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FUNDING OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS - FOA



FEBRUARY 2026

1. Ted Scripps Fellowships in Environmental Journalism

Primary funder name: Center for Environmental Journalism (CEJ)

Summary text: This flexible, non-degree program allows fellows to tailor these resources to meet their needs and interests. The two-semester program begins in mid-August and continues through early-May.

Deadline Information: 01 Mar 26

Award Amount: USD 80,000.00

Disciplines: Broadcast Media; Environmental Conservation & Biodiversity; Environmental Law; Environmental Policy; Environmental Science; Journalism; Print Media & Publishing

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2. Patrick Leary Field Development Grant

Primary funder name: Research Society for Victorian Periodicals (RSVP)

Summary text: The grant is intended to support one scholar or a team of researchers in creating resources that will facilitate the work of other scholars in their studies of British newspapers and periodicals from the long nineteenth century.

Deadline Information: 15 Mar 26

Award Amount: USD 27,500.00

Disciplines: British & Irish History; Digital & Computer Art; Journalism; Media Studies; Modern History; Print Media & Publishing; Victorian Literature

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3. Kurt-Tucholsky-Stipendium für Literatur und Publizistik

Primary funder name: German Literature Archive Marbach

Summary text: This support research visits in the field of German studies, publishing, sociology and politics, related to the works and ideas of Kurt Tucholsky.

Deadline Information: 31 Mar 26

Award Amount: EUR 12,000.00

Disciplines: German History; German Literature; Politics & International Studies; Print Media & Publishing; Sociology

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4. Heritage Collections Research Fellowships

Primary funder name: University of Edinburgh

Summary text: Applications are invited for Heritage Collections Research Fellowships from postdoctoral scholars in any area of the Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, to carry out research based on any of the Heritage Collections held at the University of Edinburgh in 2026-27.

Closing date: 24 Apr 26

Award amount max: GBP 12,500.00

Career stage: Early Career and Emerging in Field

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5. National Library Digital Fellowship

Primary funder name: National Library Board Singapore (NLB)

Summary text: The National Library Digital Fellowship is a programme to support research in the emerging field of digital humanities using the collections of the National Library, Singapore, and the National Archives of Singapore.

Deadline Information: 30 May 26

Award Amount: SGD 46,500.00

Disciplines: Asian Studies; Cultural History; Digital Humanities; History of Human Society; Print Media & Publishing

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6. General project funding

Primary funder name: Kulturstiftung des Bundes

Summary text: General Project Funding accepts applications from creative artists twice a year to finance projects in all artistic fields: visual and performing arts, literature, music, dance, film, photography, architecture, and new media.

Deadline Information: 31 Jul 26. Applications may be submitted at any time..

Award Amount: EUR 250,000.00

Disciplines: Arts; Literature; World Literature

Eligibility: Academic Institution, Commercial or Private Sector, Government Sector

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7. Study Scholarships - Postgraduate Studies in the Fields of Fine Art, Design, Visual Communication, and Film - for selected countries

Primary funder name: Deutscher Academischer Austausch Dienst (DAAD)

Summary text: These enable non-German graduates in the fields of fine art, design, visual communication, and film to continue their education in Germany with a postgraduate or continuing course of study.

Deadline Information: 11 Nov 26

Award Amount: EUR 24,268.00

Disciplines: Communication Studies; Design; Film; Visual Arts

Eligibility: Early Career and Emerging in Field, Graduate Student or Pre-doc

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8.HORIZON-CL5-2026-02-D4 - Efficient, sustainable and inclusive energy use

Primary funder name: Horizon Europe: Global Challenges and European Industrial Competitiveness

Summary text: The overall expected impact is to contribute to the 'Using energy in buildings and industry in an efficient, affordable and sustainable way.

