

Upcoming Funding Opportunities UFO

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New call or postponed deadline (*since previous UFO update*)

Planned call

Course/ information meeting/other

DEADLINE	PROGRAM	TYPE	CALL
Open-ended	NFR	Hosting events	<p>Funding for events that serve as a meeting place for disseminating research results, exchanging knowledge, expanding the knowledge-base and/or establishing new scientific collaboration. Relevant are applications with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Energy, transport and low emissions Climate and polar research Oceans Internationalisation (US, Canada, Japan, South Korea, Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa) <p>More information and application form: https://www.forskningradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/support-for-events/</p>
Open-ended (next cut-off 20 November)	NFR	Support for communication and dissemination	<p>Funding for communication and dissemination activities within climate research. Applications will contribute to reaching at least 1 of the goals of the Klimaforsk programme chap. 5.6. "Usual" communication and dissemination such as publications, conferences, activities that are already part of another project's communication plan, etc. are not eligible for funding. More info (only in Norwegian): https://www.forskningradet.no/utlysninger/2019/kommunikasjon-og-formidling-av-klimaforskning/</p>
Open-ended	NFR	Communication and dissemination	<p>You can apply for a broad range of communication and dissemination initiatives or activities. The initiatives or activities are to contribute to ocean literacy and raise awareness about the Ocean Decade among society. Focus on Polar Oceans. More information: https://www.forskningradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2021/decade-ocean-science-communication-dissemination/ (applications can be in Norwegian or English)</p>

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Open-ended	NFR	Mobility	Personal Overseas Research Grant for Doctoral and Post-doctoral Fellows financed by NFR as part of an ongoing project. More info: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/personal-overseas-research-grant-for-doctoral-and-post-doctoral-fellows/#IntendedApplicantsTitle
Open-ended	NFR	Mobility	Personal Overseas Research Grant for Researchers (non-PhD nor Post-doctoral). More info: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/funding-for-research-stays-abroad-for-researchers/
Open-ended	NFR	Mobility	Support for hosting a research visit of 1-12months: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/funding-for-research-stays-in-norway-for-guest-researchers/
Open-ended	DIKU	Research-Education cooperation Iceland-Norway	Arctic Research and Studies . For cooperation between Iceland and Norway in Arctic science. Funding for research and/or higher education activities; travel; preparatory support for the initiation of joint grant applications. UiB Studieavdeling need to be informed about proposals submitted from UiB: contact here .
Open-ended (next cut-off 28 October)	Regionale Forskingsfond d Vestland	Research for innovation and sustainable value creation in industry or municipal sector	<p>Supports pilot projects with the aim of developing larger-scale research projects in collaboration with local (Norway Vestland) industry or municipal sectors, to ultimately strengthen these sectors' competence within the thematic areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New technology and processes that contribute to climate change and to a green shift • Sustainable food production, bioeconomy and circular economy • Tourism that strengthens local communities and provides a low climate footprint • Municipal service production and community development • Driving forces for development and innovation in Vestland county <p>Projects of 1-12 months, and 200-500 kNOK (of which 10% must be in-kind from the university) Partners from outside Vestland can participate Applications can be sent in Nynorsk, Bokmål or English More information: https://www.regionaleforskingsfond.no/vestland/rffvestland/2021/regionale-forprosjekt-for-bedrifter-kommunal-sektor-og-forskningsorganisasjonar-2021/</p>

