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Funding opportunities

FOR STARTUP PROJECTS AT KIT

Overview of relevant funding programs and funding opportunities to help you realize your business idea. We provide support with selection and application.



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Overview

KIT-external

	exist Women	exist Startup Grant	exist Research Transfer	Young innovators	Helmholtz Spin-off Program	StartUp Secure	Innovation Vouchers	Karlsruhe EXI Voucher
Support	Personnel costs, material resources & coaching	Personnel costs, material resources & coaching	Personnel costs, material resources & coaching	Personnel costs, material resources & coaching	Personnel costs & material resources	Personnel costs, material resources & coaching	Material resources	Coaching
How is funding provided?	1,000 € to 3,000 € per month; material resources up to 2,000 €; child allowance	1,000 € to 3,000 € per month; material resources 10,000 € to 30,000 €; 5,000 € for coaching; child allowance	Funding phase I: Personnel costs for up to 4 people, material resources max. 250,000 €; Funding phase II: max. 240,000 € (funding rate 75%)	max. 3 half-time TV-L positions; material resources to 20,000 € & 5,000 € for coaching; child allowance	max. 333,000 € (funding rate 75%)	Funding phase I: max. 800,000 €; Funding phase II: max. 800,000 €	7,500 € to 20,000 € subsidy (50% funding rate)	Compact consultation, intensive consultation is subsidized at 70%, founders pay 30% (plus 19% VAT)
Funding period	3 months	12 months	Funding phase I: 18 to 36 months Funding phase II: 18 months	12 months	9 to 14 months	12 to 15 months	One-time	max. of 30 individual consultations or 50 consultations for teams
Who is eligible for funding?	Graduates, research assistants (and students)	Graduates, research assistants (and students)	Graduates, research assistants	Graduates, research assistants	Graduates of the Helmholtz Association (entire KIT)	Graduates, research assistants (and students)	Possible from pre-foundation phase onwards	Possible from pre-foundation phase onwards

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