds of up to € 300/month for consumables (project-specific expenses in accordance with the usage guidelines of the DFG - German Research Foundation).

## Contact partner

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# <u>Annex</u> to the form "Antrag auf Genehmigung eines Gastaufenthaltes" (Formular D2.1/29) for the DRESDEN Fellowship Program

The expense allowance comprises	for the complete duration of the stay	Comments	
all-inclusive residency		• for Junior Fellows € 2,300/month	
remuneration	€	• for Senior Fellows € 3,000/month	
additional payment for minor children	£	If accompanied by minor children for the duration of stay, an additional payment of € 250/month per child will be granted.	
allowance of travel	€	Only economy class (flight/train) is reimbursable. Please include	
expenses for the return journey	€	proof of your cost calculation (printout of travel offers or similar) for validation.	
SUM	€	The sum of these payments for the complete duration of the stay is the <b>expense allowance (Aufwandsentschädigung)</b> that can be applied for using the form "Antrag auf Genehmigung eines Gastaufenthaltes" (Formular D2.1/29).	
Payment of the expense allowance:	The expense allowance will be paid <b>directly to the Fellow</b> . The additional funds for consumables / project-specific expenses are declared and billed separately by the host institution after approval of the Fellowship.		
□ cash payment	The request for cash payment has to be stated <u>also</u> on the "Antrag auf Genehmigung eines Gastaufenthaltes" (Formular D2.1/29). After approval, the cashier (SG 1.1./ GR 1.1.3.) has to be notified of the personal collection of the cash payment <u>extra</u> via email.		
□ bank transfer	Account Holder:  IBAN / Routing- & Account-Number:  Name of Bank:  BIC / Swiftcode:		
	Amount: €		Date:
□ monthly	Amount: €		Date:
(preferably equal rates)	Amount: €		Date:
□ in total at the end of the stay	Amount: €		Date:
	Amount: €		Date:
	Amount: €		Date:
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