2022 Equal Opportunity Fund—Call for Applications

The Equal Opportunity Fund aims to provide funding for projects relating to structural and/or conceptual innovations and to help Universität Hamburg attain its goal of equal opportunity as detailed in Section 3 subsections 4 and 5 of the Hamburg Higher Education Act (HmbHG).

Up to €60,000 are available in the 2022 Equal Opportunity Fund for:

- **Projects** (courses, conferences, exhibitions, research applications, etc.) relating to gender, diversity, and combining family and career. A maximum of €5,000 in funding is available per project.
- **Completion scholarships** for female researchers to complete their doctoral dissertation or Habilitation (max. 6 months). Precedence will be given to dissertations relating to gender/diversity as well as to applications from young female researchers with children or a relative requiring care. The amount of the completion scholarship is based on the guidelines for scholarships at the University of Hamburg.
- **Measures to facilitate the reconciliation of career and family** both for individual researchers (e.g., student support for young researchers with children or a relative requiring care) as well as to make the University more family-friendly as a whole.

All members of Universität Hamburg (excluding UKE) are eligible to submit applications. Applications from technical, library, and administrative employees are only permitted on behalf of academic staff.

The deadline for applications is **1 April 2022**.

The application form is available online: [https://www.uni-hamburg.de/en/gleichstellung/foerderungen/gleichstellungsfonds](https://www.uni-hamburg.de/en/gleichstellung/foerderungen/gleichstellungsfonds)

Please email the completed application form along with the required documents as a PDF to: [gleichstellung@uni-hamburg.de](mailto:gleichstellung@uni-hamburg.de)

As the chair of the Equal Opportunity Committee, the Equal Opportunity Commissioner is responsible for approving funding together with the Equal Opportunity Committee of the Academic Senate.