The Department of Biomedicine
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Dear colleagues,

We can certainly feel that fall is upon us, represented by a lot of rain and wind the last weeks. This limits the outdoor activities for most of us, and it is nice to have indoor alternatives this time of the year. One event that I would definitely recommend that you attend is this year's Falch lecture which will be streamed live in the large auditorium at Haukeland University Hospital from 17:00-18:00 on 9 November. The lecture will be held by MIT professor Robert S. Langer, often called "The Edison of medicine". He has published more than 1500 articles and issued more than 1400 pending patents and is cofounder of more than 40 biotech companies, including Moderna. The title of the lecture is "Creating and implementing breakthrough technologies in biotechnology and nanotechnology". The event will be followed by a social event with food at Eitri Medical Incubator 18:00-20:00. Both events require registration. More information can be found here: https://www.uib.no/en/med/148824/falch-lecture-2021-professor-robert-s-langer

In relation to the research council's calls with deadline in early February next year (https://www.forskningsradet.no/utlysninger/),the Department request that everyone planning to apply take a few minutes to fill out the online form found here: https://skjemaker.app.uib.no/view.php?id=8157307. I am looking forward to many exciting applications.

The end of the year is approaching fast and so is the deadline for ordering things needed for your research projects (9 December). Please make sure to plan for ordering in due time in order to spend the research funding well and avoid delays in your projects. This is especially important this year as certain items could be out of stock.

The HSE-day is coming up on 3 December. Usually, we have a Christmas party in the evening the same day, but due to unforeseen circumstances we must do this differently this year. This year there will be a very nice Christmas dinner followed by cake and coffee directly after the HSE day. This dinner gathering will take place in the cantina and last for about three hours including speeches and entertainment. The HSE-program including dinner ends around 17:00 and this will be the entire gathering this year. I truly believe that this will be a nice and social gathering even though the traditional Christmas party format is not followed this time. A more detailed program for the day will be sent out when it is ready.

Human Resources

Events for UiB employees	**Benefits** for employees at UiB	**Vacant positions** at the University of Bergen

Representasjon og bevertning

Det har vært lenge uten møter, reiser og samlinger, men nå er folk ute og spiser og mottar gjester. Derfor kommer det nå en liten oppfriskning om regler og satser som gjelder for møtemat (bevertning) og festmiddager (representasjon) på statens regning:

Representasjon:

Lunsj, middag, bankett eller annet festmåltid, eller utgifter til mottakelser, ekskursjoner etc. og der det er eksterne gjester til stede. Arrangementet bør ha et visst **formelt preg**, og det skal være en **særskilt anledning**.

- Lunsj/middag: Inntil kr. **1387,-** pr person,
- Enklere lunsj/mottakelse: Inntil kr. **511,-** pr person.

Satsene kan økes med inntil 30% ved arrangement der utenlandske gjester er til stede.

Representation and hospitality

It's been a long time with no meetings, travels or gatherings, but now people are out dining and receiving guests again. Therefore, this reminder about current regulations and rates regarding catering for meetings (hospitality) and representative dinners (representation) paid for by the state, is in order.

Representation:

Lunch, dinner, banquet eller a similar festive meal, or expenses for receptions, excursions, etc. where external guests are present. The meal/serving should have a certain **formal style**, and should be in connection with a **specific event**.

- Lunch/dinner: Up to NOK **1387, -** per person,
- Simpler type of lunch/reception:

Bevertning:

Bevertning er godtgjøring til mat og drikke ved møter, konferanser og seminarer.

- Arrangement under 3 timer, innenfor ordinær arbeidstid: Inntil kr **191,- pr** deltaker.
- Arrangement på 3 timer eller mer, og ev ut over ordinær arbeidstid: Inntil kr. **433,-** pr deltaker.
- Lengre arrangement der det er nødvendig med to serveringer: Inntil kr **634,-** pr deltaker.

Dersom det av praktiske grunner ikke er mulig å innta måltidene i kantine, spiserom, møterom eller lignende, slik at annen restaurant/cafe må benyttes, kan satsene ovenfor økes med inntil 50%.

NB: Det skal som hovelregel ikke utbetales tips for statens regning.