Deadline Information: 17 Feb 26

Award amount max: EUR 7,500,000.00

Disciplines: Automation & Control Engineering; Building Science; Built Renewable Energy Engineering; Robotics; Sustainable Development & Resource Use; Use & Management of Natural Resources

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9. Grand solutions: Green research, technology and innovation

Primary funder name: Innovation Fund Denmark (IFD)

Summary text: The purpose of the investments within this area is to ensure the greatest effect on climate, climatic resilience, nature, biodiversity, environment including the aquatic environment, and contribute to growth and employment within the following seven themes

Deadline Information: 03 Mar 26

Award Amount: DKK 30,000,000

Disciplines: Air Pollution, Regulation & Control; Building Science; Behaviour & Attitudes; Sustainable Agriculture; Sustainable Development & Resource Use; Transportation Engineering; Transport Planning; Use & Management of Natural Resources; Waste Recycling, Reduction & Recovery

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10. PartArt4OW open call

Primary funder name: S+T+ARTS

Summary text: We are looking for projects that engage communities - coastal or inland - in rethinking and reshaping a sustainable, resilient, and equitable blue economy.

Deadline Information: 10 Mar 26

Award amount max: EUR 50,000.00

Disciplines: Arts; Ecological Impacts of Climate Change; Ecosystem Function; Environmental Conservation & Biodiversity; Environmental Rehabilitation;

Eligibility: Academic Institution, Commercial or Private Sector, Government or Public Sector, Non-profit, Early Career and Emerging in Field, Mid-Career to Established in Field

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11. Urban Urgencies Programme

Primary funder name: Urban Studies Foundation

Summary text: The Urban Studies Foundation (USF) is pleased to launch a new research funding initiative to seed-fund collaborative primary research proposals that engage with the theme Urban Urgencies.

Closing date: 23 Mar 26

Award amount max: GBP 35,000.00

Disciplines: Artificial Intelligence; Housing; Public Health; Sustainable Development & Resource Use; Urban Planning & Policy; Urban & Regional Geography

Career stage: Early Career and Emerging in Field, Mid-Career to Established in Field

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12. HORIZON-NEB-2026-01-BUSINESS - Beautiful, inclusive and sustainable neighbourhoods for communities

Primary funder name: Horizon Europe: New European Bauhaus Facility

Summary text: This destination will address three of the Commission's political guidelines 2024-2029, A new plan for Europe's sustainable prosperity and competitiveness, supporting people, strengthening our societies and our social model, and sustaining our quality of life: Food security, water, and nature.

Deadline Information: 01 Dec 26

Award amount max: EUR 4,500,000

Disciplines: Built Environment & Spatial Planning; Homelessness

Eligibility: Academic Institution, Commercial or Private Sector, Government or Public Sector, Non-profit, Early Career and Emerging in Field, Mid-Career to Established in Field

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13. HORIZON-NEB-2026-01-PARTICIPATION - Beautiful, inclusive and sustainable neighbourhoods for communities

Primary funder name: Horizon Europe: New European Bauhaus Facility

Summary text: This Destination addresses three of the Commission's political guidelines 2024-2029. Supporting people, strengthening our societies and our social model, protecting our democracy, upholding our values, and A new plan for Europe's sustainable prosperity and competitiveness.

Deadline Information: 01 Dec 26

Award Amount: EUR 6,300,000.00

Disciplines: Built Environment & Spatial Planning; Homelessness; Urban Design

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14. HORIZON-NEB-2026-01-REGEN - Beautiful, inclusive and sustainable neighbourhoods for communities

Primary funder name: Horizon Europe: New European Bauhaus Facility

Summary text: This destination aims make neighbourhoods more sustainable, circular and regenerative but also inclusive, accessible and beautiful, turning them into resilient places where nature and biodiversity can thrive.

Deadline Information: 01 Dec 26

Award Amount: EUR 5,000,000.00

Disciplines: Built Environment & Spatial Planning

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15. Research Grants

Primary funder name: Environmental Research & Education Foundation (EREF)

Summary text: EREF is one of the largest sources of private research funding in North America related to sustainable materials management. Our grants program has provided millions of dollars in funding to cutting edge research institutions to help address the many challenges that exist.

Closing date: 01 May 26

Award amount max: USD 500,000.00

Disciplines: Land Pollution, Regulation & Control; Sustainable Development & Resource Use; Waste Management & Disposal; Waste Recycling.

