



NEWS FROM

EXTERNAL RELATIONS and THE GRANTS OFFICE

Collaborations / Strategic Partnerships / Innovation Support:

Anna Källblad – collaborations, commissioned educational projects

Erik Falk – collaborations, project coordination

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News from the Grants Office

- The **Government's Special Rapporteur on Reviewing Innovation Support at Universities and Colleges** handed over their report to the government. The innovation support offered at the higher education institutions needs to be developed and become more appropriate for knowledge to be useful in society in a good way. The special rapporteur therefore reviewed, among other things, how researchers and students throughout the country can receive even better support in the innovation and exploitation process (both non-commercial and commercial).
- **Havet stormar** i Svarta lådan 21-23 oktober. **Dansgruppen Avart gästar SH och spelar för studenter på LU och lärare och elever från Huddinge kommun.** Praktiken flyttar in på SH under tre dagar genom att studenter får se en dansföreställning som handlar om lek tillsammans med förskolebarn och deras lärare. Gästspelet är ett samarbete mellan LU, Avart, Huddinge kommun, Dans Cirkus Region Stockholm och SH Innovation. Här kan du läsa mer om föreställningen <https://www.avartdans.se/havet-stormar/> Är du intresserad av likande samarbeten kontakta anna.kallblad@sh.se på SH Innovation.

News from funders

- **The Foundation for Baltic and East European Studies** will hold an information meeting about the 2021 application round on Wednesday, 11 November 2020 at 1:00-2:30 pm. The meeting takes place on Zoom and is held in Swedish. The Foundation's secretariat and members of the Foundation's research committee will participate. Register your

participation not later than 5 November 2020 to erika@ostersjostiftelsen.se. More information is to be found [here](#).

- **Riksbankens Jubileumsfond supports the Swedish Section of Scholars at Risk** by contributing SEK 5 million for their work for academic freedom and providing scholars at risk a safe haven. Academic freedom around the world is increasingly being curtailed, with the result that researchers are finding it more difficult to carry out their work. Scholars at Risk is an international network that maps and draws attention to restrictions on academic freedom and attacks on higher education institutions. In 2017, RJ contributed SEK 6 million to finance the placements of researchers at risk at Swedish higher education institutions. The Swedish section of SAR consists of 21 Swedish universities and aims to exchange experiences around academic freedom and work to receive threatened researchers, but also to ascertain forms of cooperation between the universities and other relevant actors on these issues. SAR-Sweden is coordinated from the University of Gothenburg, and Södertörn University is an active member of the network.

Upcoming Funding Deadlines / Announcements	
<p>Riksbankens Jubileumsfond (RJ) Societal Challenges in a Nordic context</p> <p>RJ will open on January 1, 2021 a call for a research program focusing on future societal challenges in the Nordic context. For now the information is accessible only in Swedish. The call is especially aimed at researchers in the humanities and social sciences.</p> <p>Apply before: February 15, 2021 at the latest.</p>	<p>AMIF (Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund) Developing and implementing local integration strategies through multi-stakeholder partnerships AMIF-2020-AG-CALL-01</p> <p>Types of action: AMIF Action Grant; Programme: Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund. Opening date: 15 October 2020; Deadline model: single-stage</p> <p>Deadline date: 16 February 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>
<p>Jan Wallanders and Tom Hedelius stiftelse and Tore Browaldhs stiftelse (Handelsbanken) are opening their call 1st of December for Research program, Browaldhstipendier and Research exchange.</p> <p>The purpose of the foundation is to support social science research in mainly business economics, economics and economic history.</p> <p>Apply by January 31, 2021 at the latest.</p>	<p>AMIF (Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund) Reducing obstacles and promoting access to basic services for third-country nationals AMIF-2020-AG-CALL-02</p> <p>Types of action: AMIF Action Grant; Programme: Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund. Opening date: 15 October 2020; Deadline model: single-stage</p> <p>Deadline date: 16 February 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>
<p>AFA Insurance – AFA Försäkring</p> <p>Calls open 20th of November. You can apply for funding by sending in a concept note (sketch) for RnD projects or for RnD projects that form part of an RnD programme. Those recently completed a PhD can apply for postdoctoral support as well.</p> <p>Apply by February 14, 2021 at the latest.</p>	<p>AMIF (Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund) Promoting the participation of migrants in the design and implementation of integration policies AMIF-2020-AG-CALL-03</p> <p>Types of action: AMIF Action Grant; Programme: Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund. Opening date: 15 October 2020; Deadline model: single-stage</p> <p>Deadline date: 16 February 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>