Les mer her: https://www.uib.no/foransatte/112130/representasjon-og-bevertning

Up to NOK **511,-** per person.

The rates may be increased up to an additional 30 % in case of foreign invited guests.

Hospitality:

Hospitality is covering food and drinks at meetings, seminars and conferences.

- Events with less than 3 hours duration, within regular work hours: Up to NOK **191,-** per participant.
- Events up to 3 hours or more, and possibly beyond regular work hours: Up to NOK **433,-** per participant.
- Longer events where two food servings are necessary: NOK **634,-** per participant.

If circumstances negate the possibility of consuming the meal within a cafeteria, dining hall, meeting room or similar locations, so that a restaurant/cafe needs to be used instead, the rates above may be increased by up to 50 %.

NOTE: As a rule, no tips are to be paid at the expense of the University of Bergen.

Read more here (Norwegian): https://www.uib.no/foransatte/112130/representasjon-og-bevertning

Operations, Health, and Safety

Bestillingsfrist

9. desember 2021

Ordering deadline

09 December 2021

er siste dag for bestilling av varer i år.

is the last day to place purchase orders this year.

Vellykket sosial spillkveld for IBM

Tirsdag 26, oktober var 25 personer fra IBM samlet på Bar3 til en kveld med spill og moro.

Dette ble en kjekk kveld hvor noen og enhver fikk kjenne litt på kamplysten. Her ble det mye latter og alvor når steinene på shuffle bordet skulle sendes til rett sted eller biljard kulene skulle i rett hull.

Kommer tilbake tidlig i 2022 med en ny spillekveld, håper vi da blir enda flere.

Game night

On Tuesday 26 October, 25 people from the department were gathered at Bar3 for a night of games, socializing and fun.

This became a very nice evening, where a lot of people got to hone their competitive instincts. Both serious faces and bursts of laughter were observed as people tried their best to place stones on the shuffle board, or get the billiard balls in the right sockets.

We will return with another games night in early 2022, and hope for an even bigger turnout!

Research, Science, and Seminars

Publications

The following list is the PubMed search result for "Bergen AND Biomedicine" since the last newsletter. Authors who attribute the Department are shown in bold.

Morphological properties of the axon initial segment-like process of AII amacrine cells in the rat retina.
Liu JH, Singh JB, Veruki ML, Hartveit E.
J Comp Neurol. 2021 Nov;529(16):3593-3620.

Natural isotope correction improves analysis of protein modification dynamics.
Dietze J, van Pijkeren A, Egger AS, Ziegler M, Kwiatkowski M, Heiland I.
Anal Bioanal Chem. 2021 Oct 27.

The Parkinson's-disease-associated mutation LRRK2-G2019S alters dopaminergic differentiation dynamics via NR2F1.
Walter J, Bolognin S, Poovathingal SK, Magni S, Gérard D, Antony PMA, Nickels SL, Salamanca L, Berger E, Smits LM, Grzyb K, Perfeito R, **Hoel F**, Qing X, Ohnmacht J, Bertacchi M, Jarazo J, Ignac T, Monzel AS, Gonzalez-Cano L, Krüger R, Sauter T, Studer M, de Almeida LP, **Tronstad KJ**, Sinkkonen L, Skupin A, Schwamborn JC.
Cell Rep. 2021 Oct 19;37(3):109864.

Healthy Kidney Segmentation in the Dce-Mr Images Using a Convolutional Neural Network and Temporal Signal Characteristics.
Klepaczko A, Eikefjord E, Lundervold A.
Sensors (Basel). 2021 Oct 9;21(20):6714

Innate Lymphoid Cells in Skin Homeostasis and Malignancy.
Wagner M, Koyasu S.
Front Immunol. 2021 Oct 8;12:758522, Review

Challenges and Prospects for Designer T and NK Cells in Glioblastoma Immunotherapy.
Arnesen VS, Gras Navarro A, Chekenya M.
Cancers (Basel). 2021 Oct 5;13(19):4986, Review

BBB seminar

Thomas Daubon from the University of Bordeaux, France, will give a talk entitled "Glioblastoma metabolic symbiosis: When lactate takes the lead".

