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

Planned call

Course/ information meeting/other

For open-ended (no fixed deadline) calls, scroll to the bottom of this table.

DEADLINE	PROGRAM	TYPE	CALL
2022			
20 Aug (and 20 Jan)	ERASMUS+	mobility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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: https://www.uib.no/foransatte/92416/erasmus-tilsettmobilitet 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: https://www.uib.no/foransatte/92415/erasmus-undervisningsmobilitet
14 Sep (<i>call opens 13 Apr</i>)	MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships	Research projects with mobility	Information and portal to apply.
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: https://w3.uib.no/nb/fia/144685/styringskomite-forskningssamarbeid-mellom-uib-og-equinor#utlysninger-

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15 Sep	Bjerknes Centre	Proposal Writing Class	The Bjerknes Proposal Writing Class is an offer to scientists who plan to submit a project proposal in 2023 and have little or no experience yet in proposal writing. It will run from 04 Oct to 17 Jan, every Tuesday at 10:30-12:00ish. REGISTRATION FORM . For more information contact: Friederike Hoffmann or Mahaut de Vareilles (GFI), Nadine Goris (NERSC), Cat Downy (NERSC) or Linling Chen (Geo).
21 Sep	AURORA	Norway-France research mobility	Support through AURORA will help to establish and expand the contact between Norwegian research organizations and similar organizations in France. The purpose is to strengthen European research collaboration under Horizon Europe. Researchers from Norway can receive support for short stays in France to start up and develop joint new research projects. https://www.forskningsradet.no/utlysninger/2022/aurora-forskerutveksling-norge-frankrike/
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. https://fulbright.no/stipend-for-nordmenn/forskere/arktis-stipend/ Andre relaterte muligheter for studenter og forskere: https://fulbright.no/stipend-for-nordmenn/studentstipend/ https://fulbright.no/stipend-for-nordmenn/forskere/
25 Oct	ERC StG	Ground-breaking, high-risk projects	ERC Starting Grants 2023
8 Nov	ERC SyG	Highly ambitious collaboration projects	ERC Synergy Grants 2023
15 Nov	MSCA Doctoral Networks	Establishment of doctoral network	Max. 4-years duration collaboration project to support 10-15 PhD candidates. Call information and application portal.
16 Nov	NFR	Research to technology	Collaborative Project for Technological Convergence Related to Enabling Technologies (must have at least 2 Norwegian non-research organization partners)

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			<p>Researcher Project for Technological Convergence Related to Enabling Technologies (cannot have non-research organisations as partners)</p> <p>The call description isn't out yet. For last year's descriptions (which are similar) see: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2021/collaborative-project-technological-convergence/ https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2021/researcher-project-technological-convergence/</p>
1 Dec (calls open in Oct)	UiB fond og legater	Support for travel, field work, small projects,...	https://www.uib.no/foransatte/123573/fond-og-legater 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. https://meltzerfondet.w.uib.no/hovedsiden/om-meltzerfondet/veiledning-prosjektstipend/
Several dates	NFR	Courses for writing EU project applications	Many different types, with different dates: https://www.forskingsradet.no/arrangementer/?timeframe=0&type=Course

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2 Feb (<i>tentative</i>)	ERC CoG	Research project (establish/strengthen your research team)	ERC Consolidator Grants 2023
15 Feb	NFR	Collaborative and knowledge-building projects	<p>https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2023/collaborative-project-industry/</p> <p>https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2023/knowledge-building-project-industry/</p>
23 May (<i>tentative</i>)	ERC AdG	Ground-breaking, high-risk projects	ERC Advanced Grants 2023
XX Sep	MSCA PF	Research projects with mobility	

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XX Oct	ERC StG	Ground-breaking, high risk projects	
Open-ended			
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: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/support-for-events/
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 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.forskingsradet.no/utlysninger/2019/kommunikasjon-og-formidling-av-klimaforskning/
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: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2021/decade-ocean-science-communication-dissemination/ (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: 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), of 3-12 months duration. More info: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2019/funding-for-research-stays-abroad-for-researchers/

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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	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: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/call-for-proposals/2020/top-up-financing-of-outgoing-msca-fellows/