TUM Global Incentive Fund 2022 - Call for Proposals

Deadline: June 13th, 2022

Funding period: 01.08.2022 – 31.07.2023
Financial support: up to 10,000.00 € per project

The TUM Global Incentive Fund seeks to deepen TUM’s international relationships worldwide, and especially with selected partner universities. With two funding lines, it combines leadership-driven strategic initiatives and bottom-up global engagement of TUM’s scholars and scientists.

➔ Link: TUM Global Incentive Fund (incl. application documents)

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<td>Developing and expanding of collaborations with the following selected partners:</td>
<td>Developing and expanding of international relationships worldwide, without regional limitations.</td>
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<td>These activities can be supported by the TUM Liaison Offices, if applicable</td>
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Eligible activities

| Meetings / visits in preparation of joint projects (e.g. preparation of a joint application for third-party funding). | Development of project specific virtual cooperation formats. |
| Set up of new networks to promote the exchange of ideas, best practice, and other research goals. | Networking events such as international workshops and seminars to bring together researchers to strengthen existing collaborations and foster new links. |
| Collaborative day or week-long events involving staff and students from both institutions to explore new ideas for cooperations. | Development of joint research-oriented courses at postgraduate level (including MOOCs). |

Review of application & selection criteria

| Potential for development of innovative collaborations in teaching, research and/or entrepreneurship. | Exploring opportunities of increasing research and student exchanges/added value for TUM students and young researchers / scientists. |
| **Global & Alumni Office** |  |
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| **Technical University of Munich** |  |

- Goals and feasibility of project.
- Reputation of the cooperation partners; quality of existing cooperation (if applicable).
- Complementarity of cooperation partners.
- Commitment of partner e.g. co-funding, in-kind, statement of collaboration intent, etc.
- Quality of already existing cooperation (if applicable).
- Sustainability of proposed activities; action points for extension of cooperation; potential identification of follow-up funding.
- Interdisciplinary aspects of proposed project / activity.
- Agreement with internationalization goals of department, institute, integrative research center etc.
- Potential for integration of the regional TUM liaison offices into project activities (if applicable).

### Financial support

- Travel grants for researchers initiating or intensifying new cooperation projects. Please note: subsistence is only eligible for TUM-employees.
- Accommodation costs.
- Development costs of project specific virtual cooperation formats.
- Workshop consumables (stationary, workshop material, etc.).
- Workshop catering.
- Salary for TUM-contracted research assistance & student assistance.
- Honorarium for keynotes / public lectures.

### Application documents

- Application form, including confirmation of project application by dean / director of institute at TUM.
- Time schedule.
- Detailed budget (including contribution of cooperation partner(s), co-funding).
- Statement of commitment by cooperation partner(s).

### Eligibility & deadline

- All TUM professors and TUM junior fellows are welcome to submit applications.
- **Please submit the application documents via the following link:** [https://tum.moveon4.de/form/5cc7f7965875310750b4567/eng](https://tum.moveon4.de/form/5cc7f7965875310750b4567/eng) by June 13th, 2022.

### Accessing funding & reporting

- Please note: the granted maximum budget is not a lump sum. The funds will only be transferred on a reimbursement basis (to TUM chair or individual project members).
- Final report is due on 31.08.2023.

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