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16. Development project grants

Primary funder name: Overal Foundation

Summary text: These support small-scale projects of political, social, cultural or economic nature that contribute to a better society or environment.

Award amount max: EUR 10,000.00

Disciplines: Community Services; Economic Development; Social Security & Welfare

Career stage: Early Career and Emerging in Field, Mid-Career to Established in Field

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17. Core Research Grants: Promoting Educational Attainment and Economic Mobility among Racially, Ethnically, and Economically Diverse Groups in Universities

Primary funder name: Russell Sage Foundation (RSF)

Summary text: We are especially interested in proposals that will advance social science research on the social, political, and economic effects of the Supreme Court decision and the future of race-conscious policies more generally.

Closing date: 11 Mar 26

Deadline Information: ALL applications (LOIs & Proposals) are due by 2pm ET/11am PT

Award amount max: USD 200,000.00

Disciplines: Equal Educational Opportunity; Higher Education; Higher Education, Students & Student Retention; Racism & Race Relations; Schools Policy & Politics; Social & Income Inequality; Underrepresented Populations

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18. ERASMUS-EDU-2026-CB-VET — Capacity building in the field of vocational education and training

Primary funder name: European Education and Culture Executive Agency

Summary text: This supports international collaboration projects based on multilateral partnerships between organisations active in the field of VET in EU member states and third countries associated to the programme, and third countries not associated to the programme.

Closing date: 26 Mar 26

Award amount max: EUR 500,000.00

Disciplines: Vocational & Technical Education & Training

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19. Research-Practice Partnerships: Collaborative Research for Educational Change

Primary funder name: Spencer Foundation

Summary text: The Research-Practice Partnership (RPP) Grants Program is intended to support education research projects that engage in collaborative and participatory partnerships. We view partnerships as an important approach to knowledge generation and the improvement of education, broadly construed.

Deadline Information: - March 31, 2026, 12:00 PM Noon (Central time/North America)

Award amount max: USD 400,000

Disciplines: Education; Educational Evaluation & Assessment; Higher Education; Research Methods in Education; Schools Policy & Politics; Vocational & Technical Education & Training

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20. Small Research Grants on Education

Primary funder name: Spencer Foundation

Summary text: The Small Research Grants on Education Program supports education research projects that will contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived, for projects ranging from one to five years. This program is "field-initiated" in that proposal submissions are not in response to a specific request for a particular research topic, discipline, design, method, or location.

Deadline Information: 15 Apr 26. Proposals due by 12:00 p.m. Central Time on the deadline date.

Award amount max: USD 50,000.00

Disciplines: Anthropology; Economics & Econometrics; Education; History; Neuroscience; Philosophy; Psychology; Sociology

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21. Global Call For Proposals: UNESCO Participation Programme

Primary funder name: UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization)

Summary text: The UNESCO Participation Programme provides funding for priority development projects proposed by Member States in the areas of education, culture, natural sciences, social and human sciences, and communication and information.

Deadline Information: The deadline for submitting requests is 27 February 2026.

Award Amount: Up to USD 26,000 per standard project; exceptional joint or multi-country projects may receive up to USD 38,000

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22. Global Call For Proposals: AEDIB Joint Innovation Facility (JIF) 2026

Primary funder name: AFRICA-EUROPE DIGITAL INNOVATION BRIDGE (AEDIB)

Summary text: The AEDIB Joint Innovation Facility (JIF) supports Africa-Europe consortia to scale commercially viable, digitally enabled, and market-ready solutions across borders. The program fosters cross-regional cooperation and includes a dedicated funding window for high-quality applied artificial intelligence solutions with clear scalability potential.

Deadline Information: 30 April 2026.

Discipline: Digital Innovation, AI AfricaEurope, CrossBorderScaling, EdTech, FinTech, AgriTech, HealthTech

Award Amount: Up to EUR 200,000 per project. Non-dilutive funding (no equity required).

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23. Leadership Academy 9

Primary funder name: German Scholars Organization (GSO)

Summary text: The funding program of the GSO Leadership Academy (LSA) helps scientists abroad and returnees to develop their academic career.

