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HORIZON-JTI-CLEANH2-2022-01 renewable hydrogen production

The Clean Hydrogen Joint Undertaking, under Horizon Europe, invites applications for its call HORIZON-JTI-CLEANH2-2022-01 renewable hydrogen production – 01-01, 01-02, 01-03, 01-06, 01-07, 01-09. This scheme supports research and innovation activities in the EU in clean hydrogen solutions and technologies, contributing to the European climate neutrality goal by producing noticeable, quantifiable results towards the development and scaling up of hydrogen applications.

Closing date 31 May 2022

Award budget total €179,500,000

Country of applicant institution Sri Lanka included

HORIZON-INFRA-2022-SERV-01 — research infrastructure services to support health research and accelerate the digital transformation

Horizon Europe, under Horizon Europe: Excellence Science, and Research Infrastructures, invites applications for HORIZON-INFRA-2022-SERV-01 — research infrastructure services to support health research and accelerate the digital transformation. This aims to provide efficient and customised research infrastructure services to drive and enable the transition toward a sustainable Europe and a prosperous economy. Funding is available under the following topic:

- HORIZON-INFRA-2022-SERV-01-01 - implementing digital services to empower neuroscience research for health and brain inspired technology via EBRAINS.

Closing date 21 September 2022

Award amount max €38,000,000

Country of applicant institution Sri Lanka included

GRANTS

ERC-2023-StG starting grants

The European Commission Horizon Europe: Excellent Science European Research Council invites proposals for its ERC-2023-StG starting grants. These support researchers who are starting their own independent research team or programme. Applications may be made in any field of research with an emphasis on the frontiers of science, scholarship and engineering.

PIs may be any nationality and based in any country at the time of application. They should have been awarded their first PhD between two and seven years prior and must have produced at least one important publication as main author or without the participation of their PhD supervisor. Host institutions must be established in EU member states or associated countries as a legal entity under national law, or may be an international European research organisation, the European Commission's joint research centre or any other entity under EU law, including public and private entities, universities, research organisations and similar undertakings. They must be engaged at the host institution for the duration of the project and spend a minimum of 50 per cent of working time in an EU member state or associated country and a minimum of 50 per cent of their working time on the ERC project.

Closing date 25 October 2022 (Forecast)

Award amount max €2,500,000

Country of applicant institution Sri Lanka included

ERC-2023-SyG synergy grants

The European Commission Horizon Europe: Excellent Science European Research Council invites proposals for its ERC-2023-SyG synergy grants. These enable groups of two to four principal investigators and their teams to bring together complementary skills, knowledge, and resources in new ways, in order to jointly address research problems. The aim is to promote scientific advances, to cross-fertilise scientific fields, and to encourage new productive lines of enquiry and new methods and techniques, including unconventional approaches and investigations at the interface between established disciplines.

Applications may be submitted by groups consisting of between two and four principal investigators and their respective teams. Applicants may be researchers of any age or nationality, and may reside in any country at the time of the application. Each principal investigator must present an early achievement track-record or a 10-year track record and must spend a minimum of 50 per cent of working time in an EU member state or associated country and a minimum of 30 per cent of their working time on the ERC project. They must be engaged at the host institution for the duration of the project. Host institutions must generally be established in EU member states or associated countries as a legal entity under national law, or may be an international European interest organisation, the European Commission's joint research centre, or any other entity under EU law, including public and private entities, universities, research organisations and similar undertakings. Up to four host institutions can engage the principal investigators and one of these host institution at any one time may be a legal entity established outside the EU or associated countries. One of the principal investigators, as well as team members of any principal investigator, may be hosted and engaged by an institution outside the EU member states or associated countries.

Closing date 08 November 2022 (Forecast)

Award amount max €14,000,000

Country of applicant institution Sri Lanka included

Awards

Prince Mahidol award

The Prince Mahidol Award Foundation invites nominations for the Prince Mahidol award. This recognises research into medicine and public health for the betterment of society. Individuals and institutions may be nominated.

