

German Cancer Aid: Call for Applications

Excellence Funding Programme for Established Scientists

With the aim of giving well-established, excellent scientists the necessary freedom to develop new conceptual approaches by pursuing innovative, ground-breaking ideas for the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of cancer, the German Cancer Aid has decided to establish a new funding programme. This programme will enable the submission of long-term 'high-risk - high gain' research projects.

Professors and group leaders successfully working in clinical or basic clinically oriented cancer research with an outstanding academic CV are eligible to apply.

The programme gives scientists the opportunity to work on projects that cannot be funded within the scope of other German Cancer Aid funding programmes or by institutional core funding.

Funding of up to a maximum of € 1.5 million is available for a period of 5 years.

The procedure for application and evaluation consists of two steps. Project outlines in English must be submitted by **07.09.2020** to the German Cancer Aid. If the preliminary evaluation is favourable, full applications must be submitted by 18.01.2021.

More detailed information on the call for applications, the application procedure and the evaluation procedure can be found at www.krebshilfe.de/forschen/foerderung/ausschreibungen/