Closing date: 01 Mar 26

Award amount max: EUR 11,000.00

Disciplines: Any

Applicant type: Academic Institution

Career stage: Early Career and Emerging in Field, Mid-Career to Established in Field

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24. Expert Services to Support the Implementation of the Second Climate Change Sectoral Adaptation Plan for Archaeological and Built Heritage

Primary funder name: Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage

Summary text: Expert support to the Contracting Authority (Client) in the implementation of the Second Climate Change Sectoral Adaptation Plan for Built and Archaeological Heritage, 2025 (hereafter referred to as BAH-SAP II), and the delivery of specific actions, as laid out in Appendix 1 of the Request for Tender document.

Award amount max: EUR 300,000.00

Closing date: 06 Mar 26

Disciplines: Archaeology; Arts & Cultural Policy; Climate Change & Global Warming; Environmental Planning

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25. HORIZON-CL4-2026-02-MAT - Leadership in materials and production for Europe: Call - INDUSTRY-two-stage

Primary funder name: Horizon Europe: Global Challenges and European Industrial Competitiveness

Summary text: Projects under this Destination bring together the research and innovation for a globally competitive European industry through the twin green and digital transition, and the availability, development, use and disposal of chemicals, advanced materials and critical raw materials.

Closing date: 17 Mar 26

Disciplines: Materials Sciences; Sustainable Development & Resource Use; Use & Management of Natural Resources

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26. Erasmus+ virtual exchanges

Primary funder name: European Education and Culture Executive Agency

Summary text: Virtual exchanges projects consist of online people-to-people activities that promote intercultural dialogue and soft skills development. Virtual exchanges in higher education and youth take place in small groups and are always moderated by a trained facilitator.

Closing date: 26 Mar 26

Award amount max: EUR 500,000.00

Disciplines: Any

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27. ERC-2026-PoC proof-of-concept grants

Primary funder name: Horizon Europe: Excellent Science

Summary text: These aim to maximise the value of ERC-funded research by funding further work to verify the innovation potential of ideas arising from European Research Council-funded projects.

Deadline dates: 17 March 2026 17:00:00 Brussels time

Award amount max: EUR 150,000.00

Disciplines: Any

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28. Sir John Soane's Museum Foundation Graduate Fellowships

Primary funder name: Sir John Soane's Museum Foundation

Summary text: This fellowship is awarded annually by the Sir John Soane's Museum Foundation for travel and research related to any aspect of Sir John Soane's career, museum, and collections. Recipient is granted privileged access to the Soane Museum, its collections, and its extensive archives, with a dedicated workspace at the Museum.

Deadline information: 02 Mar 26

Award amount: USD 10,000.00

Disciplines: Architecture; Cultural Artifact; Decorative Arts & Jewellery; History of Art; Interior Design; Landscape Architecture

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29.Grand Solutions: Biotechnology and Biosolutions

Primary funder name: Innovation Fund Denmark (IFD)

Summary text: The Innovation Fund is seeking projects in biotechnology and biosolutions with the aim of strengthening research, technological development and innovation that can contribute to the development of sustainable production and new solutions through the understanding, manipulation and use of living organisms. The efforts should be related to agriculture, food, environment, construction, transportation, process industry, and climate.

Deadline information: 03 Mar 26

Award amount max: DKK 30,000,000

Disciplines: Artificial Intelligence; Carbon Sequestration; Construction Materials; Textile Technology

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30.Long-term Research Grants

Primary funder name: Henry Moore Foundation

Summary text: these grants support extended research projects requiring funding for more than one year, e.g. a permanent collection catalogue. Henry Moore Grants support the growth and development of sculpture across historical, modern and contemporary registers, funds and research that expands the appreciation of sculpture.

Closing date: 01 Mar 26

Deadline information: Organisations must be registered to apply. Registration requests must be received one week before the deadline. Requests received after this time will be registered for the following round.

Award amount max: GBP 20,000.00

Disciplines: History of Art; Sculpture

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