

Application for financial support in the framework of Bielefeld Young Researchers' Fund, funding line PhD students: Career Bridge Doctorate Completion Scholarship

Please read the [information sheet](#) to fill in the form.

In case of questions, feel free to contact nachwuchsfonds@uni-bielefeld.de

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Applicant's profile

Name: Surname:

Total sum applied for: Intended start date of funding:

Faculty:

Start of the doctoral project:

Expected submission of the dissertation:

Bachelor degree: number of terms needed & final grade:

Master's degree: number of terms needed & final grade:

Personal qualification

[Information given in this section can further strengthen your application. It is not required to fulfil any of these criteria in order to be eligible for funding.]

Prizes, awards and third-party funding acquired:

[Please state the source and sum of the funding etc. In case of third-party funding, explain your role/extent of participation in the application. For prizes and awards, please let us know the type of work that won the prize (e.g. best poster) if this is not obvious from the prize's name.]

Research stays abroad and in other research groups/labs/etc. since the beginning of your doctorate:

Special commitments, participation in University bodies & additional qualifications:

[Information on special roles you have in the running of the University's research or administration (e.g. lab management, organising of conferences, editorship for a journal, membership in a University commission, representative of your status group, mentoring etc.) and on qualifications towards a career in science (e.g. courses on leadership, science management, teaching, scientific writing etc.).]

Teaching experience:

Science communication/engagement with general public:

[e.g. newspaper articles or other media reports on your research, articles etc. by yourself about research-related topics, participation in outreach activities or other communication of science-related topic to the general public.]

Dissertation

Supervisor:

Title & description of dissertation

[max. 1 page / 400 words: Give a short description of your doctoral project and its current state. State your research questions/hypotheses and (preliminary) results and contextualise them in the current state of research in your field. Further, briefly explain your methods. Also state which parts of the project (i.e. research question/ methods) are innovative and whether they were developed by yourself. If necessary, you may cite publications in the text. Please use a simple format for this, just giving the (first) author and publication year (e.g. Roughgarden et al., 2015). A full reference list at the end of the text is not required. Please note: The text must be understandable to University members who are not members of your faculty.]



Time schedule

[Please describe which work steps you are planning each month from now until the end of your funding by BYRF. Depending on how soon you would like your scholarship to start, you should fill in 9-15 months. Please note that you can apply for scholarships from 1 to 6 months in length. An extension beyond the length you apply for is not possible. Your scholarship will end at the end of the month of your thesis defense. The time schedule will form part of the evaluation. Therefore, please take care to enable reviewers from outside your field to understand and assess it.]

Month	Intended work steps

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Statement of the supervisor

Herewith I confirm that all necessary resources which will be needed to conduct the described research project are assured.

The applicant is supported by the faculty/institute as follows:

[Please provide some detailed information on support provided by the faculty/institute, for example past and future regular discussions of the planned project and career development, additional funding, provision of a workplace, equipment, institutional integration, participation in conferences ...]

Please attach a separate assessment to the application using the evaluation form from our website

www.uni-bielefeld.de/nachwuchsfonds.

Name:

Date:

Signature:

Statement of the Faculty

This application has been duly noted by the management of the faculty/institute (dean or head of faculty administration).

Name [in block letters]:

Stamp:

Date:

Signature:

Applicant's signature

Date:

Signature:

Attachments:

- 1) Curriculum vitae in tabular form (max 2 pages)
- 2) Publication list
- 3) Information on participation in scientific exchange during the doctoral studies (e.g. visit to other research groups, conferences, collaborations; for conferences, please indicate the name and location, as well as your contribution (visit, poster, talk))
- 4) Copy of academic degree certificate(s) or confirmation of the faculty about the opening of the procedure
- 5) Attachment 'Personal Information' (Please submitted this by emailing it directly and only to the BYRF.)

Documents 1-4 and this application form must be submitted as ONE PDF document