

## Upcoming Funding Opportunities UFO

Updated on: **01.04.2022**

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

Planned call

Course/ information meeting/other

DEADLINE	PROGRAM	TYPE	CALL
Open-ended ( <i>submit by latest 6 weeks before planned event</i> )	NFR	Support for conferences/workshops/seminars/etc.	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. More information and application form: <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/support-for-events/">https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/support-for-events/</a>
Open-ended	NFR	Communication and dissemination	Funding for communication and dissemination activities within climate research. Applications will contribute to reaching at least 1 of the goals of the <a href="#">Klimaforsk programme chap. 5.6</a> . "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): <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/utlysninger/2019/kommunikasjon-og-formidling-av-klimaforskning/">https://www.forskingsradet.no/utlysninger/2019/kommunikasjon-og-formidling-av-klimaforskning/</a>
Open-ended	NFR	Communication and dissemination	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: <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2021/decade-ocean-science-communication-dissemination/">https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2021/decade-ocean-science-communication-dissemination/</a> (applications can be in Norwegian or English)
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: <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/personal-overseas-research-grant-for-doctoral-and-post-doctoral-fellows/#IntendedApplicantsTitle">https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/personal-overseas-research-grant-for-doctoral-and-post-doctoral-fellows/#IntendedApplicantsTitle</a>

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Open-ended	NFR	Mobility	Personal Overseas Research Grant for Researchers (non-PhD nor Post-doctoral), of 3-12 months duration. More info: <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/funding-for-research-stays-abroad-for-researchers/">https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/funding-for-research-stays-abroad-for-researchers/</a>
Open-ended	NFR	Mobility	Support for hosting a research visit of 1-12months: <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/funding-for-research-stays-in-norway-for-guest-researchers/">https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/funding-for-research-stays-in-norway-for-guest-researchers/</a>
Open-ended	DIKU	Research-Education cooperation Iceland-Norway	<a href="#">Arctic Research and Studies</a> . 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: <a href="#">contact here</a> .
Open-ended	NFR	Supplementary funding for MSCA fellows	Supplementary funding for those who have been awarded an MSCA postdoctoral fellowship (to go abroad from Norway) or who are participating in a MSCA doctoral network. Certain conditions apply: <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2020/top-up-financing-of-outgoing-msca-fellows/">https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2020/top-up-financing-of-outgoing-msca-fellows/</a>
Open-ended	NFR – Emerging Leaders 2022	Travel grant to attend Arctic Frontiers 2022	Doctoral and post-doctoral fellows under the age of 35, affiliated with a Norwegian university or research institute, and working on an Arctic-related topic, can apply for a grant to participate at the Emerging Leaders programme taking place from 5 to 9 May in Norway in Bodø and Tromsø. <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/utlysninger/2022/reisestotte-emerging-leaders/">https://www.forskingsradet.no/utlysninger/2022/reisestotte-emerging-leaders/</a>
Several dates	NFR	Courses for writing EU project applications	Many different types, with different dates: <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/arrangementer/?timeframe=0&amp;type=Course">https://www.forskingsradet.no/arrangementer/?timeframe=0&amp;type=Course</a>

### 2022

			Call for Networking Activities on UArctic Research and Education
19 Apr	UArctic	Research networking and education	<p>Max. 400 kNOK per project (of a 2.5 MNOK pot).</p> <p>Project duration: max. 2 years (between Sep 2022 – Aug 2024)</p> <p>You must have a minimum of three UArctic partners (at least one UArctic member from Norway): <a href="https://www.uarctic.org/member-profiles">https://www.uarctic.org/member-profiles</a></p>

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			<p><b>Activities eligible for funding:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Development of joint courses or joint degree programs on topics with northern relevance at bachelor's, master's or PhD level</li> <li>• Development of flexible education, especially online-based programs or courses</li> <li>• Education or research activities focusing on Indigenous issues.</li> <li>• Networking activities related to research activities conducted by the UArctic Thematic Networks (<a href="https://www.uarctic.org/thematic-networks/">https://www.uarctic.org/thematic-networks/</a>)</li> <li>• Establishment and development of a UArctic Thematic Network or a UArctic Institute</li> </ul> <p><b>Eligible costs:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meeting and workshop expenses (e.g. venue, meals, accommodation and travels of the participants)</li> <li>• Teaching fees or payments and per diems. Please note that you cannot cover the permanent salaries for scientific/academic or technical/administrative staff.</li> <li>• Costs for online conference platforms and tools</li> <li>• Consumables related to research work</li> <li>• Overhead costs cannot be covered</li> <li>• Applicants should document funding of at least 25% of the total budget from in kind and/or other sources.</li> </ul> <p>For call description, guidelines and application form, please ask: <a href="mailto:mahaut.vareilles@uib.no">mahaut.vareilles@uib.no</a></p>
20 Apr	UTFORSK (DIKU/NFR)	Coordination and support	<p>This is a call for funding of joint projects between higher education institutions in Norway and Brazil, Canada, China, India, Japan, Russia, South Africa, South Korea, and/or USA, to establish long lasting collaboration towards strengthening higher education for a sustainable future.</p> <p>Support can be sought for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Developing and implementing joint educational activities</li> <li>• Increasing student mobility, including internships</li> <li>• Contributing to integration between education and research</li> <li>• Strengthening cooperation with working life (i.e. outside academia)</li> </ul> <p>Each project may be awarded up to NOK 3 million and should last 4 years between 2022 and 2026. More information here: <a href="https://diku.no/programmer/utforsk">https://diku.no/programmer/utforsk</a></p>

