


Module

Coordination



A module can only be applied for within the appropriate modularised programme. To determine which modules are available to you, please consult the DFG's programme guidelines relevant to your proposal.

I. Objective

1. Coordination

The coordinator/spokesperson may request the funds needed to coordinate the network's activities.

2. Gender inclusion funding for spokespersons

Gender inclusion funding should be used for individual and subject and/or project-related activities serving to facilitate the spokesperson's new role.

II. Description

1. Coordination

In research networks, the coordination of activities plays a key role for the network's general objectives. This module can be used to request funds to support the coordinator in his/her managerial duties (e.g. funding for an office assistant, etc.).

2. Gender inclusion funding for spokespersons

Gender inclusion funding for spokespersons aims to facilitate the activities of the target group in the research network. Note that this applies to coordinators in Priority Programmes.

Only spokespersons/coordinators whose gender is underrepresented at the management level in their specific fields can apply for gender inclusion funding. In almost all university teaching and research areas, this currently applies to female professors. In areas with a balanced gender ratio, gender inclusion funding may not be requested. An overview of such research areas can be found at:

www.dfg.de/underrepresentation

A total of €80,000 per year can be requested. These funds can be supplemented by other funding where necessary.

Funds can be used to facilitate the spokesperson's research-related and/or administrative tasks and activities. For example, funding can be used for:

- (partial) research sabbatical for the spokesperson
- partial temporary substitute clinician positions
- additional support staff
- direct project costs and travel.

III. Proposal Instructions

1. Coordination

State and justify the requested funding amount.

2. Gender inclusion funding for spokespersons

Briefly describe what measures will be funded through this support.

In general, supplemental proposals may not be submitted. An exception is made for instances in which a new spokesperson assumes management of the network during the course of the funding period and this person's gender is underrepresented at the managerial level in the relevant area or discipline.

Questions on gender inclusion funding for spokespersons can be addressed to chancengleichheit@dfg.de.