

Options for students & young researchers to find sponsorship:

Sponsors offering travel grants to SfN and FENS

Sponsor	Type of Sponsor	Sponsored event	Event organisers	Link to event page	Link to sponsor webpage
IBRO	Travel grants	Brain conferences	FENS and the Brain Prize	https://www.fens.org/meetings	https://ibro.org/open-calls/
IBRO	Travel grants	SfN	SfN	www.sfn.org/initiatives/awards	https://ibro.org/open-calls/
French Neuroscience Society	Travel grants	FENS	FENS	https://www.fens.org/meetings	https://www.neurosciences.asso.fr/en/soutiens-fens-forum/
Spanish Society for Neuroscience	Travel grants	FENS/SfN	FENS/SfN	https://www.fens.org/meetings	https://www.senc.es/en/senc-grants/
British Neuroscience Association	Travels grants	FENS	FENS	https://www.fens.org/meetings	https://www.bna.org.uk/members/bursaries/
Austrian Neuroscience Association	Travel grants	FENS	FENS	https://www.fens.org/meetings	https://www.austrian-neuroscience.at/ANA-Grants-and-prizes
Neuroscience Ireland	Travel grants	FENS	FENS	https://www.fens.org/meetings	https://neuroscienceireland.com/travel-bursaries/
FENS	Travel grants	SfN	SfN	https://www.sfn.org/	https://www.fens.org/careers/grants-and-stipends/grant/travel-grants-for-the-annual-meeting-of-the-society-for-neuroscience

Further sponsorship opportunities

Funder	Description	Link to more information
University College London (UCL)	Conference and Research Funds	https://www.ucl.ac.uk/research/domains/funding
ESF-SC	Travel grants for conferences	https://www.esf.org/grant-evaluation/research-grant-evaluation/
FNRS Freedom of Research	Reimbursement for travel costs, option to share expenses for co-organised events	https://www.frs-fnrs.be/en/financements/mobilite-fnrs
Charles Koch Foundation	Travel grants and Graduate Research Support	https://charleskochfoundation.org/focus-areas/education/#focus-area-grants-section
The Norwegian Research School in Neuroscience (NRSN)	International training grant	https://www.ntnu.edu/nrsgh/grants
Central European Initiative (CEI)	Funds for the organisation of seminars, conferences, workshops, and training courses, and offers travel awards for young investigators to attend	https://www.cei.int/open-calls
European Science Foundation	Research grants	https://www.esf.org/grant-evaluation/research-grant-evaluation/
Scientific Research Fund (FNRS)	Research funds in multiple areas <i>Belgium</i>	https://www.frs-fnrs.be/en/
Alexander Von Humboldt Foundation	Research funds in multiple areas <i>Germany</i>	http://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/sponsorship.html
Swiss National Science Foundation	Research funds in multiple areas <i>Switzerland</i>	https://www.snf.ch/en/ORgUpoSFePiH6QCp/page/get-a-grant
Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council (BBSRC)	Research funding for bioscience	https://bbsrc.ukri.org/funding/
Sparrho early career researcher prize	Funds to share research at a conference	https://grants.sparrow.science/
Royal Society of Chemistry International Exchanges Award, Yusuf and Farida Hamied Foundation International Exchanges Award	International exchanges	https://royalsociety.org/grants-schemes-awards/grants/international-exchanges/

Cancer research UK Student Travel Award	Conference participation for PhD students based in UK	https://www.cancerresearchuk.org/funding-for-researchers/our-funding-schemes/
Cancer research UK Research Travel Award	Various funding opportunities for early- and mid-career researchers	https://www.cancerresearchuk.org/funding-for-researchers/research-career-development-opportunities/funding-opportunities-for-early-career-researchers
Hellobio Travel Awards	Travel awards	https://www.hellobio.com/blog/apply-for-our-travel-awards-its-easy.html
The Boeringer Ingelheim Fonds awards	Travel grants	https://www.bifonds.de/fellowships-grants/travel-grants.html
Winston Churchill Memorial Trust - Churchill Fellowships	Fellowship	https://www.churchillfellowship.org/
Tebu-bio innovative lab services & reagents	Travel grants	https://www.tebu-bio.com/cms/1081/Get_your_400EUR_tebu_bio_Travel_Grant.html
British society for Cell Biology	Honor Fell travel awards	https://bscb.org/competitions-awardsgrants/travel-bursaries/honor-fell-company-of-biologists-travel-awards/
Open bioinformatics foundation	Travel fellowships	https://github.com/OBF/obf-docs/blob/master/Travel_fellowships.md
EMBO	Short term fellowships	https://www.embo.org/funding-awards/fellowships/short-term-fellowships#eligibility
Lundbeck Foundation	Research grants	https://lundbeckfonden.com/en/grants-and-prizes
Simons Foundation Fund	Grants for scientific visits, conference visits and deserving activities	https://cluster15.erasmusmc.nl/simonsfonds/grants.html
Royal Society of Biology	Travel grants	https://www.rsb.org.uk/get-involved/grants/travel-grants/travel-grants-early-career
EURESEARCH	Fellowships & project grants <i>Switzerland</i>	https://www.euresearch.ch/en/career-funding/young-researchers/
European Research Council	Career starting grants	https://erc.europa.eu/funding/starting-grants
Swiss National Science Foundation	Range of research funding schemes <i>Switzerland</i>	https://www.snf.ch/de/ORgUpoSFePiH6QCp/seite/forderung-erhalten
EU Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions	European & global fellowships	https://marie-sklodowska-curie-actions.ec.europa.eu/actions/postdoctoral-fellowships
European Molecular Biology Conference (EMBC)	Financial award for young investigators	https://www.embo.org/funding-awards/young-investigators/apply

