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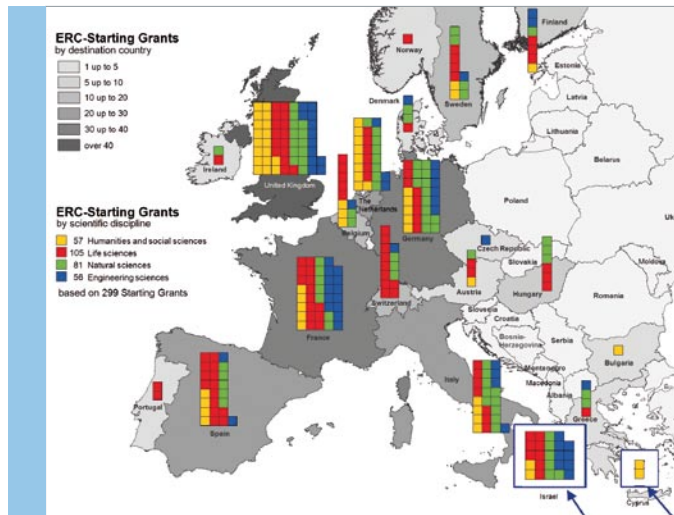
Internationality

The Funding Ranking 2009 for the first time also includes data on the participation of researchers in the funding lines of the European Research Council (ERC), which was newly established in 2007.

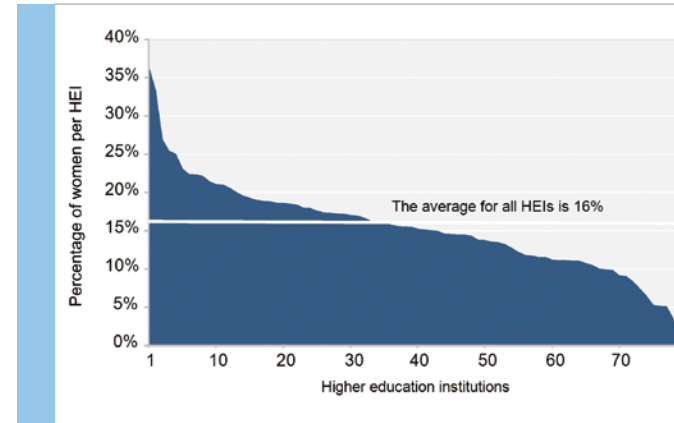
Research visits made by researchers from abroad and funded by the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (AvH) and the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) are taken into consideration here, too.

As a result, the figures presented by the Funding Ranking also reflect the international visibility of German research.

ERC-funded researchers in the Starting Grant funding line by destination country per scientific discipline



Equal opportunities in science



Share of DFG awards allocated to women 2005 to 2007 by HEI

The Funding Ranking 2009 for the first time provides information about the participation of women scientists in the funding programmes of the DFG.

As shown by the graph, a total of 16 percent of the over 18,000 DFG award recipients at the HEIs taken into account by the Funding Ranking are women. At the same time, major differences are apparent between the various locations and scientific disciplines.

Funding Ranking 2009

Institutions – Regions – Networks

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Funding Ranking 2009

The Funding Ranking of the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG) provides information about the participation of German research institutions in the funding programmes of the DFG and other national and international research funding institutions.

It reports in differentiated form on the thematic priorities of German HEIs and non-university research institutions with regard to their third-party funded research activities. It also provides information on the networking between these institutions, resulting from joint research projects.

Along with data on externally financed research by the DFG, the Funding Ranking also evaluates figures for research funding by the following institutions:

- ▶ Alexander von Humboldt Foundation
- ▶ European Commission
- ▶ European Research Council
- ▶ Federal Ministry of Economics and Technology
- ▶ Federal Ministry of Education and Research
- ▶ Federal Statistical Office
- ▶ German Academic Exchange Service
- ▶ German Federation of Industrial Research Associations "Otto von Guericke"

