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Supporting Early Career Researchers

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DFG in a Nutshell – **Facts and Figures**

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- Largest public funder of **basic research** in Germany
- **~ 30.000 projects** funded with **3.8 billion €** in 2025
- In all STEMM fields **and the humanities**
- **Bottom-up** choice of research topics
- Everything done in competition/**peer review**
- (Almost) **no deadlines**
- Eligible: **PhD**, research to be carried out **in Germany**

DFG Resources

Step #1: Finding a partner in Germany

GEPRIS

DFG - GEPRIS

GERiT

GERiT: German Research Institutions | DFG

Funding Atlas

DFG, German Research Foundation - Funding Atlas 2024

Website: https://www.dfg.de

Step #2: Looking for funding in Germany

Research in Germany

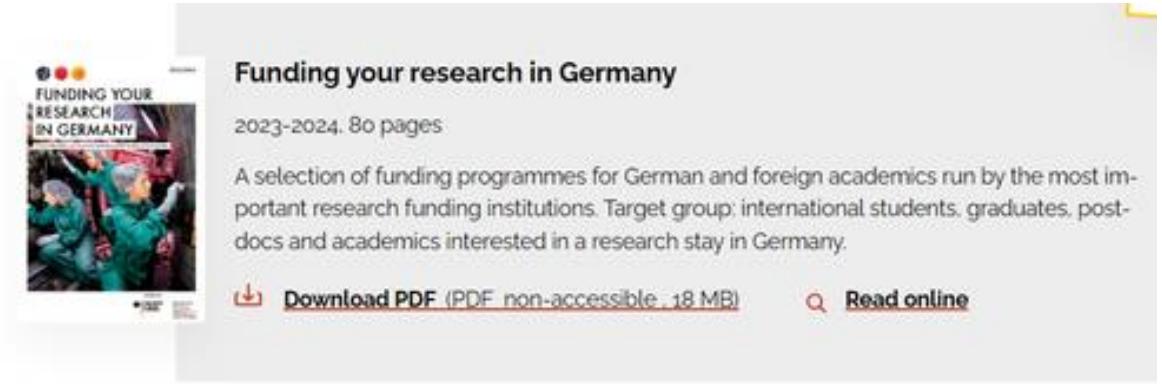
Land of Ideas

Information hub for any researcher interested in Germany

Website: https://www.research-in-germany.org/en.html

Go to:

- „Our service“
- „Our publications“



Funding programs for all career stages

Meet the Team

Step #3 (optional): Ask us for help

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