



# How to get grants with the support of an university

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## Services of Spin-Off Management



### Inspiration

- Events
- Presentations
- Lectures
- Embassadors
- Entrepreneurs in Residence



### Identification

- Consulting
- Scouting
- Analysis of Potential
- Team-Matching



### Qualification

- Business Plan / - Modell
- Financing
- IP topics
- Offices/ Labs
- Coaching / Training

## Humboldt Spin-Off ZONE



- Pre-Incubation: Preparation, foundation and roll-out phase.
- “Smart Space”: Office and desk space, conference room, creative lounge, post office, copy and server room, consulting and coaching.
- University’s Spin-Off ZONE in the Tech-Park Berlin-Adlershof. Size: approx. 55 workplaces.
- University’s Spin-Off ZONE on the Campus Berlin-Mitte. Size: approx. 50 workplaces.

## Networking at Berliner Gründl



# Coaching Network

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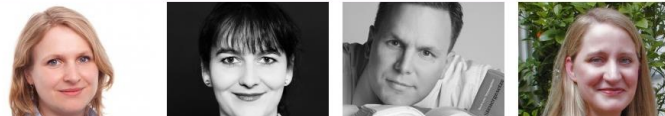


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## How to get grants with the support of an university



### Federal

- Business Start-up Grant
- Transfer of Research programme



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### State of Berlin

- University Startup Factory
- Humboldt's Entrepreneurship Spirit
- Transfer BONUS



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BONUS**

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### Business Start-up Grant (EGS)

- Supports students, graduates and scientists who want to turn their business idea into a business plan. The start-up projects should be innovative technology or knowledge based projects with significant unique features and good commercial prospects of success.
- **Applications accepted on an ongoing basis**
- **Success rate between 70-80%**
- The grant covers personal living expenses:
  - entrepreneurs with a doctorate receive 3,000 euro/month
  - graduates with a university degree receive 2,500 euro/month
  - students receive 1,000 euro/month
  - child benefit: 100 euro/month per child
- materials and equipment: worth up to max. 30,000 euro
- coaching: 5,000 euro
- The maximum period of funding is one year.



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### Business Start-up Grant (EGS)

#### Target Group

- Students who have completed at least half of their studies at the time of applying.
- Young scientists, scholars, and research associates
- University graduates and former academic staff members (up to five years after getting a degree or dropping out).
- Teams of founders with a maximum of 3 persons
- One of the maximum of three team members may have a qualifying professional education and can be funded as the technical staff or one of the team members may have a degree that is more than five years old.

## How to get grants with the support of an university



### Business Start-up Grant (EGS)

#### Requirements for Aid

- The company cannot have been founded yet.
- Startups that focus on a technical product or process innovation or on new and innovative services.
- Innovative startup idea with sustainable prospects of economic success.
- Business idea submitted to the higher education institution in the form of an idea outline.
- The project must be supervised by a mentor from the higher education institution.
- The maximum period of funding is one year.

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### Transfer of Research programme (EFT)

- Phase I Results of research that have the potential of becoming the basis of a start-up business are developed further. Is to carry out resource development to verify technical feasibility, to develop prototypes, to work out a business plan and finally to start up a business.
- Phase I covers personnel expenses/costs for up to four entrepreneur team members (equal to research assistant salaries)
- Additional expenses/costs relating to student assistants and materials/equipment are eligible for funding up to an amount of 250,000 euro. It is granted for a period of 18 (or up to 36) months.
- Phase II deals with further resource development, measures to start business operations in the newly created technology venture as well as meeting the prerequisites for external business financing.
- During phase II of funding, a non-repayable grant of up to 180,000 euro can be granted. This, however, may be at most 75% of the specific cost of the project.

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### University Startup Factory

Teams of up to four persons receive

- a monthly scholarship of 1.500 Euro
- access to the universities „Gründerhäusern“ (office space)
- individual coaching
- events

The application is open to university graduates with a technology-based business concept and technical or complementary skills that are necessary to implement the start-up projects. The founding teams will be supervised by the respective university and will benefit from the close connection to research groups and to technical infrastructure. Further criteria for the scholarship are a full-time dedication to the start-up project and a residence in Berlin.

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### Humboldt's Entrepreneurship Spirit

Single founders as well as teams receive access to

- the universities „Gründerhaus“(coworking space)
- individual coaching
- events
- seminars and workshops
- a vast startup related network

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### Transfer BONUS

#### Transfer BONUS

Do you have a small or medium-sized company and are looking to develop your products and services further? Would you like to step up innovation and secure your company's future? And do you need the support of a scientific institution? Then you should make use of the Transfer BONUS. This support programme helps to finance co-operation between companies and scientific institutions from Berlin and Brandenburg.

- 100% grant up to 3.000 EUR
- 70% grant up to 15.000 EUR
- 70% grant up to 45.000 EUR for digitalization projects



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Branch: Education

2008



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Branch: Mobile Services

2007



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**Babbel**

Branch: Web 2.0 - Language

2013



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Branch: Technische Informatik

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