

Publication grants

Publishing a book can be costly for scientific publishers. We have therefore compiled some sources of publication grants for you. It is often also possible to calculate publication costs as part of a project funding (e. g. from the [DFG](#)). Doctoral awards from TUM schools, from the [TUM Association of Alumni and Friends](#), or external foundations can also be a way to reduce publication costs. As a non-profit publisher, TUM.University Press offers author-friendly publication models. Please visit our [website](#) for more information.

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1 Research Databases

ELFI Electronic Research Funding Information System

Database with information on research funding; licensed by the TUM University Library and accessible via eAccess → https://www.elfi.info/e_index.php

MyStipendium

Database of the Initiative for Transparent Study Support, including financial support for theses and dissertations → mystipendium.de

Foundation directory of the Bavarian State Office for Statistics

Database with text search → <https://stiftungen.bayern.de>

2 Funding Opportunities at TUM

Diversity Promotion Fund

Funding of dissertations up to a grade point average of 2.0 to a max. amount of € 1,500 → <https://www.wi.tum.de/about/equal-opportunities>

TUM Scholarships

e. g. the Oskar Karl Forster Scholarship with grants for printing costs up to € 400

→ <https://www.tum.de/en/studies/fees-and-financial-aid/scholarships/tum-scholarships>

Werner Konrad Marschall and Dr.-Ing Horst Karl Marschall Foundation

Promotion of qualified young scientists of the Department of Architecture

→ <https://www.ar.tum.de/netzwerk/stiftungen/dr-marschall-stiftung/>

Publication grants of the Department of Architecture

Publication costs up to max. € 1,500 can be granted

→ <https://www.arc.ed.tum.de/en/arc/research-innovation/publications/>

3 Interdisciplinary Grants

Humboldt Foundation

Non-profit foundation of the Federal Republic of Germany for the promotion of international cooperations, e.g. by publication grants scholarship holders

→ <https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/en/>

E-Fellows

Publication grants for dissertations possible as a fellow (associated with ZEIT.ONLINE)

→ e-fellows.net

FAZIT-Foundation

Non-profit foundation for the promotion of science and research, education and training (associated with FAZ) → <https://www.fazit-stiftung.de>

Fritz Thyssen Foundation

Promotes young academics and research projects, publication grants for funded projects possible → <https://www.fritz-thyssen-stiftung.de/en/>

VG Wort

The Science Promotion Fund of VG WORT GmbH can grant printing subsidies for the first publication of scientific works in German

→ <https://www.vgwort.de/die-vg-wort/sozialeinrichtungen/foerderungsfonds.html>

In addition, reporting your publication to VG Wort (digital and print) may generate royalties (German address necessary) → <https://tom.vgwort.de/portal/index>

Volkswagen Foundation

Promotes research and technology in science and teaching; printing grants possible for already funded projects → <https://www.volkswagenstiftung.de/en>

ZEIT Foundation

Scholarships for young academics as well as junior journalists and international junior managers → <https://www.zeit-stiftung.de/en>

Geschwister Boehringer Ingelheim Foundation for the Humanities

Grants for the printing of scientific works in the humanities that are connected somehow with the German-speaking cultural sphere

→ <http://www.boehringer-geisteswissenschaften.de/antrag.htm>

4 Subject-specific Grants

Geosciences

DGGM Doctoral Prize for innovative, nationally and internationally relevant doctoral theses on geomorphological topics; prize money € 500.

→ <https://www.dggm.org/fundings-and-awards/?lang=en>

Medicine

Dissertation Prize in Pneumology from the German Lung Foundation e. V., prize money of € 3,000 donated by Boehringer Ingelheim Pharma GmbH & Co. KG

→ <https://lungenstiftung.de/aktivitaeten/dissertationspreis-pneumologie>

Sport sciences

dvs Young Talent Award and dvs Doctoral Award: sponsored by the Friedrich Schleich Memorial Foundation and the Hofmann Publishing House, endowed with € 1,500 and € 3,000.

→ <https://www.sportwissenschaft.de/die-dvs/ehrungen-und-preise>

5 Funding Opportunities for Women

American Association of University Women (AAUW)

Advocates for equal rights for women in education and academic research, e. g. through Research Publication Grants → <https://www.aauw.org>

Deutscher Akademikerinnenbund e. V. (DAB)

One of the oldest women's network in Germany, grants printing costs

→ <https://www.dab-ev.org>



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