

Fundamental research – Early career scholars (Round 4)

Call 3

Who: This action applies to a team of (a minimum of) two early career scholars from (at least) two faculties with a notable interdisciplinary basis who obtained a Ph.D. degree within the last ten years. The funding aims to relieve the research team of teaching and/or administrative duties for (a maximum of) four months (per team), and instead provide the researchers with dedicated research time.

What: A working paper leading to the subsequent publication in a peer-reviewed journal is the minimum required output of each project. It is mandatory to allocate the awarded funding in 2019/2020.

TIMELINE

<i>Round 4 opened:</i>	Tuesday 15 October 2019
<i>Deadline:</i>	Sunday 15 December 2019, 5:00 PM CET
<i>Decision Making:</i>	mid-January 2020

The application should include:

- The complete template presented below;
- A concise CV;
- A list of publications.

1. Details of applicants:

a. Title(s), initial(s), surname(s):	
Faculty & Position	
Personnel number:	
Mobile phone:	
Email address:	
b. Title(s), initial(s), surname(s):	
Faculty & Position	
Personnel number:	
Mobile phone:	
Email address:	

2. Title of the research paper & target journal

3. Summary of research paper (max. 150 words)

4. Research plan (max. 750 words), including:

- Overall aim and key objectives, including;
- Practical timetable/timeline over the grant period.

5. Motivation:

- In what way your proposal complements your already existing research (i.e. of the applicants);
- In what way your proposal complements the Maastricht, Working on Europe Research agenda.

Successful applications

We would like to inform successful applicants on the following points, on which up is required to make the funding operational.

Before the awarded funding is operational:

1. Studio Europa grants the funding and informs the applicants accordingly
2. Applicants inform Studio Europa on the division of funding per researcher in your team
3. Applicants establish a timeline for the project
4. The administration (e.g. solver hours etc.) of the seed money is done via the applicable channels in the faculty/department of the applicants
5. Based on the above-mentioned information Studio Europa can take the necessary actions to settle the finances with the faculty/department of each researcher in your team
6. Based on the timeline and the summary of the research paper (max. 150 words, as incorporated in the original proposal), Studio Europa will update the MWoE UM-website
<https://www.maastrichtuniversity.nl/um-and-europe>
7. The working paper style guide is available via: info@maastrichteurope.nl

Please inform the team of Studio Europa accordingly and, if desired, please do not hesitate to coordinate with the team of Studio Europa for further instructions and support:
info@maastrichteurope.nl

After spending the awarded funding:

1. Send the finished working paper to: info@maastrichteurope.nl
2. The finished working paper will be part of the collective "*Maastricht, Working on Europe Working Paper Series*"

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