IFS - International Foundation for Science	Research grants, next application expected towards the end of 2020.	http://www.fondationfyssen.fr/en/research-grants/goals-eligibility-conditions/
Utrecht Network	Young researchers grant	http://www.utrecht-network.org/activities/young-researchers-grant/
Scientific Independence of young researchers funded by Ministero dell' Istruzione, dell' Università e della Ricerca	Support for young researchers	http://sir.miur.it/
Human Frontier Science Program	Research grants	https://www.hfsp.org/funding/hfsp-funding/research-grants
Volkswagen Foundation	Diverse grants	https://terravivagrants.org/funding-news/
German Academic Exchange Service	Exchange service	https://www.research-in-germany.org/en/research-funding/funding-organisations/german-academic-exchange-service-daad.html
Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft	Funding opportunities in general and for young researchers	General research funds: https://www.research-in-germany.org/en/research-funding.html Support for early-career researchers: https://www.research-in-germany.org/en/research-funding/funding-programmes/dfg-support-for-early-career-researchers-within-collaborative-research-centres.html
Fraunhofer Institut	Individual doctoral projects at Fraunhofer Institutes	https://www.research-in-germany.org/en/research-funding/funding-programmes/fraunhofer-individual-doctoral-projects-at-fraunhofer-institutes.html
Helmholtz Association	Research and Graduate Schools	https://www.research-in-germany.org/en/research-funding/funding-programmes/helmholtz-international-helmholtz-research-schools-and-graduate-schools.html PhD candidates: https://www.helmholtz.de/en/career/careers-at-helmholtz/phd-candidates/
ERCIM European Research Consortium for Informatics and Mathematics	Fellowships	https://fellowship.ercim.eu
Leibniz Association	Graduate school	https://www.leibniz-gemeinschaft.de/karriere/karriere-in-der-wissenschaft/promotion-in-der-leibniz-gemeinschaft/leibniz-graduate-schools.html#c2949

Stifterverband	Fellowship programme	https://www.stifterverband.org/freies-wissen
Rudolf Geissendörfer Stiftung	Research support	https://www.deutsches-stiftungszentrum.de/stiftungen/rudolf-gei%C3%9Fend%C3%B6rfer-stiftung
Rolf W. Günther Stiftung für Radiologische Wissenschaften	Travel grants	http://www.rwguenther-stiftung.de/reiseundpromotionsstipendien.php
Kind-Philipp-Stiftung für pädiatrisch-onkologische Forschung	Scholarships	https://www.deutsches-stiftungszentrum.de/downloads
Stiftung zur Förderung junger Neurowissenschaftler	Support for early-career researchers	https://dgn.org/uber-uns/preise_ehrungen/
Peter und Traudl Engelhorn Stiftung zur Förderung der Lebenswissenschaften	Scholarships	https://engelhorn-stiftung.de/index.php/stipendium-bewerbung.php
Fritz Thyssen Stiftung	Project Funding	https://www.fritz-thyssen-stiftung.de/foerderung/foerderarten/projektfoerderung/
Sapere Aude: DFF-Starting Grant	Starting grants <i>Denmark</i>	https://dff.dk/en/application
The Branco Weiss Fellowships - Society in Science	Fellowships	https://brancoweissfellowship.org
Leopoldina Nationale Akademie der Wissenschaften Leopoldina Postdoc Scholarship	Postdoc Fellowship <i>Germany, Austria, Switzerland</i>	https://www.leopoldina.org/en/funding/leopoldina-fellowship-programme/leopoldina-postdoc-scholarship/
Fondation Fyssen	Research grants	http://www.fondationfyssen.fr/en/research-grants/goals-eligibility-conditions/
Gemeinschaft für studentischen Austausch in Mittel- und Osteuropa	Student exchanges in Middle and Eastern Europe	https://www.gfps.org/stipendien/bewerbung/
German-Israeli Foundation for Scientific Research and Development	Young scientist programme	https://www.gif.org.il/programs/callforproposals
Human Frontier Science Program	Postdoctoral fellowships	https://www.hfsp.org/funding/hfsp-funding/postdoctoral-fellowships
Minerva Stiftung	Fellowship programme and research grants	https://www.minerva.mpg.de/minerva-fellowships
The Wingate Foundation	Medical research travel grants	https://wingate.org.uk/support/medical-research-travel-grants/

