

Delft Global | Staff Exchange Fund

The purpose of the Delft Global | Staff Exchange Fund is to promote and strengthen cooperation between researchers of the TU Delft and researchers of universities in developing countries. This fund provides the opportunity to apply for a grant for staff exchange (a visit of a foreign researcher to TU Delft or a visit of a Delft researcher to a university in a developing country). This fund is one of the supportive instruments of TU Delft | Global Initiative, the portal and booster of Science and Technology for Global Development at the TU Delft.

1. Conditions

Who can apply?

- All TU Delft faculty (for themselves or for the visiting staff from abroad) and Delft Global Fellows.
- The applicant is either going abroad or acts as a host.

Type of funding.

- You can apply for funding up to €5.000,- (€2.500 for Fellows).
- This money can be used for travel expenses (max. €1.500,-) and accommodations costs (see '[Dienstreizen Buitenland TU Delft](#)').
- Funding is meant for staff exchange for a period of up to 4 months. The applicant can apply for a visit to a partner university in a target country (see: [target countries](#)) or, vice-versa, for a visit of a scientists from a target country to the TU Delft.

Specific conditions.

- The staff exchange should be between TU Delft and a university in one of our target countries (low and middle developed).
- For a visit of TU Delft staff to a partner university: The Delft applicant will be requested to strengthen the network of TU Delft in the target country and act as a TU Delft ambassador during his/her visit.
- For a visit of a scientist of a partner university to TU Delft: The visiting scientist should give, during his/her stay, a general talk about his/her work for the Delft Global community.
- The involved staff (TU Delft and/or partner scientist) will be involved in PR/communication activities (e.g. blog, pictures, interview, story, etc.).

2. Selection and Timeline

Deadline and submission.

- There is no deadline. A proposal may be submitted at any time.
- Applications must be submitted at least 2 months before the proposed starting date of the visit.

Applicants will be informed within two weeks after their submission.

How to apply?

Complete the application form on the webpage <https://web.miniextensions.com/oxgkbFCiY9Ig7HZ6GGJJ>

Selection Criteria.

The proposals will be assessed on the basis of the following criteria:

- The importance of the visit to the progress (or set-up) of a joint research project and possible (joint) education.
- The strengthening of cooperation between the individual researchers, as well as between the TU Delft and the partner universities.
- The quality of the researchers involved (applicant and/or scientist from target country).
- Quality and feasibility of the work plan for the visit.

3. Contact

Feel free to get in contact with the TU Delft | Global Initiative:

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