Closing date 31 May 2022

Award type Prizes

Award amount USD 100,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website: <https://www.princemahidolaward.org/invitation-for-nomination-of-the-prince-mahidol-award-2022/>

L'Oréal-UNESCO international awards for women in science

L'Oréal International and UNESCO invite nominations for their international awards for women in science, under the For Women in Science programme. The 2023 edition of the International Awards will designate five outstanding scientific researchers in the field of Physical Sciences, Mathematics and Computer Science. Candidates must be actively involved in scientific research in their region and be recognised among the international scientific community. There is no age limit for the candidate. To be considered eligible, it is necessary to be nominated by an eminent scientist.

Closing date 31 May 2022

Award amount €100,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Toshihide Numata book award in Buddhism

The University of California, Berkeley's Center for Buddhist Studies invites nominations for the Toshihide Numata book award in Buddhism. This recognises a book in any area of Buddhist studies.

Submitted books must have been published no earlier than 2021 and be written in English. Edited or co-authored books are eligible. Nominations be submitted by the author, scholars in the field or book publishers.

Closing date 31 May 2022

Award amount max USD 10,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://buddhiststudies.berkeley.edu/buddhist-studies/toshihide-numata-book-award-cbs>

Foods Journal young investigator award

The Multidisciplinary Digital Publishing Institute, on behalf of its Foods Journal, invites nominations for its young investigator award. This recognises a young investigator's contributions to the field of food science and technology research.

Nominees must be below 40 years of age or have received a PhD no more than 10 years prior to the deadline date. They must be nominated by a senior professors, research director or a department head.

Closing date 31 May 2022

Award amount max CHF 2,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://www.mdpi.com/journal/foods/awards>

Fellowships

Commemorative fellowships

Australian Graduate Women, under its Queensland branch, invites applications for its commemorative fellowships. These support female graduates world-wide, who wish to undertake formal postgraduate studies in Queensland, as well as Australian citizens who graduated from a tertiary institution in Queensland, to undertake studies in Queensland or elsewhere in the world.

Applications are open to Queensland women graduates and women graduates world-wide.

Closing date 30 June 2022 (Forecast)

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://fellowshipsfund.com.au/fellowships/>

Leslie W Joyce and Paul W Thayer graduate fellowship in industrial-organisational psychology

The Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology invites applications for the Leslie W Joyce and Paul W Thayer graduate fellowship in industrial-organisational (I-O) psychology. This provides financial support to a doctoral student in I-O psychology who is specialising in training and development, or selection and placement.

PhD students who are SIOP student affiliates may apply. They must be committed to a practitioner career and should have some experience in an applied setting relevant to I-O psychology. Past recipients or recipients of other SIOP sponsored scholarships are not eligible.

Closing date 30 June 2022 (Forecast)

Award amount max USD 20,000

Award amount min USD 10,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Ross C Purse doctoral fellowship

The Canadian National Institute for the Blind invites applications for the Ross C Purse doctoral fellowship. This supports theoretical and practical research and studies at the doctoral level in the field of vision loss in Canada.

Applicants may be studying at a Canadian university or college, or at a foreign university where a commitment to work in the field of vision loss in Canada for at least two years can be demonstrated. Preference is given to graduates of a Canadian university or college.

Closing date 30 June 2022

Award amount max CAD 12,500

Award amount min CAD 12,500

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://www.cnib.ca/en/about-us/awards/ross-c-purse-doctoral-fellowship?region=gta>

Gordon Signy fellowships

The World Association of Societies of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, under the World Pathology Foundation, invites applications for the Gordon Signy fellowships. These enable young pathologists, particularly those from developing countries, to travel abroad to learn special skills to improve the care of patients upon return to their home country.

Pathologists from all countries may apply. Applicants must be living in their country of origin or their country of permanent residence at the time of application. They must have completed their training in anatomical or clinical pathology or one of their branches no more than 10 years prior to the beginning of their proposed fellowship training.

