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Call for Applications: Zukunftskolleg Mentorship 2019

The mentorship program enables young researchers at postdoctoral level at the University of Konstanz to network with prominent colleagues both in Germany and abroad, and to maintain these contacts in the medium term. Through the program, junior researchers can invite renowned scholars in their field as mentors to Konstanz for a few days, and strengthen the cooperation by in turn visiting their mentor. The junior researcher has an opportunity to develop new projects or establish a research partnership with his or her mentor, the aim being to identify shared areas of key research and generate prospects for future grant proposals.

In line with the multidisciplinary character of the Zukunftskolleg, the program is open to young researchers (non-tenured) in **all faculties** of the University of Konstanz.

The **Zukunftskolleg** offers up to **7 mentorships** for young researchers from all departments of the University of Konstanz of up to:

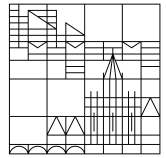
EUR 5.000,--

The deadline for applications is **January 31, 2019**.

Applications should include the following documents:

- Motivation letter including a brief description of the project's scientific objectives. The description should be written for an interdisciplinary decision-making committee.
- Curriculum vitae and list of **most relevant** publications (mentee); maximum 3 pages
- Proof of the employment or of the scholarship at the University of Konstanz (mentee)
- Project outline, indicating topical connections to the chosen mentor's field and including a brief explanation why this person is selected as a mentor; maximum 4 pages
- Curriculum vitae and list of **most relevant** publications by the mentor; maximum 3 pages
- A statement of interest from the mentor
- A tentative schedule for the proposed mutual visits





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- Expenditure plan (**Please keep in mind that the last date to place your orders at the Division of Financial Affairs of the University of Konstanz is September 15, 2019. Furthermore, the deadline for paying the bills of the expenditures is October 31, 2019**)

Postdoctoral researchers who already received funding via the Mentorship programme are not excluded from this call. In case of a planned continuation of the work with the same mentor, an additional motivation and report of the outcomes within the first funding period are expected. Applications from new candidates are strongly encouraged.

At the end of the project, we expect a final report on how the project goals were or were not achieved.

For questions contact Anda Lohan (E-Mail: anda.lohan@uni-konstanz.de, Tel. 07531 – 88 4821).

Please send your application documents in English as a PDF file (one file per applicant) by **January 31, 2019** to:

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