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2021			
10 Nov	ERC-2022-SyG	Collaboration project with outstanding intrinsic synergetic effect	ERC Synergy Grants 2022
24 Nov	Svalbard Science Forum (SSF)	Support for fieldwork on Svalbard and Jan Mayen	Master and Phd students, as well as researchers affiliated to Norwegian research organisations can now apply for up to 100 kNOK to support fieldwork on Svalbard or Jan Mayen for the period 1 March 2022 to 28 February 2023. Master's students conducting fieldwork that is vital to their thesis in Jan-Feb 2022, can also apply for funding under this call. More information here: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2021/arctic-field-grant-fieldwork-svalbard/ (english)
24 Nov	NFR FORSTERK	Coordination and support	Supplementary Funding for Norwegian Participants in Horizon 2020 and Horizon Europe Projects: Up to 1M NOK per application, for funding additional independent activities that support or build on a Horizon 2020 or Horizon Europe project. The funding cannot be used for R&D or innovation activities. The supplementary funding is intended to increase the societal impact of Norway's participation in Horizon 2020 or Horizon Europe projects. In this way, Norwegian municipalities and other public bodies, businesses, special interest organisations and researchers will gain access to research and innovation results produced by the Horizon 2020 or Horizon Europe projects. English: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2021/supplementary-funding-horizon-2020-horizon-europe-projects/ Norsk: https://www.forskingsradet.no/utlysninger/2021/forsterkningsmidler-horisont-europa/
1 Dec	UiB	Proposal support and positioning funding	https://www.uib.no/en/foremployees/108210/project-establishment-support-pes-and-positioning-funding-pos . Internal deadline for GFI will be ca. 4 days prior. Please inform Friederike Hoffmann if you plan to apply for this.
1 Dec			Students (including PhDs) can apply for travel, field work, small projects (see specifications through links below):

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1 Dec	UiB diverse funds and grants	Travel, workshop support, ...	<p>Researchers (including postdocs) can apply for travel support and/or sabbatical/research mobility: https://www.uib.no/foransatte/100539/vitenskapelige-reiser-og-forskningstermin</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bergen Universitetsfond: https://www.uib.no/foransatte/100537/bergen-universitetsfond • Olsens legat: https://www.uib.no/foransatte/100538/olsens-legat <p>More information can be found here: https://www.uib.no/foransatte/123573/fond-og-legater Applications must be submitted via https://fond.app.uib.no/</p>
9 Dec	Young CAS Fellow	Network and project development	<p>The Centre for Advanced Studies at the Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters has announced 2 Young CAS Fellowships for the period Aug. 2022 to June 2024.</p> <p>The Young CAS Fellow program is an offer to researchers under the age of 40 by the application deadline. The researchers will receive funding and support for their research project and gain valuable experience by organizing and leading several workshops and a two-month research stay. CAS provides funds, office space and administrative support for the implementation.</p> <p>The aim of the scheme is to support outstanding younger researchers by giving them the opportunity to build independent research networks and gain experience as research leaders. As a Young CAS Fellow, you are given good framework conditions for conducting group-based, free and outstanding basic research, and the opportunity to invite colleagues from all over the world to participate in the project.</p> <p>English info and application page: https://cas.oslo.no/apply/young-cas-fellow/ Norsk versjon: https://cas.oslo.no/no/hvordan-soke/young-cas-fellow/</p>
several	NFR	Courses for writing EU project applications	<p>Many different types, with different dates: https://www.forskningsradet.no/arrangementer/?timeframe=0&type=Course</p>

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13 Jan	ERC-2022-StG	Ground-breaking research for early career scientists	ERC Starting Grants 2022
02 Feb	NFR	Research projects	Researcher projects for Young Talents Researcher Projects for Scientific Renewal Three-year Researcher projects with International Mobility More information via above links (Norwegian version is usually the most updated).
09 Feb	NFR	Samarbeidsprosjekt for å møte utfordringer i samfunn og næringsliv; Kompetansebyggende prosjekt for næringslivet	More information is now available for the Collaborative Project to Meet Societal and Industry-related Challenges and the Knowledge-building Project for Industry .
17 Mar	ERC-2022-CoG	Research project (establish/strengthen your research team)	ERC Consolidator Grants 2022
28 Apr (call opens 20 Jan)	ERC-2022-AdG	Ground-breaking, high-risk projects	ERC Advanced Grants 2022
14 Sep (call opens 13 Apr)	MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships	Research projects with mobility	Information and portal to apply.

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15 Nov (<i>call opens 3 May</i>)	MSCA Doctoral Networks	Establishment of doctoral network	Max. 4-years duration collaboration project to support 10-15 PhD candidates. Call information and application portal.

ERC plan to return to their “normal” call for applications schedules as soon as possible, that is, with StG deadline in October and CoG deadline in February. This means that the StG deadline will progressively be shifted to an earlier date, until it is back to October in 2023 or 2024.