

<u>University of Vienna, Research Services and Career</u> <u>Development</u>

Round Table 1:

Externally funded projects:

Project leaders or university personal working in research projects can gather information about administrative steps starting from the submission of a new project, of project accounting until the closing of the project. The given support ranges from the project application phase until the final closing steps and duties.

Marie Curie:

The Marie Skłodowska Curie actions ensure excellent and innovative research training as well as attractive career and knowledge exchange opportunities through cross-border and cross-sector mobility of researchers and innovation staff at all stages of their career, irrespective of age. They are open to all domains of research and innovation.

University of Vienna, Accounting and Finance, Human Resources Department





Round Table 2:

Support in project implementation:

Project accounting is a detailed statement of costs broken down into categories stipulated by the funding body, such as staffing costs, material costs or administration costs, that accrue and were reported within a clearly defined time frame. The model for the project accounting should be defined during the project negotiations and is usually stipulated in the contract.

At the point of carrying out the calculations for the project application, the decision which form of employment is best suited for staff working on the externally funded project in question must be taken. In addition to the normal contract of employment, the freelance contract and the contract for service offer possible alternatives.



Round Table 3:

Cultivating Talents - Development of Human Resources

- Schrödinger Fellowship: Promotion of scientific work at leading foreign research institutions; gaining experience abroad during the postdoc-phase.
- Firnberg-Programme: Career development programme for post-docs, which aims to support women at the start of their scientific careers.
- Richter-Programme: Career development for advanced post-docs, which aims at providing the necessary qualifications to apply for professorial positions within Austria or abroad.
- Meitner-Programme: Incoming for highly qualified scientists who could contribute to the scientific development of an Austrian research institution

Round Table 4:

Exploring New Frontiers - Funding of top-quality Research

Stand-alone Projects:

Funding of individual research of any discipline in the area of non-profit oriented scientific research.



Round Table 5:

The EU Programme for Research and Innovation: Horizon 2020

Horizon 2020 is the world's largest transnational collaborative funding programme for research and innovation, ranging from basic research to the development of innovative products. In particular, Horizon 2020 supports individual researchers, companies, and collaborations between science and industry.



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Within defined fields (thematic programmes) two funding instruments are available:

- 1. Project funding: Major scientific projects in basic research. The funding volume ranges from a minimum of 200,000 € to a maximum of approximately 1 million € and the project duration is typically two to four years.
- 2. Research Group Funding: Supported by the City of Vienna the programme "Vienna Research Groups for Young Investigators" aims at attracting promising young researchers from abroad to give them a long-term perspective at the research location Vienna and to build up their first "own" research group. Funding is provided for a period of six to eight years and the maximum sum available per research group is 1.6 million €.

Current thematic programmes are:

- Life Sciences
- Mathematics and ...
- Information and Communication Technology
- Cognitive Sciences
- Environmental Systems Research

Round Table 7:

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EUROSYSTEM

Der Jubiläumsfonds der Oesterreichischen Nationalbank, gegründet anlässlich des 150-jährigen Bestehens der Notenbank im Jahre 1966, feiert heuer im 50. Jahr seines

Bestehens selbst ein Jubiläum. Seit damals hat der Jubiläumsfonds die Grundlagenforschung – und bis zum Jahr 2003 auch die angewandte Forschung – in Österreich im Rahmen von rund 9.800 Projekten mit rund 765 Millionen Euro unterstützt.

Fachgebiet(e): Wirtschaftswissenschaften, Wirtschaftswissenschaften (Schwerpunktthema), Medizinische Wissenschaften (nur klinische krankheitsbzw. patientenorientierte Forschungsvorhaben), Sozialwissenschaften und Geisteswissenschaften

Einreichmöglichkeiten: Jänner – Anfang April sowie Juli – Anfang Oktober über www.oenb.at

Antragsteller Voraussetzungen: Antragstellerinnen und müssen ein abgeschlossenes Doktoratsstudium oder ein damit vergleichbares Studium (PhD) zum Zeitpunkt der Einreichung und wissenschaftliche Arbeiten auf dem betreffenden Sachgebiet nachweisen können. Antragstellerinnen und Antragsteller dürfen zum Zeitpunkt der Einreichung nicht Projektleiterin bzw. Projektleiter eines finanziell und/oder wissenschaftlich nicht abgeschlossenen Jubiläumsfondsprojekts sein. Eine Einreichung ohne Forschungsinstitution ist nicht möglich (keine Privateinreichungen).