Position: Group leader at the CNRS Institute of Cellular Biochemistry and Genetics

Research field: Dr. Daubon's work focuses on understanding how glioblastoma (GBM) adapts its energy metabolism during tumor growth, invasion and therapy. His lab uses combinations of stem-like cells growing as spheroids and RNAseq with metabolomics analysis to deeply characterize the role of lactate metabolism during GBM development.

Main achievements: Recent publication in Nature Communication and Neuro Oncology.

Motivation: Dr. Daubon is a specialist in GBM development as well as of lactate metabolism in GBM and in the brain. He is an expert in 3D culture (spheroids), using automated methods to quantify invasion/migration and proliferation.

Thursday, November 4, 14.30

BBB seminar

Simona Chera from the University of Bergen will give a talk entitled "Mapping cell identity shifts in the adult pancreatic islet".

Position: Professor at the Center for Diabetes Research, Department of Clinical Science

Research field: The past decade revealed an unexpected level of islet cell plasticity in the mammalian pancreas. Dr. Chera investigates stressors impacting islet homeostasis which can deregulate the maintenance of cell identity, resulting in cells losing their original signature or converting towards another cell fate leading to beneficial or detrimental outcomes.

Main achievements: Using genetic cell tracing, conditional gene expression and diverse omics assays, Dr. Chera's group revealed a critical role of HNF1α in pancreatic islet cell identity selection, maintenance and crosstalk.

Motivation: Cell identity changes, such as dedifferentiation or transdifferentiation, can affect drastically the function of an organ, and therefore mastering the mechanisms governing identity maintenance would grant control over the outcome of both processes, which can also provide a favorable milieu for alternative regenerative strategies.

Thursday, November 11, 14.30

Digital Life 2021

The annual conference for the Centre for Digital Life Norway – Digital Life 2021 – in Oslo 11 November!

10.00-12.00	Cross-project meetings to discuss collaboration to apply for funding from the centre
12 PM–13.00	Lunch
13.00-16.00	Know-how workshop on intellectual property rights (IPR) in digital biotech *or* Continue cross-project meetings to discuss collaboration to apply for funding from the centre
16.00-17.00	Food and beverage
17.00-20.30	Plenary event on how we can strengthen Norwegian biotechnology with inspiring talks on omics and gender equality and launch of white paper on transdisciplinarity
20.30	Attend social gathering with refreshments

Conference homepage: https://www.digitallifenorway.org/conference/index.html

11 November, Oslo Science Park/Forskningsparken

NSG-seminar 2021 Klinisk forskning i akutte situasjoner-

Hvordan kan vi best møte fremtidige kriser med akutt behov for forskning?

Nasjonal samarbeidsgruppe for helseforskning i spesialisthelse-tjenesten, NSG, arrangerer et seminar om klinisk forskning i kriser som for eks pandemien. Blant annet er Camilla Stoltenberg på talelisten. Det er lurt å få diskutert dette temaet mens erfaringene er ferskt i minne, og vi kan ta med lærdom til å stå bedre rustet til forskning ved neste krise

10.05–10.15: Åpning av konferansen Baard-Christian Schem, fagdirektør i Helse Vest

10.15 –11.00: Forskning i kriser: Hva har vi lært av corona pandemien? Camilla Stoltenberg, direktør i Folkehelseinstituttet

11.00 –11.45: Presentasjon av

NSG Seminar 2021: Clinical research in emergency situations

How can we best meet future crises with immediate needs for research?

The national collaboration group for research in the specialised health service, NSG, hosts a seminar on clinical research in emergency situations, such as the recent COVID-19 pandemic. Among the speakers will be Camilla Stoltenberg, General Director of the Norwegian Institute of Public Health. It is wise to discuss this theme while memories are still fresh, so that we can learn and be better prepared for the next crisis of a similar type.

