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Convocatoria para la financiación: proyectos de investigación 2026



Objetivo:

Promover la generación, el intercambio y la divulgación de conocimientos académicos mediante la financiación de proyectos de investigación sobre temas que aporten a la construcción de paz en Colombia, con un llamado particular a proyectos que atiendan la situación actual en zonas altamente afectadas por la violencia reciente y que se encuentren articuladas con las temáticas que trabaja el Instituto. Asimismo, esta convocatoria busca fomentar la cooperación académica colombo-alemana.

Dirigido a:

- Grupos de investigación de Colombia y Alemania con cooperación entre ambos países, dedicados al trabajo científico desde una perspectiva social y en temas de construcción de paz en Colombia, pudiendo incluir grupos de otros países y con al menos un (1) año de constitución al momento de presentar la propuesta

IES nacionales con alianza vigente con una IES alemana
Centros o institutos de investigación nacionales reconocidos por Minciencias,
con alianzas con grupos, centros, institutos de investigación alemanes o con IES alemanas

Financiación:

Se otorgará a cada proyecto de investigación un monto máximo de 5.000 € (cinco mil euros) o su equivalente en pesos colombianos a título de subvención.

Fecha de cierre:

12 diciembre 2025

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Research Grants on Education

Objective:

To support education research projects that contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived. The program seeks rigorous, intellectually ambitious, and technically sound research that addresses pressing questions and promising opportunities in the field of education.

Eligibility:

The program is open to doctoral-level researchers affiliated with non-profit or public institutions capable of administering the grant. Applicants may be from the U.S. or abroad, with proposals submitted in English and budgets in USD. Graduate students may join the research team but cannot serve as PI or Co-PI.

Funding:

Funding provides up to USD \$50,000 per project, with a duration of 1 to 5 years. Applicants may request up to USD \$10,000 in supplemental funds for a course release if eligibility requirements are met.



Fecha de cierre:

15 diciembre 2025

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CONSERVATION, FOOD &
HEALTH FOUNDATION

The conservation, food & health foundation

Objective:

The Conservation, Food and Health Foundation seeks to protect the environment, improve food production, and promote public health in Africa, Asia, the Caribbean, Latin America, and the Middle East.

Elegibility :

The Foundation funds local, state, and regional organizations in Africa, Asia, the Caribbean, Latin America, and the Middle East, as well as institutions in high-income countries partnering with organizations in these regions. Eligible applicants include NGOs, nonprofits, civil society groups, community organizations, universities, and other academic institutions. Government and religious entities may join as partners but cannot receive direct funding. The Foundation does not fund indirect or overhead costs, general operations, humanitarian aid, ecotourism, capital projects, profit-oriented initiatives, salaries for CEOs of U.S. or European organizations, or expenses incurred before the grant is awarded.

Funding:

Grants range from \$25,000 to \$50,000 per year and may last one or two years, with second-year funding based on satisfactory progress. They are awarded twice a year, with one proposal allowed per organization, and require interim and final reports.

Fecha de cierre:

22 de diciembre 2025

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**GLOBAL
CITIZEN.**

Projects: Global Grant for Education and Sports

Objective :

The FIFA Global Citizen Education Fund supports grassroots organizations expanding access to quality education and sports for children in underserved communities. By uniting resources and partnerships, FIFA and Global Citizen aim to give every child the chance to learn, grow, and thrive.

Eligibility:

- Nonprofit, community-based, or educational organizations that work directly with children and youth in vulnerable contexts.

Funding :

Grants range from \$50K- \$250K USD

Fecha de cierre:

31 diciembre 2025

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Beca de investigación Georg Forster para el desarrollo sostenible



Objective:

To support researchers from developing and emerging countries through research fellowships that strengthen their scientific capacities and directly contribute to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The fellowship promotes knowledge production, international cooperation, and gender equality by encouraging the active participation of women researchers and reinforcing global sustainable development.

Eligibility:

Researchers from developing or transition countries (excluding China and India), with a recent PhD (within 4 years) or up to 12 years of research experience. Applicants must have peer-reviewed publications, a research proposal with clear sustainable development relevance, a confirmed academic host in Germany, two reference letters, proficiency in English or German, and meet residency and mobility requirements.

Funding:

EUR 2,700/month for postdoctoral researchers.
EUR 3,200/month for experienced researchers.

