

1st Call for Applications:
Student and researcher mobility in the
U4 University Network in 2013

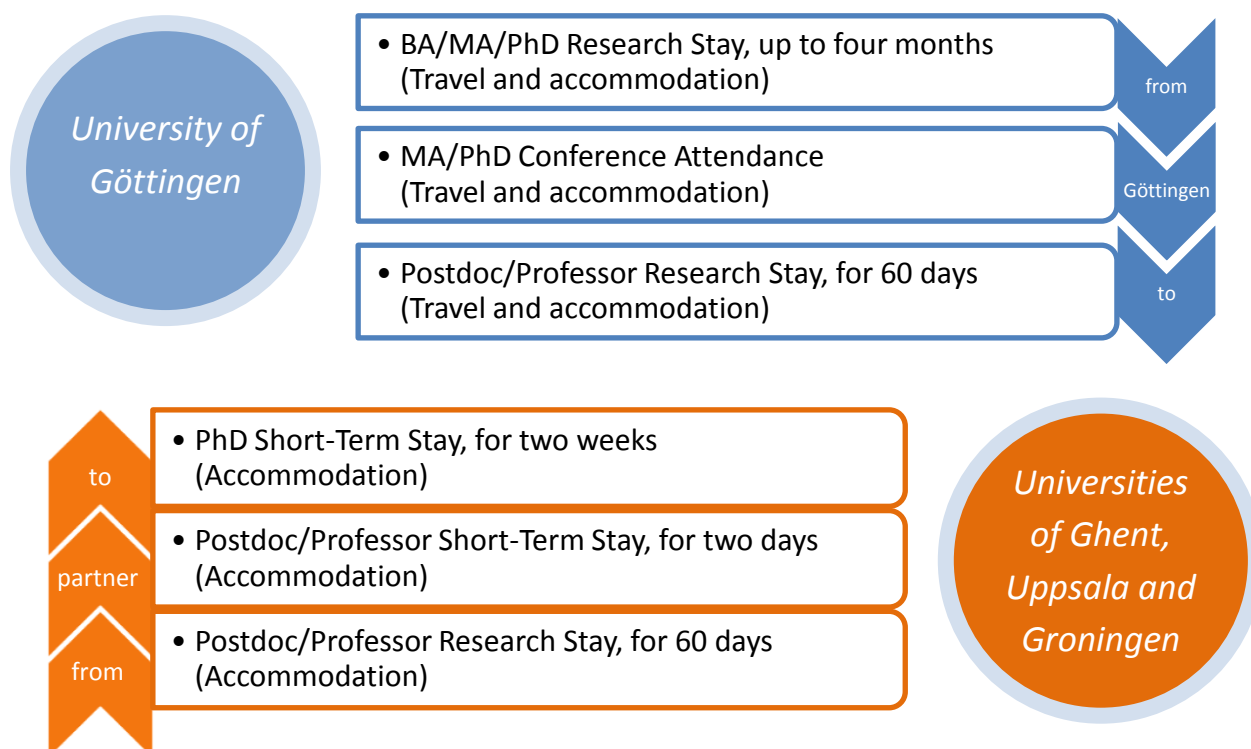
ABOUT THE U4 UNIVERSITY NETWORK

U4 is a strategic partnership between Universities of Ghent, Uppsala, Groningen and Göttingen. U4 was founded in 2008, but the roots of the partnership go far beyond 2008. The alliance stands for a preferential, but not exclusive cooperation in European and international projects, for the development of joint initiatives in research and education and for the organisation and promotion of staff and student exchange.

The activities in the network take place in **5 clusters**: Humanities (hosted by Ghent), Life Sciences (hosted by Groningen), Social Sciences and Law (hosted by Göttingen), Science and Technology (hosted by Uppsala), Institutional Management (alternate host).

To support PhD and researcher mobility between the four partner universities, the U4 network has funds available from the DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) programme "Strategic Partnerships". Furthermore funding is available for joint publications.

FUNDING FOR MOBILITY:



The latest possible date for the mobility to begin is 1st February 2014.

TRAVEL GRANT AMOUNT

a) Göttingen BA/MA/PhD students research stay at partner universities, up to four months

- To Ghent: travel € 150 + € 675 per month for accommodation
- To Uppsala: travel € 200 + € 775 per month for accommodation
- To Groningen: travel € 100 + € 650 per month for accommodation

b) Göttingen MA/PhD students conference attendance

- Up to € 500 for travel and accommodation

c) Göttingen postdocs/professors research stay at partner universities, for 60 days

- To Ghent: travel € 200 + € 101 per day for accommodation
- To Uppsala: travel € 250 + € 158 per day for accommodation
- To Groningen: travel € 125 + € 99 per day for accommodation

d) Ghent, Uppsala, Groningen PhD students short-term stay in Göttingen, for two weeks

- Up to € 500 for accommodation per stay

e) Ghent, Uppsala, Groningen Postdocs/Professor short-term stay in Göttingen, for two days

- € 82 per night

f) Ghent, Uppsala, Groningen Postdocs/Professors research stay in Göttingen, for 60 days

- € 3,680 per stay

FUNDING FOR PUBLICATIONS

Funding is also available for publications: this includes funding for joint publications, for instance in the form of conference volumes, or PhD theses emerging from joint supervision at University of Göttingen and one other U4 partner. Applications for funds for publications should be addressed to the Göttingen International Office (see contact details below) and should include details on: Contributors to the volume, academic relevance, proposed publisher, estimated publication cost.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE AND ADDRESS

Please submit all documents by June 15th 2013 to the coordinator at your home university (contact details below) using the following application forms:

- BA Student Application Form
- MA Student Application Form
- PhD Student Application Form
- Researcher Application Form

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