Program:

10.05–10.15: Baard-Christian Schem, Scientific Director of Helse Vest, opens the seminar.

regjeringens Nasjonale handlingsplan for kliniske studier Nils Olav Refsdal, Helse-og omsorgsdepartementet

11.45 –12.15: Case eksempel: Utbruddet av campylobacter på Askøy i 2019 Guri Rørtveit, professor ved Universitetet i Bergen

12.15 –13.00: Lunsj

13.00–13.45: Gruppearbeid

13.45–14.30: Diskusjon

14.30–14.40: Avslutning av konferanse Per Bakke, Dekan ved Det medisinske fakultet, Universitetet i Bergen

17. november 2021, Clarion Hotel Flesland

10.15 –11.00: Research in times of crisis: What have we learned from the corona pandemic? Camilla Stoltenberg, General Director of the Norwegian Institute of Public Health

11.00 –11.45: Presentation of the government's national action plan for clinical studies. Nils Olav Refsdal, Ministry of Health and Care Services

11.45 –12.15: Case example: The outbreak of campylobacter at Askøy in 2019. Guri Rørtveit, Professor, University of Bergen

12.15 –13.00: Lunch

13.00–13.45: Group work

13.45–14.30: Discussions

14.30–14.40: Per Bakke, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, UiB, summarizes the seminar.

17 November 2021, Clarion Hotel Flesland

NASJONAL SAMARBEIDSGRUPPE FOR HELSEFORSKNING I SPESIALISTHELSETJENESTEN

Ny nasjonal veileder for vanedannende legemidler

Helsedirektoratet har publisert ny nasjonal veileder for vanedannende legemidler. Den erstatter Nasjonal faglig veileder for vanedannende legemidler –rekvirering og forsvarlighet (IS-2014) og Nasjonal faglig veileder for bruk av opioider ved langvarige ikke-kreftrelaterte smerter (IS-2077).

Hovedmålgruppen er leger som ordinerer og rekvirerer vanedannende legemidlertil pasienter på resept.

.New national guide for addictive medications

The Norwegian Directorate of Health has published a new national guide for addictive medications. This will replace the former National Scientific Guide for Addictive Medications (IS-2014) and National Scientific Guide for the Use of Opioids in Long-Term Non-Cancerous Pain (IS-2077).

The main target audience is doctors prescribing addictive medications to patients.

https://www.helsedirektoratet.no/veiledere/vanedannende-legemidler

https://www.helsedirektoratet.no/veiledere/vanedannende-legemidler

Falch Lecture 2021: Professor Robert S. Langer

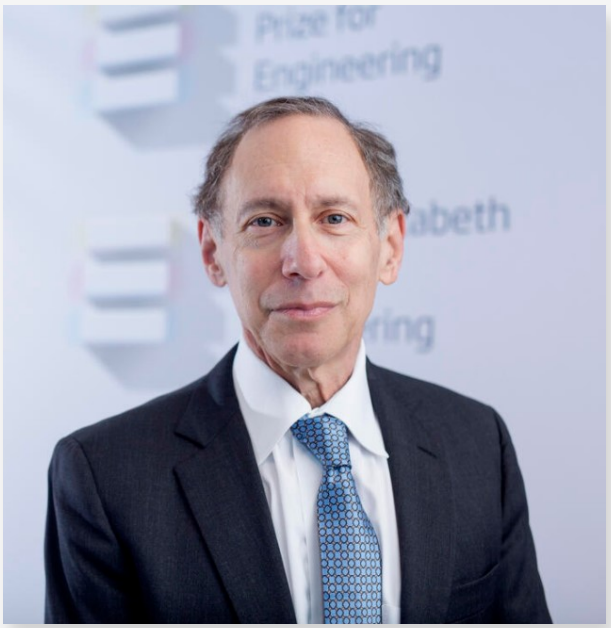
Professor Robert S. Langer, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, "The Edison of Medicine", will present the Falch Lecture entitled

"Creating and implementing breakthrough technologies in biotechnology and nanotechnology"

Langers is a pioneer in the fields of drug delivery, tissue engineering, and nanotechnology. He has founded or cofounded more than 40 biotechnology companies, among others Moderna.

The event will be streamed live from MIT, followed by a social event at Eitri lab.

09 November, 17.00–18.00, Large Auditorium, Haukeland University Hospital



Academic Affairs

Webinarfestivalen NTNU

Bli med på Webinarfestivalen 24. november 2021!

Dette er en dag fullstappet med varierte innslag fra i alt ni ulike universitet og høyskoler. Du får møte både kjente og nye fjes som forteller om **nyskapende prosjekter, verktøy og undervisningsopplegg.**

The Webinar Festival at NTNU

Join the Webinar Festival at NTNU 24 November 2021!