Lundbeck Foundation	Lundbeck foundation awards and postdoctoral fellowships	https://lundbeckfonden.com/en/grants-and-prizes/applicants/apply-grants
International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology	Fellowships Research grants	Fellowships: https://www.icgeb.org/activities/fellowship/ Research grants: https://www.icgeb.org/activities/grants/
International Society for Biocuration	Fellowships	https://www.biocuration.org/community/fellowships/
Guarantors of Brain	Fellowships	https://guarantorsofbrain.org/grants/post-doc-brain-entry-fellowships/
Galton Institute	Grants and awards	http://www.galtoninstitute.org.uk/grants/

Websites with collections of links on grants and funding

Organisation	URL
Research in Germany	https://www.research-in-germany.org/en/research-funding.html
Austrian Database for Scholarships and Research Grants	https://grants.at/en/
Genetic engineering & biotechnology news	https://www.genengnews.com/a-lists/35-grants-for-young-researchers/
Early-career researchers central	https://ecrcentral.org
Society for Experimental Biology	https://www.sebiology.org/grants/grant-overview.html
International Brain Research Organization	https://ibro.org/open-calls/
ESCMID Managing infections promoting science	https://www.escmid.org/profession_career/awards_grants/
EuroScience	https://www.euroscience.org/tag/grants/
The British Academy	https://www.thebritishacademy.ac.uk/funding/?order=-last_published_at
Österreichische Gesellschaft für Molekulare Biowissenschaften und Biotechnologie Austrian Association of Molecular Life Sciences and Biotechnology	https://www.oegmbt.at/ueber-uns/internationales
Heinrich Heine Universität Düsseldorf	http://www.juno.hhu.de/en/research-funding.html
British Council	https://www.britishcouncil.org/education/he-science/opportunities/academics-researchers
VU Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam	https://vu.nl/en/research/more-about/funding-opportunities
Luxembourg National Research Fund	https://www.fnr.lu/
EURAXESS (Europe)	https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/worldwide/japan/90-funding-opportunities-eu-european-countries-your-mobility-cooperative-0
Estonian Research Council	https://www.etag.ee/en/funding/research-funding/
Academy of Finland	https://www.aka.fi/en/
University of Helsinki	https://www.helsinki.fi/en/cooperation/
Funding in Sweden	http://biopolymersforlife.org/get-funded-in-sweden-a-guide-for-starting-researchers/
Independent Research Fund Denmark	https://dff.dk/en
The world academy of sciences	https://twas.org/opportunities/research-grants
EMBO	https://www.embo.org/funding/
EEA and Norway Grants (Europe)	https://eeagrants.org/currently-available-funding?combine=&page=0

Malta Council for the Voluntary Sector	https://maltacvs.org/voluntary-organisations-funding/opportunities/eu-fund-opportunities/
Foundation for Polish Science	https://www.fnp.org.pl/en/kategoria_szkolenia/our-programmes/
ARMACAD (worldwide)	https://armacad.info/opportunities/grants
rannis (Iceland)	https://en.rannis.is/funding/research/
GACR (Czech Republic)	https://gacr.cz/en/types-of-grant-projects/
Cost European Cooperation in Science & Technology	https://www.cost.eu/what-do-we-fund/
DCU Dublin City University	https://www.dcu.ie/research/research-and-innovation-support-irish-funding-agencies
Information Portal for Funding Programmes (Cyprus)	https://www.fundingprogrammesportal.gov.cy/en/home
Infect-ERA (all European countries)	http://www.infect-era.eu/fundings
Study in Belgium	https://www.studyinbelgium.be/en/scholarships
EUresearchCH Swiss guide to European research & innovation	https://www.euresearch.ch/en/career-funding/young-researchers/
Karolinska Institutet (Europe)	https://staff.ki.se/european-research-funding