Fecha de cierre:

1 enero 2026

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Becas Eiffel para doctorados y másteres en 2026

Objetivo:

El programa de becas de excelencia Eiffel fue creado por el Ministerio para Europa y de Asuntos Exteriores de Francia para permitir que las instituciones francesas de educación superior atraigan a los mejores estudiantes extranjeros para que se matriculen en sus programas de máster y doctorado.

Dirigido a:

- Pueden postularse candidatos de todas las nacionalidades (excepto francesas). Los candidatos con doble nacionalidad, una de las cuales sea francesa, no son elegibles.
- Los candidatos al nivel de Máster no pueden estar estudiando actualmente en Francia y no deben tener más de 29 años en la fecha de la reunión del comité de selección.
- Los candidatos a doctorado que estudien en el extranjero tendrán prioridad sobre quienes ya residan en Francia. No deberán tener más de 35 años en el momento de la convocatoria de 2026.

Financiación:

- Máster: Asignación mensual de 1.200 €
- Doctorado: Asignación mensual de 2.100 €
- Tasas de inscripción: Cubiertas en caso de programas de ingeniería.
- Transporte: Incluye viaje de ida y regreso al finalizar la estancia.

Fecha de cierre:

8 enero 2026

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European
Research
Council

ERC Consolidator Grants call

Objective:

The ERC supports excellent frontier research projects led by a single Principal Investigator in any field of science, with the objective of fostering groundbreaking ideas, high-risk/high-gain approaches, and scientific leadership in Europe.

Eligibility:

Eligibility requires that the Principal Investigator conducts the project at a host institution located in an EU Member State or associated country. Starting Grants are open to researchers 2–7 years after the PhD, Consolidator Grants to those 7–12 years after the PhD, and Advanced Grants to established leaders with a significant track record of research achievements. Excellence is the sole evaluation criterion across all schemes.

Funding:

ERC funding provides up to €1.5 million for Starting Grants, €2 million for Consolidator Grants, and €2.5 million for Advanced Grants, each for a period of up to five years. In all schemes, applicants may request up to €1 million in additional funds to cover eligible start-up costs, major equipment, access to large facilities, or relocation expenses.



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13 enero 2026

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Development of sustainable and design-to-cost batteries



Objective:

Development of next generation low-cost batteries for improving the affordability of electric mobility, enhancing the competitiveness of the European battery value chain, while lowering the share of Critical Raw Materials. Improved adaptation and flexibility of advanced and sustainable production processes in European battery manufacturing.

Eligibility:

Entities eligible to participate Any legal entity, regardless of its place of establishment, including legal entities from non-associated third countries or international organisations (including international European research organisations) is eligible to participate (whether it is eligible for funding or not), provided that the conditions laid down in the Horizon Europe Regulations have been met, along with any other conditions laid down in the specific call/topic.

Funding:

The European Union funding for the topic HORIZON-CL5-2026-01-D2-01 (Innovation Action on batteries) has an indicative total budget of up to €24 million. With this budget, it is expected to fund approximately 3 projects, with an estimated average grant size of around €8 million per project.

The funding is provided under the Innovation Action (IA) scheme, covering 70% of eligible direct costs for for-profit entities and 100% for non-profit entities, plus a flat rate of 25% to cover the project's indirect costs.



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20 enero 2026

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UNESCO-Hamdan Prize for Teacher Development

Objective:

The Foundation supports educational excellence and the sponsorship of giftedness and innovation, to improve educational performance in all levels and sectors, honouring all groups and relevant authorities in the education sector as well as institutions and individuals contributing outstanding innovations and creations.

Elegibility:

- The following organizations, active in the field of teaching and learning, are eligible to apply:
- International or national organizations and institutions
- Governmental or non-governmental organizations
- Educational or research institutions

Funding:

The Prize awards US\$ 300,000 (divided equally between three winners), who each also receive a certificate. In addition, laureates may benefit from increased visibility, networking opportunities, and international recognition.



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31 enero 2025

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Projects: Pure Earth Opportunity Fund

Objective:

To strengthen the capacity of low- and middle-income countries to identify, assess, and mitigate sources of lead exposure, by supporting projects focused on source assessments, research, technology development, awareness-raising, national coordination, and the design or implementation of targeted exposure-reduction actions (excluding paint).

Eligibility:

Legally registered NGOs, CSOs, universities, or other types of non-profit entities; preference for organizations based in the country/region where the activities will take place.

Funding:

Grants ranging from USD \$10,000 to \$100,000 will be awarded over a 12 month period for each proposal or project, subject to renewal for an additional 12 months.

Fecha de cierre:

1 Marzo 2026

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