Closing date 30 June 2022 (Forecast)

Award amount max USD 7,500

Award amount min USD 5,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://www.worldpathologyfoundation.org/content/world-pathology-foundation-gordon-signy-fellowship/fellowships-application>

MOFA Taiwan fellowship

The Center for Chinese Studies at National Central Library Taiwan, on behalf of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of China, invites applications for the Taiwan fellowship. This enables scholars who are interested in research related to Taiwan, cross-strait relations, mainland China, the Asia-Pacific region and Chinese studies to conduct advanced research at universities or academic institutions in Taiwan.

Applicants may be foreign professors, associate professors, assistant professors, postdoctoral researchers, doctoral candidates, doctoral programme students or same level research fellows from academic institutions outside of Taiwan.

Closing date 30 June 2022

Award amount max TWD 720,000

Award amount min TWD 150,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <http://taiwanfellowship.ncl.edu.tw/eng/about.aspx>

Early-career fellowships

The Cure Brain Cancer Foundation invites applications for its early-career fellowships. These support young researchers in developing their career in brain cancer research. Fellows are expected to undertake a significant piece of publishable work during their tenure that will lead to a more permanent position within the brain cancer research field.

Applicants must be eligible to work in Australia for the duration of the award, and undertake research at an Australian research institution. They must have been awarded their PhD within the last six years. Consideration will be given to final year PhD students whose thesis will be submitted by December 2021 and approved before the fellowship begins. Applicants must have a proven track record of research, but may not have held an established academic appointment. Multidisciplinary and multi-institutional consortia are encouraged to apply. Collaborations with researchers outside of Australia are eligible, though funding will only cover costs incurred in Australia, or directly related to the Australian component of a collaborative project.

Closing date 02 July 2022 (Forecast)

Award amount max AUD 345,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://www.curebraincancer.org.au/funding-opportunities>

Research grants

Research grants – ophthalmology

The Velux Foundation invites applications for its research grants. These support projects that will induce a change of perspective in ophthalmology research and in the long run will provide innovative and effective solutions for the challenges in eye health specific to LMICs. The focus is on:

- interdisciplinary biomedical research projects in ophthalmology aiming to develop and assess new diagnostic, prevention, or treatment methods for eye diseases adapted to the local context and environment of LMICs;
- institutional research capacity building projects aiming at sustainably building, developing or reinforcing institutional structures enabling biomedical ophthalmology research.

Closing date 31 May 2022

Award amount max CHF 400,000

Award amount min CHF 50,000

Country of applicant institution Any

US-ASEAN science, technology and innovation cooperation programme

The US Department of State, under its Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs, invites proposals for its US-ASEAN science, technology and innovation cooperation programme. This supports work that will foster science, technology and innovation cooperation in the ASEAN region.

US or overseas-based NGOs and private or state institutions of higher education are eligible.

Closing date 31 May 2022

Award amount max USD 3,456,250

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=339102>

Auditory research grants

The Emil Capita Foundation invites applications for its auditory research grants. These support scientists undertaking auditory research.

Any scientist undertaking independent research may apply. Priority is given to projects with clinical applications.

Closing date 01 June 2022

Award amount max USD 20,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <http://www.capitafoundation.org/Programs.aspx>

Improving methods for conducting patient-centred outcomes research

The Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute invites letters of intent for its call on improving methods for conducting patient-centred outcomes research. This supports studies that address high-priority methodological gaps and lead to improvements in the strength and quality of evidence generated by patient-centred outcomes research (PCOR) and clinical effectiveness research (CER) studies. Particular attention is given to studies on the following:

- methods to improve the use of artificial intelligence and machine learning in clinical research;
- methods to improve study design;
- methods to support data research networks;
- methods related to ethical and human subjects protections issues in PCOR and CER.