This is a day packed with varied content from nine different universitites and university colleges. You will see both famous and new faces presenting **innovative**

Kanskje du husker Ida Serneberg som har holdt populære innlegg tidligere. Denne gangen skal hun snakke om **studentmedvirkning**, og hun skal aktivisere deg som deltaker gjennom hele sesjonen. Ta med penn og papir!

Videre ut over dagen får du høre om **pollbasert undervisning** og om hva som skal til for å lage gode digitale tekster til undervisningsformål. Du får også innlegg om undervisningsopplegg der undervisere og arrangører synes alt har gått helt strålende, mens studentene er misfornøyde. Hvorfor? I tillegg kan du glede deg til å se hvordan en dramalærer tar i bruk **Zoom-rommet som scenisk rom**.

Etter lunsj blir det innlegg om autoretting som et ledd i vurdering, underveisvurdering i Teams, flercampus-undervisning, MOOC og Canvas. Dagens siste innlegg handler om konflikthåndtering og læring gjennom kortspill.

Webinarfestivalen foregår på Zoom, og det er ingen påmelding. Du kan være med fra starten, kl. 08.45, eller du kan bli med når som helst i løpet av dagen.

https://www.ntnu.no/webinarfestivalen

24. november 2021, digitalt

projects, tools and teaching methods.

Perhaps you remember Ida Serneberg, who has held popular talks for us before? This time she will speak about **student participation**, and will be engaging you as participant throughout the session—bring pen and paper!

Further through the day, you will hear about **poll-based teaching,** and what it takes to make good digital texts for teaching purposes. You will also be able to catch talks about teaching methods which both teachers and organizers have found to be amazing, while the students didn't like them at all. Why? You can also enjoy seeing how a drama teacher uses the **Zoom-space as scenic space**.

After lunch, talks about automatic correction tools as part of assessment, assessment using Teams, multi-campus teaching, MOOC and Canvas. The last point of the day's agenda is about conflict management and learning through card games.

The Webinar Festival will take place in Zoom, and no pre-registration is necessary. You can join in from the start at 08:45, or at any time during the day.

https://www.ntnu.no/webinarfestivalen

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WEBINARFESTIVALEN

Funding Announcements

NFR utlysninger for banebrytende forskning

NFR calls for ground-breaking research

NFRs program for banebrytende forskning lyser ut tre type forskerprosjekt med frist 2. februar:

- Forskerprosjekt for fornyelse

  Formålet er fornyelse og utvikling i forskningen som kan bidra til å flytte den internasjonale forskningsfronten.

  4-6 år, 12 000 000 kroner

- Forskerprosjekt for unge talenter

  For unge forskertalenter under 40 år.

  3-4 år, 8 000 000 kr

- Treårig Forskerprosjekt med internasjonal mobilitet

  3 år, 3 900 000 kroner

NFRs søkerseminarer:

25. november kl. 10: Søkerwebinar: Forskerprosjekt

7. desember kl. 10: Søkerwebinar: Forskerprosjekt (på engelsk)

Intern frist:

Dersom du vurderer å sende en søknad om eksternfinansiering, vennligst send en kort prosjektskisse til instituttleder og administrasjonen her:

https://skjemaker.app.uib.no/view.php?id=8157307

Frist: 20 November 2021

Søknadsfrist: 2 Februar 2022

NFR's program for groundbreaking research calls for funding of three types of research projects by 2 February:

- Researcher Project for Scientific Renewal

  Funding is intended to support scientific renewal and development in research that can help to advance the international research front.

  4-6 years, 12,000,000 kroner

- Researcher Project for Young Talents

  For young research talents under the age of 40.

