

Funding opportunities by SPP 2196

Guidelines for applying for an internal research project

Applications for funding should generally ask for <10.000€ and should not be longer than 2 pages.

Applications of travel/exchange funding

- 1) What does this exchange add to the scientific knowledge in the field?
 - 2) How do you and the SPP and its research network benefit from this exchange? For an exchange with a foreign group: Why can it not be an exchange within Germany?
 - 3) Why should the trip be paid by the coordination fund and not by the DFG project funds in the project you are in?
 - 4) What are the benefits for the PhD/Postdoc participating in this exchange (support of young researchers)?
 - 5) List all the costs
 - 6) Support letter by your supervisor
 - 7) Support letter by the receiving institute
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Applications for consumables/personal costs/ equipment / etc.

Initiation of new projects/collaborations: Brief scientific description of the new project answering following questions:

- 1) What does this research project add to the scientific knowledge in the field?
 - 2) How does the SPP and / or other researchers in the network benefit from the research project?
 - 3) Why should it be paid by the coordination fund and not by the DFG project funds in the project you are in?
 - 4) Are junior researchers especially benefitting from this funding?
 - 5) List all the cost (if you ask for equipment exceeding 5.000€ you need to supply at least 3 different offers.)
 - 6) If you are a junior researcher a support letter by the supervisor is needed.
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Invitations of guest researchers

- 1) How does the SPP and / or other researchers in the network benefit from this visit?
 - 2) Why should it be paid by the coordination fund and not by the DFG project funds in the project you are in?
 - 3) Are junior researchers especially benefitting from this funding?
 - 4) List all the cost
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Mentoring Programme (Female students/postdocs only):

(Mentoring with a mentor in Germany or abroad / visiting the mentor's lab for 2 to maximum 12 weeks)

- 1) Motivation letter (benefit for research project and academic carrier)
 - 2) Support letter by supervisor and mentor of host institution
 - 3) List of all the costs
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