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German Research Foundation

**Initiative
for the Promotion of Indo-German Cooperation
in the Fields of Social Sciences and the Humanities**

With the opening of its office in New Delhi in 2006 the German Research Foundation (DFG) has announced a special initiative to promote Indo-German Cooperation in the field of Social Sciences and the Humanities.

This initiative is a part of DFG's commitment to serve all branches of Science and the Humanities. Since Indian funding partners for international co-operation are mainly available for disciplines other than the Humanities and Social Sciences, DFG offers mobility funding for Indian researchers cooperating with their German counterparts. The application would be submitted by the research partner in Germany and would be reviewed by DFG as per the standard procedures and guidelines.

The main focus of the funding would be to provide support to Indian researchers for their preparatory visits to Germany for joint research projects.

Exploratory Visits:

International travel costs to Germany and local hospitality for up to 3 weeks.

Bilateral Seminars:

International travel costs to Germany and local hospitality for up to 7 days.

Research stays:

International travel costs to Germany and local hospitality for up to 3 months.

Please note that all the applications to DFG must be submitted by the **research partner / host in Germany**.

Limitations to the numbers of individual visits to be funded per year may apply.

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