  3-4 years, NOK 8,000,000

- Three-year Research Project with international mobility

  3 years, NOK 3,900,000

NFR applicant seminars:

25 November, 10.00: Søkerwebinar: Forskerprosjekt (Nowegian)

7 December, 10.00: Søkerwebinar: Forskerprosjekt (English)

Internal routine:

If you consider to submit an application for external funding, please send a short project sketch to the head of the Department and the administration here.

https://skjemaker.app.uib.no/view.php?id=8157307

Internal deadline: 20 November 2021

Application deadline: 2 February 2022

The Research Council of Norway

Utlysning av Erasmus+ ansattmobilitet 2021/22

Erasmusprogrammet har stipendmidler for ansattutveksling, for ansatte innen alle typer stillingskategorier; både tekniske-, administrative- og vitenskapelig ansatte. Det finnes mer informasjon om ansattutveksling ved UiB her:

https://www.uib.no/foransatte/92416/erasmus-tilsettmobilitet

På grunn av lav mobilitet i 2020/21 regner vi med å ha midler til å finansiere alle som søker om ansattutveksling, og vi vil også understreke at det også i 2021/22 er mulig å reise på Erasmus-opphold til Storbritannia. Fristene for å søke om stipend til ansattveksling er vanligvis 20. august og 20. januar, men i år vil vi være mer fleksible enn vanlig på grunn av situasjonen vi er i. Det er derfor mulig å **sende inn søknad fortløpende**.

Dersom det skulle bli konkurranse om plassene, vil vi prioritere ansatte som ikke tidligere har vært på Erasmus ansattutveksling.

Gjennomsnittlig tildeling er **800 – 1000 € per mobilitet,** tilsvarende en ukes opphold.

Erasmus+ Staff Mobility 2021/22

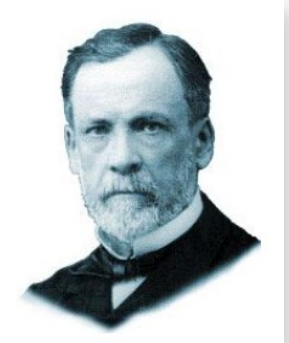
The Erasmus program provides funding for staff exchange for employees within all types of categories: Technical, administrative and scientific staff. For more information, click here:

https://www.uib.no/en/foremployees/148640/erasmus-staff-mobility-training

Due to a low degree of mobility in 2020/21, we count on being able to finance everyone applying for staff exchange, and will would like to emphasize that it is also possible to travel to the United Kingdom in the 2021/22 period. The application deadlines for staff exchange are normally 20 August and 20 January, but this year we will be more flexible than usual, due to the situation we are in. As such, **you may submit applications freely**, with no deadline restrictions.

In the event that there is competition over available slots, we will prioritize staff members who have never gone on Erasmus exchange before. The average grant award is **800 – 1000 €** per mobility, equivalent of a week's stay.

Pasteurlegatet



Pasteurlegatet and Professor Th. Thjøttas legat will award a grant on the 27th of December this year to young Norwegian scientists who intends to study a topic regarding ***infectious agents, chemistry or fermentation industry.***

The grant is preferably given to young, active and promising researchers, under the doctoral level. Emphasis is placed on documentation of preliminary results and evaluations of their efforts.

Priority is given to specific operational and equipment-related needs, rather than traveling, accommodation, general study support and publication expenses.

It is usually not granted more than twice to the same person. However there is the possibility of exceptions in special cases. Any award will ordinarily not exceed **15.000, - NOK**. The application must include a short project description with a budget (up to 3 pages) and curriculum vitae (maximum 2 pages). The application should be submitted by December 1, 2021 to Pasteurlegatet's secretary Mari Støen, Department of Microbiology, University of Oslo, Oslo University Hospital to email: mari.stoen@medisin.uio.no

See also Pasteurlegatet's website: https://beta.legeforeningen.no/fag/aktuelt/pasteurlegatet/

Deadline: 1 December 2021

Current funding announcements/deadlines

NOTE:

If you plan to apply for external funding, **please always send a short notice** to the Department administration: https://skjemaker.app.uib.no/view.php?id=8157307

For applications for international funds (EU, EEA, others) you will need approval from the Head of the Department and the University's division of research- and innovation. **Fill in this short statement (PDF)** and send it to the Department administration: Janne.Gotaas@uib.no, cc: Margarethe.Bittins@uib.no

Horizon Europe—European Research Council

Synergy Grant

Are you a researcher that wants to address a research problem so ambitious, that can not be dealt with you and your team alone? The Synergy Grants could be for you! A group of two to maximum four Principal Investigators (PIs) – of which one will be designated as the corresponding PI (cPI) – working together and bringing different skills and resources to tackle ambitious research problems. 10 million Euros, 6 years

10 November 2021

Starting Grant

Researchers of any nationality with **2-7 years of experience since completion of PhD** , 1,5 million Euro, 5 years.

