

## **Newsletter Research, 03.12.2020**

### **Online Workshops / Webinar:**

#### **WEBINAR: Online Meetings**

Speaker: Mag. Martin Buxbaum

Target group: all scientists, especially young scientists

Date: 20 January 2021 (13.00-17.00 h) and 27 January 2021 (13.00-17.00 h)

Registration: Email [sc-forschung@i-med.ac.at](mailto:sc-forschung@i-med.ac.at) as soon as possible

The webinar will be held in English. Limited to 12 participants! Free of charge!

Have a look at the program: <https://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/fortbildung.html>

### **Calls:**

#### **FWF 1000 – Ideas Programme**

Target group: qualified principal investigators—both established researchers and those at the beginning of their career—who work at Austrian research institutions (the principal investigator must be employed at least 50% at a research institution).

Deadline: 18 January 2021 (14:00 h)

All the planned projects need to be authorised by Medical University of Innsbruck. In order to get the authorisation of the Medical University of Innsbruck we advise you to get in touch with the Research Office (Forschungsservice & Innovation) as soon as possible but not later than **08 January 2021**.

Additionally, all applicants to the FWF-1000-Ideas Programme have the opportunity to apply in parallel to the [MUI Innovation Pool](#).

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Further information:

<https://www.fwf.ac.at/en/research-funding/fwf-programmes/1000-ideas-programme>

#### **TWF - Tiroler Wissenschaftsförderung 2021**

The next Call for the Tiroler Wissenschaftsförderung will be open from

**01 February 2021 until 31 March 2021**

Applications only online under the following link:

<https://www.tirol.gv.at/arbeit-wirtschaft/wirtschaft-und-arbeit/foerderungen/tiroler-wissenschaftsfoerderung-und-fachhochschulfinanzierung/>

Please be aware that applications must comply with the guidelines for third party funding at the Medical University of Innsbruck:

[https://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/fo\\_drittmittel.html#Drittmittelrichtlinie](https://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/fo_drittmittel.html#Drittmittelrichtlinie)

Further information:

<https://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/foerderungen/tiwifo/index.html>

<https://www.i-med.ac.at/mitteilungsblatt/2020/08.pdf>

#### **Houska Prize 2021**

Target group: Austrian Universities, Austrian Private Universities, Austrian Colleges, Austrian Academy of Sciences (ÖAW), Institute for Science and Technology Austria (IST Austria)

Deadline: 31 March 2021

Further information: <https://bcgruppe.at/wp-content/uploads/2020/11/Houskapreis-2021-Broschu%CC%88re.pdf>

Application only online: <https://bcgruppe.at/houskapreis/>

**Reminder:****Standortagentur Tirol - k-REGIO Call 2020**

The new k-Regio call has been published November 5th, 2020. k-Regio is by far the biggest funding scheme published by Land Tyrol. Consortia consisting at least of three partners - at least two of them from industry and one from academia - are eligible to apply for a project with a duration of three years and a total funding of max. 300.000,- p/a (900.000,- per project). The funding rate for each participating organization depends on their legal status.

For the first time the call is thematically restricted. Two thematic areas are addressed:

- Green, environment and climate
- Health and digitalization

Target group: consortia of partners from industry and academia

Deadline: 29 January 2021

Further information: <https://www.standort-tirol.at/page.cfm?vpath=unternehmen/foerderungen/landesprogramme#k-regio>

**AWS – Prototypenförderung für Universitäten und Fachhochschulen**

Scope: development and construction of prototypes for outstanding new scientific inventions and developments that are already patented or potentially patentable

Deadline: 17 December 2020, 12:00 h

Further information:

<https://www.aws.at/aws-impulsprogramm-fuer-den-oesterreichischen-wissen-und-technologietransfer/aws-prototypenfoerderung-fuer-universitaeten-und-fachhochschulen/>

Please contact [Research Service und Innovation](#) / Johannes Ghetta M.Sc ([Johannes.Ghetta@i-med.ac.at](mailto:Johannes.Ghetta@i-med.ac.at)) if you are considering an application.

