DAAD / DFG organized meeting on German-Scottish research funding and exchange

Contact in UK:

Scholarships.London@daad.de - www.daad.org.uk

DAAD

RISE PROGRAM

Research internships in Germany. Topics of Sciences and Engineering

Options: RISE Germany (undergrad.) / RISE Professional (Msc and Phd)

www.daad.de/rise/

GROUP VISITS

Main idea: groups of lecturers visiting university or research institute in Germany

Not indexed in web. For more info. contact: Scholarships.London@daad.de

DAAD RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIPS

Who can apply? Students in the UK and Ireland

3 research grants: 1-year grant, Bi-nationally supervised doctoral deg., and short-term grants (between 4 weeks and 12 weeks for senior researchers and 4 – 24 for junior)

To apply through the DAAD London office, you should have been resident in UK for at least 1 year

DAAD will not pay for VISA costs related to the stay in Germany

Completely open calls; no specific topic-wise calls

Success rate (for 1-year grants) between 20-30%

-> ONE YEAR GRANT FOR DOCTORAL STUDENTS: Funding for a research project at a state-recognized University or non-University institute in Germany

Duration: 7 – 12 months of funding

Scholarships starting in October every year. Deadline for this year very close now...

-> ONE YEAR GRANTS FOR BI-NATIONALLY SUPERVISED DEGREES

"Sandwich model" – 1 supervisor in each country.

PhD should start in UK and with research periods in Germany

Doctoral degree is awarded by the home university

-> SHORT TERM RESEARCH GRANTS

Funding for a research project at a state-owned University or state-recognized non-University institute in Germany

Aimed at excellently-qualified doctoral candidates / PhD students / Postdocs

Two deadlines a year (February and September). Grant includes a monthly payment insurance, travel allowance as well as other subsidies depending on circumstances.

Duration: 1 – 6 months funding (Next deadline is 15/02/2023- for period August 2023 – March 2024)

DAAD - PRIME (postdoctoral researchers international mobility experience)

18-month employment contract at a German university or research institute

DLR-DAAD program (aerospace oriented)

DFG

DFG - GERMAN RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Contact person: Dorothea Fendel, International affairs

DFG -> projects; As a general rule, No calls

International Affairs department: e.g. Europe

Eligibility for DFG funding: candidates have to work in German research institutions (!)

Programs worth checking:

INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION

www.dfg.de/International_collaboration

Mobility funding to get to know each other - visit of people there (postdoc, etc)

DFG funds 100% of the costs

SCIENTIFIC NETWORKS

www.dfg.de/scientific networks

Duration: up to 3 years

Network of 10-20 researchers

Funding: maintenance costs for work meetings, mobility (travel costs), publication costs

Bilateral cooperation

INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH GRANTS

www.dfg.de/research_grants

Walter Benjamin Progr. -> Emmy Noether Progr. -> Heisenberg Progr.

Goes in both directions: international young researchers going to Germany and German based researchers going abroad

Carry out thematically defined research project within specific time frame

Bilateral cooperation Is possible

Funding can include: staff, direct project costs, mobility, consumables, publications, etc

DFG and UKRI...

Looking to construct bilateral calls for mobility and common projects...

Nothing specific with EPSRC yet

To present, bilateral projects are evaluated on both sides (Not really a gain...)

Propose ideas to DFG! It will help them building the correct bridges

How to find partners in Germany? Check these websites:

GERIT (German Research Institutions) – <u>https://gerit.org/en/</u>

GEPRIS (Geförderte Projekte der DFG) – <u>www.gepris.dfg.de/en/</u>

www.research-in-germany.org/en/publications.html