Deadline 13 January 2022

Consolidator Grant

Researchers of any nationality with **7-12 years of experience since completion of PhD.** 2 million euros, 5 years.

Deadline 17 March 2022

Horizon Europe—Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions

MSCA Doctoral Networks 2021

The objective of Doctoral Networks is to implement doctoral programmes by partnerships of organisations across Europe to train highly skilled doctoral candidates, stimulate their creativity, enhance their innovation capacities and boost their employability in the long-term.

Deadline: 16 November 2021

Horizon Europe— Health Cluster

Research and Innovation actions (RIA) and Coordination and support actions (CSA) that address specific global societal challenges. Detailed information on these calls (and many more) is found in the latest draft of the Work Programme, v.7 (PDF)
Contact person at UiB: katie.anders@uib.no

Research– and innovation actions:

- Prevention of obesity throughout the life course HORIZON-HLTH-2022-STAYHLTH-01-05-two-stage **Deadline 1.2.2022**
- Pre-clinical development of the next generation immunotherapies for diseases or disorders with unmet medical need, HORIZON-HLTH-2022-DISEASE-06-02 **Deadline 01.02.22**
- Optimising effectiveness in patients of existing prescription drugs, for major diseases (except cancer) with the use of biomarkers, HORIZON-HLTH-2022-TOOL-11-01 **Deadline 21.04.22**
- Development of new effective therapies for rare diseases, HORIZON-HLTH-2022-DISEASE-06-04. **Deadline 01.02.22**
- Trustworthy AI tools to predict the risk for chronic non-communicable diseases and/or their progression, HORIZON-HLTH-2022-STAYHLTH-01-04 **Deadline 01.02.22**
- Non-communicable diseases risk reduction in adolescence and youth, HORIZON-HLTH-2022-DISEASE-07-03 **Deadline 21.04.22**
- Computational models for new patient stratification strategies, HORIZON-HLTH-2022-TOOL-12-01 **Deadline 21.04.22**
- Personalised blueprint of chronic inflammation in health to disease transition, HORIZON-HLTH-2022-STAYHLTH-02-01 **Deadline 21.04.22**

NEW! Nordic Trial Alliance

The Nordic Trial Alliance (NTA) is a NordForsk project to facilitate clinical research co-operation in the Nordic Region and focus on multi-centre clinical trials. Each activity may apply for a maximum of NOK 400,000 in total. The total available funding for the call is NOK 2,000,000.

Deadline: 19 November 2021

Call for proposals Monrad-Krohn's award 2022

Monrad-Krohn's endowment to promote neurological research grants an award every year for outstanding **neuroscientific research** preferably within clinical neurology. Professors of Neurology at universities in Nordic Region can nominate candidates for the award prize. For further information, please see the foundation's website,

https://unifor.no/stiftelser/monrad-krohns-legat-til-fremme-av-neurologisk-forskning/

Deadline: 15 January 2022

Travel Grants

NEW! NFR: Two Postdoctoral Fellowship Positions in Japan

Fellowships may have a duration of 12–24 months (standard fellowship). The postdoctoral research stay must begin in the period from 1 April to 30 November 2022.
Deadline: 7 December

University of Bergen, The Faculty of Medicine *TRAVEL GRANT*

The Faculty of Medicine offers grants for research stays abroad for scientific staff in permanent positions, postdoctoral fellows with UiB-funding and PhD-candidates with UiB-funding. **Deadline 1 March and 1 October each year**

Research Council of Norway *TRAVEL GRANTS*

Scholarship for research stays abroad for 3 -12 months for PhD candidates and Post Doctors in projects with funding from the Research Council. **Deadline: continuing**

Helse Vest *TRAVEL GRANT*

granted for 6 or 12 months. Postdoctoral fellowship applicants are especially encouraged to apply for an overseas fellowship over the course of their fellowship period.
Continuing deadline

ERASMUS+ staff mobility *TRAVEL GRANT*

Subsidising mobility of up to two months, for UiB staff including PhD-candidates and post docs, to attend courses or individual laboratory visits. Also have a look at the list of organized staff mobility weeks.
Deadline: 20 August and 20 January each year

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