Closing date 01 June 2022

Award amount max USD 750,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://www.pcori.org/funding-opportunities/announcement/improving-methods-conducting-patient-centered-outcomes-research-2022-standing-pfa>

ISER/Retina Research Foundation Paul Kayser international award in retina research

The International Society for Eye Research, in collaboration with the Retina Research Foundation, invites applications for the Paul Kayser international award in retina research. This supports research in the area of the retina, its role in the visual process and the retinal diseases that threaten or destroy eyesight.

Closing date 01 June 2022

Award amount max USD 50,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <http://www.iser.org/prizes.html>

Kidney cancer research programme

The US Department of Defense, under its kidney cancer research programme, invites pre-applications for its translational research partnership and idea development awards. This supports partnerships between clinicians and laboratory scientists that accelerate the movement of promising ideas in kidney cancer toward clinical applications.

Closing date 02 June 2022

Award amount max USD 2,000,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=339368>

NLM research grants in biomedical informatics and data science

The National Library of Medicine invites applications for its research grants in biomedical informatics and data science (R01 clinical trial optional) funding opportunity. This supports innovative research and development in biomedical informatics and data science. Informatics and data science projects of interest to NLM involve the application of computer, data and information science concepts to research problems in a biomedical domain. Application domains include health care delivery, basic biomedical research, clinical and translational research, precision medicine, public health, biosurveillance, health information management in disasters, and similar areas.

Closing date 05 June 2022

Award amount max USD 1,000,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-18-896.html>

Research leadership grants

The New South Wales Ministry of Health, under its cardiovascular research capacity programme, invites applications for its research leadership grants. These aim to incentivise elite researchers to move to NSW to work and lead teams in cardiovascular research, develop new partnerships and bridge the gap between research, policy and practice to increase research impact. The grants assist host institutions in supporting researchers working in cardiovascular disease research, including all diseases and conditions of the heart and blood vessels and related conditions diabetes and obesity.

Closing date 30 June 2022

Award amount max AUD 5,030,000

Award amount min AUD 1,500,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website https://www.medicalresearch.nsw.gov.au/cardiovascular/?popup=directories_popup_6689&keyword=researcher%20grant

Ambassadors fund for cultural preservation grants programme

The US Department of State, under its Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, invites applications for its ambassadors fund for cultural preservation grants programme. This supports the preservation of historic buildings, archaeological and other cultural sites, museum objects and collections, and forms of traditional expression such as indigenous languages and music in less developed countries.

US and foreign educational institutions, non-profit organisations, public international organisations and foreign governments may apply.

Closing date 30 June 2022

Award amount max USD 500,000

Award amount min USD 10,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=329274>

Progeria Research Foundation grants

The Progeria Research Foundation invites proposals for its research grants. These support research to find the cause, treatment or cure for Hutchinson-Gilford progeria syndrome. Projects must fall within one of the following research priorities:

- projects that are likely to lead to clinical treatment trials within five years;
- development of gene- and cell-based therapies to treat progeria;
- assessment of natural history of disease that may lead to the development of outcome measures in treatment trials.

Closing date 01 July 2022 (Forecast)

Award amount max USD 150,000

Country of applicant institution Any

Website <https://www.progeriaresearch.org/application-deadlines/>

BarSU invites for cooperation

The Institution of Education “Baranavichy State University” invites to cooperate in the field of education and science.

BarSU is a young university of the classical type. As a regional scientific and educational organization, BarSU implements a range of educational programs for higher education, ensuring training of high qualified, competitive specialists in the field of information technology, economics and management, law, engineering and technology in industry, agriculture, pedagogy, psychology, ecology, physical training, teaching of foreign languages.

BarSU is a dynamically developing university (www.barsu.by). Today BarSU partners are more than 180 institutions and organizations from the Russian Federation, China, Poland, Ukraine, Turkey, Slovakia, Kyrgyzstan, Kazakhstan, Iran, Bulgaria, Serbia, Azerbaijan, Uzbekistan, Czech Republic, Latvia, Lithuania, Tajikistan, Moldova, Georgia, Romania, India, Cambodia, Cameroon, Mongolia.

