



Measures for funding doctoral studies

In fiscal year 2014, the Faculty of Social Sciences shall fund additional courses and lectures within the Doctoral Studies Programme as well as individualised measures to promote doctoral candidates.

Who can apply for funding?

- For additional courses and lectures within the Doctoral Studies Programme offered by the Faculty:
 - Teaching staff and students enrolled in the Doctoral Studies Programme at the Faculty of Social Sciences
- For individualised measures:
 - Students enrolled in the Doctoral Studies Programme at the Faculty of Social Sciences

Funding prerequisites

- Additional courses and lectures
 - The courses and lectures must represent an additional offering as defined pursuant to the Study and Examination Regulations for the Doctoral Studies Programme
- Individualised measures
 - Unless the Göttingen Graduate School of Social Sciences (GGG) has already provided grant money, the following measures in particular are eligible for funding:
 - Measures for internationalisation (e.g. initiation of incoming and outgoing international liaisons)
 - Allowances for active participation in training courses, international conferences, summer schools
 - Charges for proofreading/editing (of papers written by non-native speakers)
 - Funding to submit publications to peer-reviewed journals (e.g. allowances for proofreading/correcting English-speaking papers, particularly for doctoral candidates not employed by the Faculty)

Application and award procedure

- Grant proposals for additional courses and lectures and individualised measures can be submitted by the following dates to the Dean's Office of the Faculty of Social Sciences, Platz der Göttinger Sieben 3, 37073 Göttingen or bewerbungen@sowi.uni-goettingen.de:
 - 1 July 2014 / 1 Sept. 2014 / 1 Dec. 2014

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- Individualised measures:
 - Concurrently with the application for funding by the Faculty, proof of a parallel application to an external funding party should be provided whenever the grant application exceeds €200. Should this third party reject your application, support from Faculty funds may be possible.
 - In the case of applicants affiliated with a chair, it is expected that the professorship share in the costs.
- The additional courses and lectures offered and any approved individualised measures have to be completed by the end of the winter semester 2014/15 (31 March 2015) and invoiced by 30 April 2015.
- The Committee of Research Affairs of the Faculty of Social Sciences decides on who is awarded grants.