**FWF-Promotion programmes for female scientists (two stages)**

Target group: extremely well qualified female scientists who are working towards a university career  
Early stage: **Hertha Firnberg Programme** (completed doctoral studies; international scientific publications)

Deadline: 11 December 2020

Further information:

<https://www.fwf.ac.at/en/research-funding/fwf-programmes/firnberg-programme/>

Advanced stage: **Elise Richter Programme** (appropriate postdoctoral experience; international scientific publications; preparatory work related to the proposed research project; no age limit)

Deadline: 11 December 2020

Further information:

<https://www.fwf.ac.at/en/research-funding/fwf-programmes/richter-programme-incl-richter-peek/>

**Ingrid zu Solms-Wissenschaftspreis für Medizin**

This price will be awarded for an excellent publication in the field of clinical medicine or psychotherapy

Target group: female scientists up to an age of 40 years

Deadline: 31 May 2021

Further information:

[https://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/files/lzS-Ausschreibung-Medizin-2021\\_Information.pdf](https://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/files/lzS-Ausschreibung-Medizin-2021_Information.pdf)

**Hans and Blanca Moser Foundation Award for cardiovascular research**

This prize will be awarded for an excellent publication in the field of cardiovascular research from the year 2020. The applicant must be under the age of.

Target group: young scientists working in the field of cardiovascular research

Deadline: 31 December 2020

Amount: EUR 3.000,00

Further information:

[https://www.meduniwien.ac.at/web/fileadmin/content/serviceeinrichtungen/buero\\_unileitung/Aus-schreibung\\_kardiov.\\_Forschung\\_2021.pdf](https://www.meduniwien.ac.at/web/fileadmin/content/serviceeinrichtungen/buero_unileitung/Aus-schreibung_kardiov._Forschung_2021.pdf)

#### **Hans and Blanca Moser Foundation Award for translational cancer research**

This award will be given to an excellent publication in the field of cancer research. The applicant must be under the age of 35.

Target group: young scientists working in the field of translational cancer research

Deadline: 31 December 2020

Amount: EUR 3.000,00

Further information:

[https://www.meduniwien.ac.at/web/fileadmin/content/serviceeinrichtungen/buero\\_unileitung/Aus-schreibung\\_translat.Krebsforschung\\_2021.pdf](https://www.meduniwien.ac.at/web/fileadmin/content/serviceeinrichtungen/buero_unileitung/Aus-schreibung_translat.Krebsforschung_2021.pdf)

#### **New call "European Green Deal" also contains health-related topics**

On September 22nd, the European Commission published one of the last Horizon 2020 calls for the "European Green Deal". The call encompasses ten areas, including one with health relevance: "Zero-pollution, toxic free environment", which has two topics published:

- Innovative, systemic zero-pollution solutions to protect health, environment and natural resources from persistent and mobile chemicals (LC-GD-8-1-2020)
- Fostering regulatory science to address combined exposures to industrial chemicals and pharmaceuticals: from science to evidence-based policies (LC-GD-8-2-2020)

The deadline for submission is January 26, 2021.

You can find more information on the call page: <https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/topic-details/lc-gd-1-1-2020>

#### **Draft workprogrammes for Horizon Europe available**

Officially, Horizon Europe starts at January 1st, 2021 and also is planned for seven years but due to the Covid-19 pandemic and several other unforeseen delays in adopting the new Multiannual Financial Framework (MFF) the first calls for proposals can be expected during the first quarter of 2021. The very first calls for proposals presumably will be related to the ERC (European Research Council) sub-programme of Horizon Europe.

The Department „Research Services and Innovation“ managed in the meantime to organize recent drafts of the workprogrammes for most of the first calls of the new programme as well as other supporting documents. Unfortunately these workprogrammes and most of the documents are confidential so that we are not allowed to spread them publicly on our webpages or by mass emails. But on request of our researchers I can send them to you personally.

If you are interested in specific workprogrammes please do not hesitate to get in contact with me and so that I can provide you with the specific informations. As a short overview, you can find the structure of the new funding programme under this address: [https://ec.europa.eu/info/horizon-europe\\_en](https://ec.europa.eu/info/horizon-europe_en)

Additionally we have been invited to join a new national initiative to take part in the discussion about as well as influence of the content of the new programme: the so-called „Horizon Europe Community Platforms“. This initiative is led by the Federal Ministry for Education, Science and Research and the International and European Programmes of the FFG. If you are interested in joining such a platform, for more information about Horizon Europe or receiving drafts of the work programmes please get in contact with us under [sc-forschung@i-med.ac.at](mailto:sc-forschung@i-med.ac.at)

On **January 11th, 2021** the broad online information campaign "**Join our Community: Horizon Europe**" will start. This campaign will last for 10 weeks and each week a new specific topic will be focused on. More information will be available on the ffg webpage in a few days. <https://www.ffg.at/>

You will be supported in the preparation of project proposals by

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[https://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/fo\\_foerderung.html](https://www.i-med.ac.at/forschung/fo_foerderung.html)

*Database Devices and Methods:* <http://geraetedb.i-med.ac.at/>

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