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28 Apr	ERC-2022-AdG	Ground-breaking, high-risk projects	<a href="#">ERC Advanced Grants 2022</a>
1 Jun	Bjerknes Visiting Fellow	Researcher mobility	Bjerknes-affiliated staff can apply for support funding to host a guest researcher (travel and accommodation expenses) for a maximum 30 days duration during 2022.
20 Aug (and 20 Jan)	ERASMUS+	mobility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mobility for employees: support for staff exchange (researchers, admin and technical) to another EU country, with usually 1-week duration. Applications are sent via GFI's central admin. Get in contact with them early. More information: <a href="https://www.uib.no/foransatte/92416/erasmus-tilsettmobilitet">https://www.uib.no/foransatte/92416/erasmus-tilsettmobilitet</a></li> <li>• Mobility for all staff with teaching duties to another EU country. Applications are sent via GFI's central admin. Get in contract with them early. More information: <a href="https://www.uib.no/foransatte/92415/erasmus-undervisningsmobilitet">https://www.uib.no/foransatte/92415/erasmus-undervisningsmobilitet</a></li> </ul>
14 Sep (call opens 13 Apr)	MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships	Research projects with mobility	<a href="#">Information and portal to apply.</a>
15 Sep	Akademiaavtalen	Seed money for developing a research proposal (UiB & Equinor)	Funding (max.200 kNOK per application) is available for stimulating collaboration between UiB and Equinor to develop (and submit) research projects within: low-carbon solutions in energy production; optimised use of wind energy resources; societal implications and opportunities in the transition to renewable energy. Guidelines and terms&conditions: <a href="https://w3.uib.no/nb/fia/144685/styringskomite-forskningssamarbeid-mellom-uib-og-equinor#utlysninger-">https://w3.uib.no/nb/fia/144685/styringskomite-forskningssamarbeid-mellom-uib-og-equinor#utlysninger-</a>
1 Oct	Fulbright Arktis -stipend	Norway-USA mobility for Norwegian citizens	Stipend (200 kNOK + 25 kNOK reisestipend) for et forskningsopphold (minst 3 måneder) i USA med formålet å øke forskermobilitet mellom Norge og USA, å profilere UNIS som internasjonal platform for polarforskning, og å fremme kunnskapsutveksling om Arktis. Søkere må ha norsk statsborgerskap og en doktorgrad. <a href="https://fulbright.no/stipend-for-nordmenn/forskere/arktis-stipend/">https://fulbright.no/stipend-for-nordmenn/forskere/arktis-stipend/</a> Andre relaterte muligheter for studenter og forskere: <a href="https://fulbright.no/stipend-for-nordmenn/studentstipend/">https://fulbright.no/stipend-for-nordmenn/studentstipend/</a>

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			<a href="https://fulbright.no/stipend-for-nordmenn/forskere/">https://fulbright.no/stipend-for-nordmenn/forskere/</a>
25 Oct	ERC StG	Ground-breaking, high-risk projects	<a href="#">ERC Starting Grants 2023</a>
8 Nov	ERC SyG	Highly ambitious collaboration projects	<a href="#">ERC Synergy Grants 2023</a>
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. <a href="#">Call information and application portal.</a>
1 Dec (calls open in Oct)	UiB fond og legater	Support for travel, field work, small projects,...	<a href="https://www.uib.no/foransatte/123573/fond-og-legater">https://www.uib.no/foransatte/123573/fond-og-legater</a> and links therein. Contact the research advisor if you have questions.
1 Dec ( <i>call opens in Oct</i> )	Meltzer Research Fund	Support for travel, field work, small projects,...	Funding for available to UiB students, PhDs, Postdocs and researchers. <a href="https://meltzerfondet.w.uib.no/hovedsiden/om-meltzerfondet/veiledning-prosjektstipend/">https://meltzerfondet.w.uib.no/hovedsiden/om-meltzerfondet/veiledning-prosjektstipend/</a>
<b>2023</b>			
2 Feb ( <i>tentative</i> )	ERC CoG	Research project (establish/strengthen your research team)	<a href="#">ERC Consolidator Grants 2023</a>
15 Feb	NFR	Collaborative and knowledge-building projects	<a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2023/collaborative-project-industry/">https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2023/collaborative-project-industry/</a> <a href="https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2023/knowledge-building-project-industry/">https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2023/knowledge-building-project-industry/</a>
23 May ( <i>tentative</i> )	ERC AdG	Ground-breaking, high-risk projects	<a href="#">ERC Advanced Grants 2023</a>