

Scientific Workshops – Call for Proposals

1. Aims

The German Alliance for Global Health Research is a research platform that supports interdisciplinary, international and cross-sectoral research on global health in and outside Germany.

It aims to build an interdisciplinary German global health research community, strengthen the German contribution to global health research, support young scientists in Germany and stimulate intersectoral cooperation in global health research. The German Alliance for Global Health Research is sponsored by the German Ministry for Research and Education.

2. Eligible measures

Scientific workshops (face-to-face, digital or hybrid) on any topic areas within global health that contribute to the specific aims of the German Alliance for Global Health Research. These aims include

- Supporting the development and implementation of groundbreaking ideas
- Providing opportunities to try and test new models of cooperation, thereby creating new links between disciplines and communities
- Initiating and supporting interdisciplinary (and cross-sectoral) research activities in global health between different German institutions and internationally
- Strengthening the links among global health researchers in Germany and the organizations they represent within the German Alliance for Global Health Research
- Developing mutual trust and a joint understanding of global health among researchers in Germany

Scientific workshops receiving support from the German Alliance for Global Health Research must be open to all members and associate members.

3. Funding

The Alliance can support workshop costs such as room, equipment and catering costs, travel support for national and international speakers and for participants from low and middle income countries.

- The maximum contribution per workshop is EUR 15,000, though most workshops are expected to cost far less than that.
- Annual conferences and repeated events will not be funded.
- Generally, the Alliance will not contribute to meetings which are funded to a large proportion by other funders.

4. Award criteria

Award criteria are

- Scientific quality and originality of the workshop in terms of questions
- Scientific quality and originality of the workshop in terms of methods
- Adequacy and feasibility of the work plan, budget and management procedures
- Contribution to academic interdisciplinary network integration within the Alliance; contribution to approaches, results, strategies, narratives, etc. that underpin and support interdisciplinarity in global health research
- Sustainability aspects in content and meeting logistics

5. Application

Eligible applicants

- Organizing teams of at least two Alliance members or associate members, representing
 - at least two research areas (biomedicine, public health, social sciences and humanities, engineering and other sciences)
 - at least two organizations
- The main applicant must be a full member of the German Alliance for Global Health Research.
- Additional partners can join the organizing team.

Application and selection process

- Proposals can be submitted anytime.
- Applicants should use the template provided by the Alliance.
- Proposals will be evaluated by the Steering Committee during their quarterly meetings

6. Contact

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