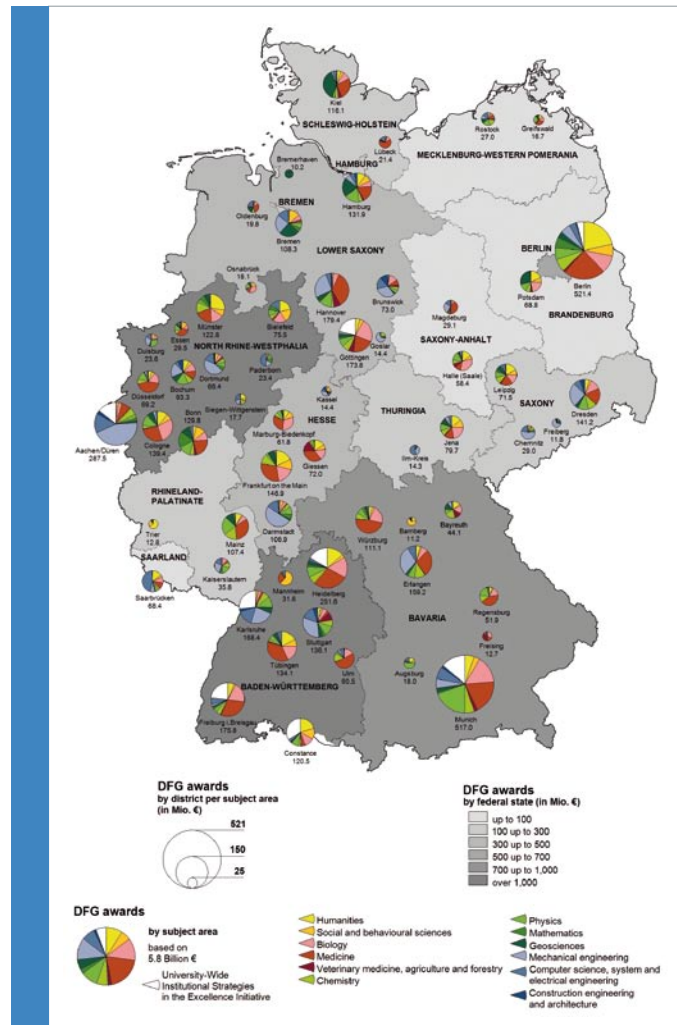
The DFG Funding Ranking thus covers almost 90 percent of the funding granted to German research in the form of third-party funding by public institutions.

The Funding Ranking is published in both the German and the English language.

Regional distribution

The DFG Funding Ranking gives information, amongst other things, about the regions that are particularly active in acquiring funds from the DFG, the federal government and the EU. It also provides information about the thematic profiles that characterise these regions.

Regional distribution of DFG awards 2005 to 2007 by subject area

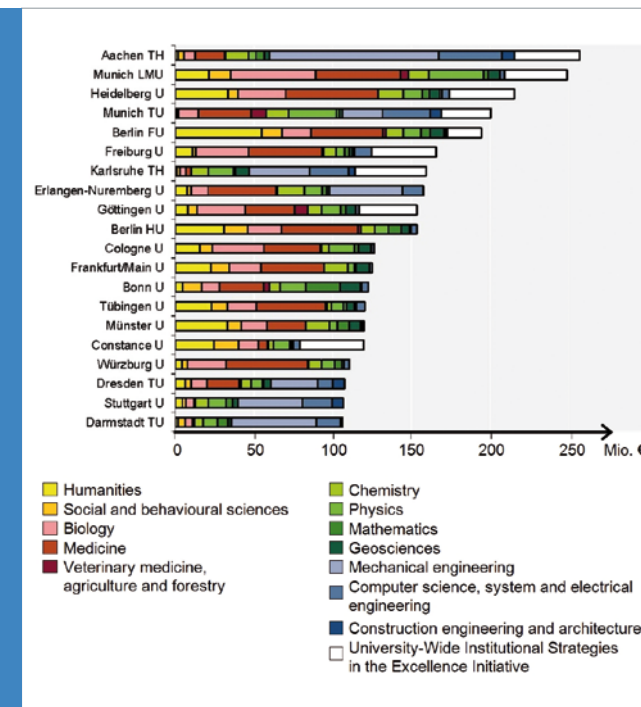


Funding statements and profiles

The DFG Funding Ranking analyses the success with which HEIs and non-university research institutions acquired third-party funding from the various funding bodies. Apart from the description of funding statements, another fundamental objective is to highlight the thematic priorities of research institutions.

Accordingly, the Funding Ranking presents, among other things, the thematic profiles of individual research institutions in 48 different research fields funded by the DFG.

DFG awards 2005 to 2007 by HEI per subject area



Cooperation and networking

The DFG Funding Ranking provides information about the formation of clusters and networking between HEIs and non-university research institutions resulting from joint research projects in the framework of the DFG's Coordinated Programmes.

Participation of research institutions in the DFG's Coordinated Programmes and the resulting cooperative relationships in the natural sciences

