Writing consulting for students of the Faculty of Human Sciences

The writing consulting is an offer for students enrolled at the Faculty of Human Sciences who are facing difficulties at different points of the writing process for their writing assignments. The peer-tutors aim to help students by (1) listening to their problems and questions, and (2) suggesting different methods and writing techniques to solve their difficulties with the writing process. The approach is student-centered and primarily focused on the development of writing skills (rather than the specific texts). The writing consulting at the Faculty of Human Sciences is primarily directed at international students but open to all students enrolled at the faculty. More information about the tutors and their work can be found on their website.

https://www.uni-potsdam.de/de/humfak/studium-lehre/ansprechpartner-und-funktionsträger/schreibberatung

Joint Research Workshops and Innovative Digital Teaching

With the goal of facilitating research and teaching cooperation, the University of Potsdam and Tel Aviv University have established a joint funding scheme to support annual joint research workshops or cooperation in innovative digital teaching formats. The call is not limited to a specific academic field, the projects can be either focused on one discipline or be of interdisciplinary character.


Weave Lead Agency Initiative: Cooperation with GACR (Czech Republic) launched

The Weave Lead Agency Procedure (Weave) developed by European funding organisations to support excellent collaborative research across borders was launched in December 2020. By means of a single review process, the initiative aims to simplify the submission and selection procedures for closely integrated collaborative research proposals involving researchers from up to three European countries or regions. The Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG, German Research Foundation) already applies Weave together with FWF (Austria), FNR (Luxembourg) and SNSF (Switzerland). From 22 February 2021 on, the cooperation with GACR (Czech Republic) commences and opens up new collaboration opportunities.

https://www.dfg.de/foerderung/info_wissenschaft/allgemeine_informationen/info_wissenschaft_21_17/index.html

Recovery, Renewal and Resilience in a Post-Pandemic World

The COVID-19 pandemic is a major crisis that touches on all aspects of health, social, economic, political, and cultural life. The T-AP research call aims to address key gaps in our understanding of the dynamic and complex interaction of medium and long-term societal effects of COVID-19 pandemic. This understanding, in turn, should advance knowledge of how to mitigate the negative societal effects of COVID-19 pandemic and support recovery and renewal in a post-pandemic world. The RRR call is expected to be launched on 31 March 2021. Please note that this pre-announcement is for information purposes only.

https://www.dfg.de/foerderung/info_wissenschaft/ausschreibungen/info_wissenschaft_21_21/index.html