Citizens of 12 countries receive education in full-time and part-time forms, as well as at the Faculty of Pre-University Training, the Russian Language Course and at the Institute for Advanced Studies and Retraining.

BarSU invite you to take part in full / part/ distant form

Institution of Education “Baranavichy State University”



*invites to take **DISTANT** part in short-term
educational programs
(2-3 weeks)*

*according to the following **directions**:*

- The Russian Language
- The German Language
- The English Language
- Jurisprudence
- Information Technologies
- The Belarusian Language
- Financial Literacy
- Marketing
- Handicrafts
- Business-School

Cost of Participation:

70 US dollars / 2 weeks (40 academic hours);

85 US dollars / 3 weeks (60 academic hours).

After finishing the course, participants receive certificates of completion.



Contacts:

www.barsu.by <https://barsu.by/international/swSchools.php>
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21 Voikova St., 225404 Baranavichy, Brest Region, Belarus

Institution of Education "Baranavichy State University"

invites students of foreign universities to visit BarSU to participate
in Summer/Winter Schools (2-3 weeks)
in the following areas:

- Russian
- English
- German
- Ceramics
- Patchwork
- Heritage of Belarus
- IT-school
- Financial Literacy
- Jurisprudence
- Marketing

Cost of participation – 250-300 dollars (depending on the number of weeks).

The cost includes two meals per day on weekdays, accommodation in a student dormitory, training, use of educational literature, meeting at the station / airport.

At the request of participants, it is possible to organize excursions to the sights of Belarus for an additional fee (optional).

After finishing the school, participants receive certificates of successful completion.



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"BARANAVICHY STATE UNIVERSITY"



ABOUT BARANAVICHY

Baranavichy is a city in the Brest Region, 170 km from the airport of Minsk. This is a young rapidly developing city, one of the largest industrial and cultural centers of Belarus. The official date of birth of the city is November 26, 1871. The list of historical and cultural monuments of Baranavichy includes 147 objects. An advantageous geographical location contributes to the fact that Baranavichy is developing as a major road and railway junction (directions for Poland, Russia, the Baltic States, Ukraine). The famous sights of Belarus are situated not far from the city: the National Historical and Cultural Museum-Reserve "Niasvizh", the Castle Complex "Mir", the Puslovsky Palace, the Holy Assumption Zhirovichi Monastery and other unique places. Baranavichy occupies the 8th place in the country in the terms of population – almost 180 thousand people, of which more than 45 thousand are young people.



ABOUT UNIVERSITY

The Institution of education "Baranavichy State University" is a regional center for training high-qualified, competitive specialists in the field of information technology, pedagogy, economics, law, agriculture and machine building.

INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES AND RETRAINING

Name	Cost of study	Term and period of study
Preparatory Department For Foreign Citizens	1,500 US dollars	full-time, 9 months (from October)
Russian Language Courses	depends on the period and number of people in a group (details – omid@barsu.by)	full-time
Summer/Winter School (Russian, English, Chinese Languages)	2 weeks – 250 US dollars, 3 weeks – 300 US dollars	full-time
Summer Business School		full-time

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

Specialty	Qualification	Term and period of study
Machine-Building Technology	Engineer	full-time, 4 years
Information Systems and Technologies	Engineer-Programmer	full-time, 4 years
Technical Supply of Agricultural Production Processes	Engineer	full-time, 4 years
3D Technology for Product Manufacturing	Engineer	full-time, 4 years

The cost of study for foreign citizens – 2,200 US dollars per year for full-time form of study, 1,100 US dollars – part-time form of study.

