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Graduiertenschule für Geisteswissenschaften Göttingen GSGG

Overview of GSGG grants and allowances

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General requirements

- Eligible for applying are doctoral candidates of GSGG.
- Doctoral candidates need to submit a current certificate of enrolment with each application.
- Doctoral candidates are eligible for application until their disputation.
- Only members of University of Göttingen are eligible for application.
- Timely submission of the application
- Complete application documents (including statement/report of the professor if applicable)
- Compliance with the obligation to submit annual reports and valid doctoral status (doctoral candidates)

Please note: The amount of funding is dependent on the budget situation of GSGG.

Application deadline

- 15th March -> earliest possible start of funding: 1st May
- 15th June -> earliest possible start of funding: 1st August
- 15th September -> earliest possible start of funding: 1st November
- 15th December -> earliest possible start of funding: 1st February of the following year

Separate deadlines apply for emergency grants. Please contact the office in this regard.

For allowances for conference and research trips:

- Earliest possible start of funding = commencement of the trip
- Applications for travel costs coverage of up to € 300 can be submitted at any time, however, the application has to be filed at least 3 weeks prior to the trip (date of receipt at the central office).

For barrier-free qualification and networking:

- Applications for a funding amount of up to € 300 can be submitted at any time, however, the application has to be filed at least 3 weeks prior to the trip (date of receipt at the central office).

For allowances for reproduction expenses:

- Earliest possible start of funding: Order of the material that is to be reproduced *after* allowance has been granted.
- Reproduction applications for a funding amount of up to € 300 can be submitted at any time, however, the application has to be filed at least 3 weeks prior to the trip (date of receipt at the central office).

Assumption of costs for the HD certification programme

Requirements/formal criteria

Eligible for applying are

- Doctoral candidates who are members of GSGG until their disputation

Documents to be submitted

- Completed and signed application form
- Written statement, how participation in the certification programme can be integrated into the time scheduling of the whole PhD process.
- Approval of at least one supervisor
- Confirmation of application/participation

Annotations

- If the doctoral candidate does not get a place in the certification round for which he / she has registered, the grant can be used to participate in the following certification round.
- The billing takes place via an internal service allocation between the *Hochschuldidaktik* and the GSGG.

Refundable expenses

- Contribution to the *Hochschuldidaktik* certificate programme at the University of Göttingen up to a maximum of € 600.