Goethe University’s support of refugee scientist from Ukraine

Goethe University Frankfurt strongly condemns Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine. It is of great concern for us to show solidarity with Ukrainian scientists and to help in creating new perspectives for as many refugees as possible within the scope of our possibilities.

To support the many post-docoral scientists who had to interrupt their research in Ukraine and are now fleeing the consequences of war, Goethe University offers short-term guest researcher contracts to at least 10 scientists within the framework of the Goethe-Ukraine-Fund. This is also intended to strengthen future academic cooperation between Goethe University and Ukrainian research institutions. This also applies to scientists outside Ukraine who are at risk in their countries of origin due to the Ukraine conflict.

Target group
- Post-doctoral scientist who have fled Ukraine due to the war and wish to continue their research as visiting scholars at Goethe University

Type of funding
- 10 fellowships of €1,000 per month for a period of up to 6 months

Visiting scholars may also use services offered by the "Academic Welcome Program" and the "Goethe Welcome Center".

In addition, we are extending the services of our Graduate Academy GRADE for refugee scientists from Ukraine, thus ensuring integration and networking with colleagues of the same career level. Advice on how to raise your own funds from the relevant third-party funding bodies complete our services.

Requirements
- researchers must be located in the territory of the Federal Republic of Germany
- admission to a research group / institute of Goethe University
Application procedure

Please contact Research Support via the contact address: refugeeresearchers@uni-frankfurt.de

Documents need for application:

- scientific curriculum vitae (CV)
- brief description of the research project to be carried out or continued at Goethe University
- if possible: certificates of academic training
- commitment of a member of Goethe University to be involved in the research group/institute
  - Assistance in connecting with a department can be provided when preparing the application. To do so, please contact refugeeresearchers@uni-frankfurt.de in advance

The application can be submitted in German or English.

*The selection process will take place in a timely manner. Applications can be submitted at any time until the maximum number of fellowships has been awarded.*

*Please note that the German tender is legally binding.*