FACULTY OF PEDAGOGY AND PSYCHOLOGY

Social Pedagogy	Social Pedagogue	full-time, 4 years
Practical Psychology	Pedagogue-Psychologist	full-time 4 years, part-time 5 years
Primary Education	Teacher	full-time, 4 years
Preschool Education	Pedagogue	full-time 4 years, part-time 5 years
Geoeology	Geographer-Ecologist, Teacher of Geography and Ecology	full-time, 4 years

FACULTY OF LINGUISTICS

Modern Foreign Languages	Linguist, Teacher of Foreign Languages (English, Chinese)	full-time, 5 years
Modern Foreign Languages	Linguist, Teacher of Foreign Languages (English, German)	full-time, 5 years
Foreign Language (English)	Teacher	full-time, 4 years
German, English	Teacher	full-time, 4 years
Russian Language and Literature, Foreign Language (English)	Teacher	full-time, 4 years

FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND LAW

Accounting, Analysis and Audit	Economist	full-time, 4 years
Jurisprudence	Lawyer	full-time, 5 years
Economic Law	Lawyer with the Knowledge of Economics	full-time, 4 years
Electronic Marketing	Marketer-Programmer	full-time, 4 years

Additional information is available on BarSU official website - Section «To the Foreign Citizens»

MASTER'S PROGRAM

Specialty	Language of instruction	Form and period of study	Cost of study (US dollars)
Economics, profile: Analytical Economics and Business Management	Russian	full-time 1.5 years	2,500
	English	full-time 1.5 years	2,900
Theory and Methods of Education and Upbringing (by Fields and Levels of education), profile: General Pedagogy, History of Pedagogy and Education	Russian	full-time 1.5 years	2,500
Theory and Methods of Education and Upbringing (by Fields and Levels of education), profile: Foreign Languages	English	full-time 1.5 years	2,900

POSTGRADUATE STUDIES

Specialty	Language of training	Qualification	Form of study
Technology and Equipment for Mechanical and Physical Processing	Russian	Researcher In Technical Sciences	full-time, part-time

DORMITORIES

The Institution of education "Baranavichy State University" has all necessary conditions for student training and living. There are three modernized comfortable dormitories for 1,200 places on the territory of the University.



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AGREEMENT
ON BILATERAL COOPERATION
between
INSTITUTION OF EDUCATION
“BARANAVICHY STATE UNIVERSITY”
(Baranavichy, Republic of Belarus)
and

Institution of Education “Baranavichy State University” (Baranavichy, Republic of Belarus) represented by the Rector Alexander Unsovich, acting on the basis of the Charter, on the one hand, and _____, represented by _____, acting on the basis of _____, on the other hand, collectively referred to as “Universities”, with the purpose of developing bilateral cooperation in scientific research, academic, educational, public and cultural activities, hereby have concluded this agreement on the following:

1. Areas of Cooperation

In order to develop scientific research, academic, educational, public and cultural activities, the universities shall cooperate along the following directions:

- 1.1. Organization and carrying out joint scientific seminars, conferences, symposiums, etc.
- 1.2. Development and implementation of joint scientific and research projects; creation of scientific research teams including author-supervised groups to meet scientific research and educational challenges.
- 1.3. Exchange of scientific research findings, publications and teaching materials.
- 1.4. Exchange of practical experience of using advanced technologies and methods of teaching; providing mutual assistance in training researchers.
- 1.5. Exchange of lecturers, young researchers and other representatives of university staff in order to deliver lectures, master the latest technologies and methods of scientific research and to improve educational work.
- 1.6. Organization of student exchange in order to acquire a better knowledge of history, culture, education and other aspects of life in the Republic of Belarus and _____.

2. Terms and Conditions of Cooperation

The intended guidelines of cooperation shall be implemented on the following terms:

- 2.1. Implemented arrangements shall meet the requirements of both Parties and be subject to mutually beneficial conditions.
- 2.2. Joint scientific researches shall be conducted on mutual agreements between faculties, departments and university staff coordinated by the universities’ governing bodies.
- 2.3. Lecturer and student exchange shall be based on individual invitations forwarded by the Parties to each other.
- 2.4. The university, inviting and receiving staff members or students of the other university, shall pay , as far as possible, the expenses of their stay on the territory of the other state if its funds allow it.