Finanzierung: Finanzierung von geplanten Forschungsprojekten, insbesondere für Personalkosten. Die Finanzierung von sonstigen Kosten ist nur eingeschränkt möglich (max. 25% der Fördersumme). Förderungsbeiträge werden nicht gewährt u.a. für Overheadkosten, Mieten für Büroräumlichkeiten, Projektinterne Workshops, Druckkosten für wissenschaftliche Abschlussarbeiten (Diplom- und Masterarbeiten, Dissertationen, Habilitationen) sowie Ausbildungen und Seminare.

Antragssumme: € 50.000.- bis zu € 200.000,- (abhängig vom Fachgebiet)

Projektdauer: Maximal vier Jahre.

Finanzierungsvolumen (gesamt): 2014: ca. € 9,4 Mio.; 2015: ca. € 8 Mio.

Inhalte/Diskussionspunkte des Round Tables:

- Strategie und Rechtgrundlagen des Jubiläumsfonds der OeNB
- Der Jubiläumsfonds der OeNB in Zahlen
- Prozess der Antragstellung
- Prozess der Entscheidungsfindung
- Prozess der Fachbegutachtung
- Grundsätze der Projektadministration
- Open Access und Ex-post Evaluation

Der Meinungsaustausch zum Jubiläumsfonds der OeNB am Round Table wird in deutscher Sprache erfolgen. Umfassende Informationen in Englisch werden zu Beginn des nächsten Jahres auf der Website des Jubiläumsfonds veröffentlicht werden.



Austrian Academy of Sciences (OeAW) www.stipendien.at

Round Table 8:

The **Austrian Academy of Sciences** is Austria's central non-university research and science institution. Its statutory mission is to "promote science in every way".

Founded in 1847 as a learned society, today the OeAW has over 770 members and 1,450 employees in 28 research institutes in the field of innovative basic research in the arts and humanities and the social and natural sciences.

The OeAW is especially committed to the sustainable support of promising young talents and supports highly qualified young scholars from beyond its own institutes by awarding fellowships and prizes.

The OeAW offers six fellowship programs for

• pre-docs DOC, DOC-team, Chemical Monthly Fellowship

• pre- and post-docs L'ORÉAL Austria, ROM

• post-docs MAX KADE



Austrian Agency for International Cooperation in Education and Research (OeAD-GmbH)

Round Table 9:

The OeAD is Austria's central organisation for mobility and cooperation programmes in education, science and research in Europe and worldwide.

- Erasmus+ Teaching Assignments, Erasmus+ Staff Training Mobility: The Erasmus+ programme supports teaching periods and training periods at higher education institutions abroad.
- **Marietta Blau Grant:** The programme provides financial support for research visits abroad that are part of a doctoral programme at an Austrian university.
- **CEEPUS:** The Central European Exchange Programme for University Studies is a multilateral exchange programme within Central and Eastern Europe.
- "Aktionen" Slovakia, Czech Republic and Hungary: The programme allows lecturers in higher education and researchers from Austria to collaborate in specific projects with their counterparts in the partner countries.
- Scientific & Technological Cooperation (S&T Cooperation, WTZ): The programme aims at intensifying the international scientific cooperation of Austrian researchers and researchers from the partner countries by funding mobility expenses within the framework of a bilateral or multilateral project.
- **EURAXESS** provides a job database with constantly updated job vacancies for researchers throughout Europe and offers various services, information and assistance to mobile researchers.
- **grants.at** is Austria's biggest online database for scholarships and research grants for all academic areas.

Round Table 10:



INiTS universitäres Gründerservice Wien GmbH

INiTS is Austria's largest and most successful business incubator. Founded in 2002, INiTS helps entrepreneurs accelerate the growth and success of their businesses.

The core offering of INiTS is the "Startup Camp". Using the Lean Startup Approach, the founders are encouraged to further develop their product, team, and market. In addition, they are guided through the process of refining their business model, achieving product/market fit, and finally scaling the startup into a high growth business. The program culminates with "Demo Day" where the best startups are able to present their business to a selected audience of investors.

In addition, INiTS is a part of **iHub**, a pan-European incubator network which gives access to investors, corporations, research centers, and other players in the European startup ecosystem.

and:



The Vienna Business Agency

A service offered by the City of Vienna

The Vienna Business Agency is the first point of contact for national and international companies. It offers financial support, real estate and urban development incentives as well as free service and advice.

The objective is to strengthen Viennese companies and their innovative force. As a result, the business location is sustainably developed and strengthened in international competition. Funding available for universities

Support and funding is offered for

- research and development projects for product, service or process innovations within specific calls (upcoming call on co-creation planned for end of November) OR
- projects that inform the public about new technologies or research services or improve the image of Vienna as a modern technology location OR
- national and international activities for the initiation and design of research and development agreements and the development of a research strategy.

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