



Deadline	Throughout the year 2020
Call name	Humboldt Research Award
www	https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/humboldt-award.html
Focused on	Foreign outstanding researchers are invited to spend a period of up to 1 year cooperating on a long-term research project with specialist colleagues at a research institution in Germany.
Applicant	Nominations may be submitted online by established academics in Germany. Nominations may also be initiated by award winners of the Humboldt Foundation working abroad, provided that the nomination is made jointly with a colleague working in Germany. Direct applications are not accepted.
Host institution	Universities and research institutions in Germany.
Call opens	-
Final deadline	Throughout the year 2020 Recommended advance: 6 months ahead of the prospective selection meeting
Evaluation results	A) Mar 2020 B) Oct 2020
Signature of agreement	NA
Earliest date of implementation	Nominee has to start the fellowship period within 1–12 months of being selected.
Latest date of implementation	NA
Sustainability	None
Reporting	Annual progress report
Project duration (min-max)	6–12 months (the stay may be divided up into blocks)
Allocation for the call	NA, up to 100 awards shall be granted
Project budget (min-max)	60 000 EUR
Success rate	35%
Eligible costs	Award 60 000 EUR A lump sum to cover the award winner's travel costs (return tickets). A lump sum towards the travel costs of marital partners and children under the age of 18 accompanying the award winner may be granted if they stay with the award winner in Germany for at least 6 months. 50% of the lump sum will be paid for children between 2–11, 10% for children < the age of 2.
Mode of funding	Ex-ante (several installments)
Language of application	English
Provider	Humboldt Foundation, Bonn, Germany, www.humboldt-foundation.de
Call identifier	Humboldt Award
Call info	Humboldt Research award is granted in recognition of a researcher's entire achievements to date to academics whose fundamental discoveries, new theories, or insights have had a significant impact on their own discipline and who are expected to continue producing cutting-edge achievements in the future. Award winners are invited to spend a period of up to 1 year cooperating on a long-term research project with specialist colleagues at a research institution in Germany.
Conditions / Restrictions	The Humboldt Research Award can only be granted once to any one academic. Researchers who have already received a research award for their academic achievements from the Humboldt Foundation are not eligible to be nominated. Furthermore, the nominee should not have recently won any awards or fellowships in Germany for his or her academic accomplishments. At the time of nomination, the nominated candidate must have been predominantly living and working abroad for at least 5 years . Moreover, the nominees must not have held or accepted an offer of permanent employment in Germany prior to the selection date. Nominating academics must guarantee that they can provide the necessary infrastructure for the award winner's own research projects or lecture tours (e.g. access to libraries, materials, facilities). German hosts are also expected to be well prepared for the award winner's research stay and to act as his or her personal mentor (e.g. finding accommodation).

Proposal consists of	<p>1) Online application form: https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/pls/web/pub_register.main?p_lang=en&p_package=hum (applicant)</p> <p>2) Personal statement by the nominator (laudation, academic appraisal; 2–5 pages; applicant)</p> <p>3) Information on the invitation to Germany (max 2 pages; applicant)</p> <p>4) List of the nominee's 3–5 key publications with an explanation of their special scientific significance (max 2 pages, applicant)</p> <p>5) Complete chronological list of nominee's publications covering the past 10 years (including all authors, identifying the corresponding author(s), titles, publisher/journal, edition, year, first and last page number); if relevant, also include published conference papers and patents. If applicable, applicant may include a link to the nominee's complete digital bibliography at the beginning of the list. (applicant)</p> <p>6) Confirmation that research facilities are available and mentoring agreement and a detailed expert's statement by an academic host at a research institution in Germany (host institution & applicant)</p>
Evaluation criteria	<p>The nominee's outstanding academic qualification must be internationally recognised and documented by corresponding successes in research, such as positively received academic publications or previous awards.</p> <p>1) Previous outstanding academic achievements,</p> <p>2) Fundamental discoveries, new theories or findings that have had a lasting effect on the nominee's discipline beyond their immediate research area (international impact),</p> <p>3) The nominee's previous body of work as a whole,</p> <p>4) The expectation of further outstanding achievements in the future.</p>
Research areas	All research areas
Call workshop	FAQs: https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/humboldt-award.html
IOCB contact	<p>Please inform the IOCB Project Office about your intention to apply. Do not hesitate anytime to contact us for consulting, discussion or help.</p> <p>projectoffice@uochb.cas.cz, +420 220 183 266</p>
Download documents	<p>Humboldt Award 2020 summary</p> <p>Humboldt Award 2020 guidelines 2017 Mar</p> <p>Humboldt Award 2020 Selection Procedure</p>