3. Other Terms and Conditions

3.1. The present Agreement shall come into force after it has been signed and it shall be valid for 5 years. The Agreement will be tacitly extended for the same period and terms if neither of the Parties 2 months prior to the Agreement termination sends to the other Party a written notification of the will to terminate the Agreement.

3.2. Any changes in or supplements to this Agreement shall be valid provided they are done in writing and signed by authorized persons.

4. Legal Addresses of the Parties

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Publication Supporting Fund



Research Publication Facilitation Fund [RPFF] University of Peradeniya

The University Research Council [URC] is pleased to announce that it has initiated a scheme to provide financial assistance up to a maximum of USD 1000.00 per year for the researchers of University of Peradeniya to facilitate publishing their research findings in high-ranking peer reviewed journals.

Financial Assistance:

USD 500 per author up to a maximum of USD 1000 per paper per year.



Eligibility Criteria

- The applicant should be a permanent staff member of the University of Peradeniya and one of the authors of the journal article.
- The University of Peradeniya should have been identified as the sole affiliation or one of the affiliations. Journal articles which do not carry the University of Peradeniya as an affiliation are not eligible for funding.
- The journal should be indexed in one of the following Web of Science indexes:
 - Science Citation Index Expanded (SCIE)
 - Social Sciences Citation Index (SSCI)
 - Arts & Humanities Citation Index (AHCI)
- The impact factor of the journal should be 2 or higher
- The corresponding author of the journal article should have used the institutional e-mail address (pdn.ac.lk or any variant)
- None of the applicants should have used this facility within the current calendar year

The URC reserves the right to amend the eligibility criteria. The article processing charge will be reimbursed subject to the availability of funds.

Procedure

The applicant should fill in an application form and submit the same to the Director, URC through the Head of the Department and the Dean of the Faculty along with the original copy of the receipt for the payment of page charges and a copy of the journal article. The article should have been published either online or printed with a valid DOI in the journal within the year of concern.

The application can be downloaded from

https://www.pdn.ac.lk/centers/urc/doc/Application%20For%20RPFF_URC_2021.pdf

Important:

The author/s other than the corresponding author affiliated to the University of Peradeniya are encouraged to use the official e-mail address with pdn domain name provided by the University of Peradeniya.



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PURES 2022

Organized by University Research Council

The 1st Peradeniya University Research Excellence Showcase was held on 23rd March 2022 at the Joint Research and Demonstration Centre for Water Technology. The main purpose of this event was to showcase novel and cutting-edge research and many locally developed solutions for national needs.



Besides, in the event, the top tier researchers of the university were recognized. The World's Top 2% Scientists by Elsevier BV and Stanford University and Tier 4* Researchers based on the transparent research performance scheme stipulated in UGC circular 05/2018 were presented for the award ceremony. The Vice Chancellor and the Deputy Vice Chancellor awarded a plaque and a certificate to these eminent researchers. Volume 7, Issue 2 of the Hanthana Vision magazine was also launched during this event.

Leading researchers of the University of Peradeniya, key members of Government organizations, company CEOs, and University research administrators participated in the event.



During the showcase event, over fifty research projects covering projects funded by international grant bodies, the AHEAD project, and other projects with inter-faculty collaborations were on display. Some of the main attractions include videos presented by some of our eminent researchers on patentable research outcomes such as Respirone Nano Av 99 Face Mask, and the Covi-2 Loop Test Kit. The main attractions inside the exhibition hall were the e-wheeler, open-source PV inverter, non-invasive and non-transmitive monitoring of fetal conditions by the Faculty of Engineering, and Covi-2 Loop Test Kit by the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Science. The Centre for Research in Oral Cancer (CROC) of the Faculty of Dental Sciences and the Agricultural Biotechnology Centre of the Faculty of Agriculture had two stalls.