<p>AMIF (Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund) Promoting complementary pathways for people in need of protection and their further integration AMIF-2020-AG-CALL-04</p> <p>Types of action: AMIF Action Grant; Programme: Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund. Opening date: 15 October 2020; Deadline model: single-stage Deadline date: 16 February 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>	<p>AMIF (Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund) Address assistance, support and integration of third-country national victims of trafficking in human beings AMIF-2020-AG-CALL-05</p> <p>Types of action: AMIF Action Grant; Programme: Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund. Opening date: 15 October 2020; Deadline model: single-stage Deadline date: 16 February 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>
<p>AMIF (Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund) Migrant children's transition to adulthood AMIF-2020-AG-CALL-06</p> <p>Types of action: AMIF Action Grant; Programme: Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund. Opening date: 15 October 2020; Deadline model: single-stage Deadline date: 16 February 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>	<p>ISF-Police (ISFP) environmental crime ISFP-2020-AG-ENV</p> <p>Types of action: ISF-Police Action Grant; Programme: Internal Security Fund – Police. Opening date: 17 September 2020; Deadline model: single-stage Deadline date: 17 December 2020 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>
<p>H2020 Transparent & Accessible Seas and Oceans: Towards a Digital Twin of the Ocean LC-GD-9-3-2020</p> <p>Types of action: Innovation Action; Opening date: 22 September 2020; Deadline model: single-stage Deadline date: 26 January 2021 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>	<p>ISF-Police (ISFP) Prevent Radicalisation ISFP-2020-AG-RAD</p> <p>Types of action: ISF-Police Action Grant; Programme: Internal Security Fund – Police. Opening date: 23 July 2020; Deadline model: single-stage Deadline date: 24 November 2020 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>
<p>European Maritime and Fisheries Fund (EMFF) Maritime Spatial Planning (North Sea and Baltic Sea) MSP-01-2020</p> <p>Types of action: EMFF Action Grant; Programme: EMFF. Opening date: 09 June 2020; Deadline model: single-stage Deadline date: 10 November 2020 17:00:00 Brussels time</p>	
<p><i>Please keep in mind! All proposals that are above 5 M SEK/yr, or require a written commitment (support letter, commitment of the host institution, etc.) has to be processed by the central research support administration. All proposals applying for EU-funding require internal co-funding for the university's operational overhead, therefore need to be pre-approved by the vice-chancellor, so please contact the central research support administration (Brigitta or Gabriela) for more information and admin support!</i></p>	

Events in the pipeline (where we look forward to meet you)

- The Grants Office invites all interested researchers and their collaborating partners to attend any or all of the **three digital lunch seminars on the new Framework Programme for Research and Innovation, HORIZON EUROPE (2021-2027) on Nov 5, 13 & 20**. The seminars will zoom in on various areas of interest, for example Cluster 2: Culture, Creativity and Inclusive Society calls or Calls for proposals in Health (Cluster 1) with Nadine Schweitzer from Vinnova. The third seminar will look closer at the terms expected impact and impact pathways and discuss different tools to elaborate on the impact description of a research proposal in Horizon Europe. If you think it might be interesting for a current or potential collaboration partner, please invite them as well! For more info or to register, see the attached flier, check out Medarbetarwebben or contact grantsoffice@sh.se.

- Nothing more in particular, but we have been now touring several Schools at Södertörn in various research seminars and workshops, and would be happy to join your research event / proposal development workshop if you are interested to gain some insights, tips or get detailed answers to questions regarding financing your research idea. Just let us know what you need.