

## GO.INVESTIGATIO

### [Location Independent Archive and Travel Grant]

#### Call

The Austrian Academy of Sciences (ÖAW) awards grants for library, archive and field research stays outside Austria which are necessary for preparing scientific papers or publications or for drafting external funding applications.

Applications are invited from researchers in the humanities and cultural studies who received their most recent academic degree (Mag./MA or Dr/PhD) not more than five years ago, who are studying for a doctoral degree/PhD or working as a (senior) researcher at a university or non-university research institution in Austria, and who have a specific project that requires a (research) stay outside Austria.

Duration: 1 – 9 months

Amount: 1.750,- euros per month

## Guidelines for Processing of the Fellowship

### 1. Fellowship commencement

The start of the fellowship is possible from **1 June 2026 to 1 December 2026** on the first of each month.

Please inform the Department of Fellowships & Awards at least four weeks in advance and send the signed **confirmation form** (data privacy statement) as well as the **Statement of Obligation** by email to Regina Kamauf ([regina.kamauf@oeaw.ac.at](mailto:regina.kamauf@oeaw.ac.at)).

**Note: The fellowship may be divided between max. two stays!**

### 2. Payment of the fellowship

Payment of the fellowship is made by the accounting department of the ÖAW in equal instalments per calendar year.

Transfer of the fellowship is only made to a domestic bank account or to a bank account in the EU/EEA area.

**Taxes:** The GO.INVESTIGATIO fellowship is intended to cover the additional costs incurred as a result of and during the stay abroad. Therefore, these fellowships are tax-free in Austria (in accordance with §3 para.1 Z.3 lit.d Income Tax Act).

### 3. Public relations

In all publications resulting from the fellowship, the following note must be included:

“funded within the framework of the OeAW’s Archive and Travel Grant GO.INVESTIGATIO“.

#### 4. Reporting

Fellowship recipients will be required to send a final report to the Department for Fellowships & Awards no later than one month after the end of the funding period ([Stipendien.Berichte@oeaw.ac.at](mailto:Stipendien.Berichte@oeaw.ac.at)). Publications authored in connection with the fellowship must also be submitted.

Fellowships recipients might also be asked to present the results of their research projects in public.

Forms and information on report submission:

<https://stipendien.oeaw.ac.at/en/fellowships/goinvestigatio/goinvestigatio-documents/goinvestigatio-report>

#### 5. Data protection information

The legal basis for the processing of your data is your applying for and, in case of an award, your acceptance of the fellowship in the framework of the GO.INVESTIGATIO program (article 6 (1) b EU GDPR and § 2g FOG). We process your personal data for the purpose of processing the fellowship, for documentation purposes and to meet the reporting obligations.

The recipients of your personal data are the members of the committee, the administrative departments of ÖAW as well as, where applicable, government offices (e.g. the relevant ministries, the Court of Audit, EU).

In addition to that, we wish to point out that the following types of data may be displayed on an ÖAW internet page or published in publicly available reports (§ 2g, par 1, numeral 2 FOG): first names, last names, academic titles, gender, where applicable institution of origin and institution of destination as well as title, description, duration and further information about the grant project.

We save your data as long as this is required or legally allowed for processing the fellowship, for documentation purposes or for reporting obligations in regard to the public administration.

You have the right to information about the personal data relating to you as well as to rectification or restriction of processing, a right to object to processing as well as the right to data portability.

In addition, you have a right to appeal to the Austrian Data Protection Authority, Barichgasse 40-42, 1030 Vienna, telephone: + 43 1 52 152-0, email: [dsb@sb.gv.at](mailto:dsb@sb.gv.at) or to the competent data protection authority in another EU Member State.

You will find more precise information on your rights and the contact data of ÖAW's data protection supervisor in the ÖAW Data Protection Declaration (cf. <https://www.oeaw.ac.at/en/oeaw/data-protection>)

For information on organizational questions in connection with receiving your fellowship, please contact:

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