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RESEARCH PROJECTS ABROAD

Funding Programme for
RUB Graduate Students (Master)

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THE FUNDING PROGRAMME

LabExchange awards grants to enable students to conduct short-term research projects abroad, e.g. lab and research internships, research in archives, libraries and university collections, collaboration in research projects etc. Students are entitled to travel to any international partner university worldwide for the purpose of research, and they must be supervised jointly by a RUB faculty member and one of the partner university.

TARGET GROUP

Graduate students (Master) from all faculties at RUB, possibly also undergraduate students (Bachelor) in a higher semester

DURATION OF STAY

Between two weeks and four months



THE FUNDING PROGRAMME COMPACT

SCOPE OF FUNDING

In order to realize their research stay abroad, students can apply for country-specific compensation for travel expenses and accommodation allowance:

- Compensation for travel expenses ranging between 125€ and max. 1,950 €
- Accommodation allowance ranging between 300€ and max. 500€ per month

In case of students who receive financial support through other public funds for the same research project abroad, their eligibility for a LabExchange grant has to be examined. Co-financing by the faculty or partner university is not excluded.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- The research project is carried out at a partner university abroad.
- The project abroad is research-oriented, i.e. active participation in a research project or conducting individual research activities have priority, rather than attending lectures or seminars.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

- 15th January for projects that start between 1st March and 30th June of the same year
- 15th May for projects that start between 1st July and 31st October of the same year
- 15th September for projects that start between 1st November of the same year and 28th/29th February of the following year

