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We will accept applications on a rolling basis. Proposals should be sent to:

AIH Coordination Team  AIH-Coordination@dkfz.de

**AI Health Bridge Stipend**

The AI Health Innovation Cluster invites for applications for career-bridging grants for current doctoral students, post-doctoral researchers, and scientific associates to supportcollaborative, ***interdisciplinary*** projects.

Through the AIH bridge program, highly qualified ***AI researchers*** working on ***health and life scientific*** topics can close the gap between their current employment and next career move.

*Funding*

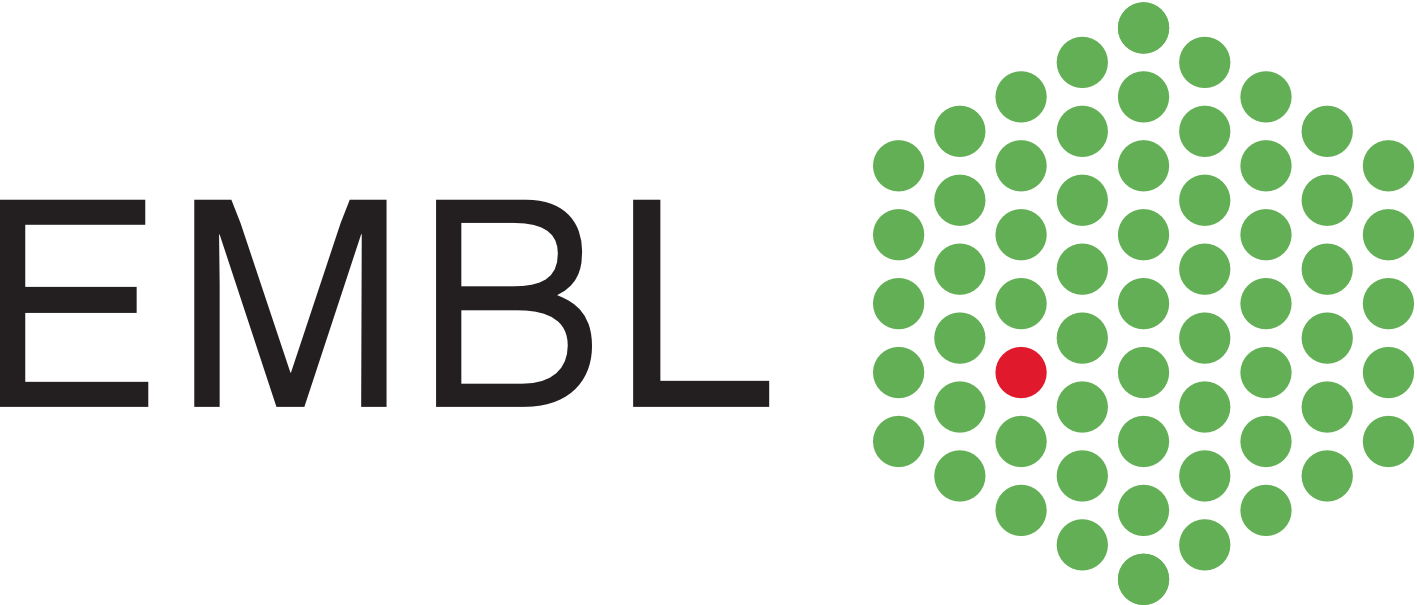
Projects may be funded for a duration between 3 and up to 12 months. The funding period must be completed by December 31, 2024 at the latest.

*Eligibility*

Current ***doctoral students, post-docs,*** and ***staff scientists*** employed at one of the following institutions:

EMBL | DKFZ | Uni Heidelberg | MPI for Medical Research | UKHD | UMM | ZI

The purpose of this grant is to foster novel ***collaborations***. Successful applicants need to demonstrate that their projects bridge institutions, disciplines or help to establish new ***international*** partnerships.

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**AI Health Innovation Cluster**

an initiative of the Innovation Campus Heidelberg Mannheim Health & Life Sciences

**Application for Bridge Stipend**

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| Applicant Name |  |
| Number of months requested (grant period must end before Dec. 31, 2024) |  |

**What is your career level? Please indicate your current role:**

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|  | Doctoral Student |
|  | Post Doctoral Researcher |
|  | Associate Scientist / Staff Scientist |
|  | Other (please specify) |

**Where do you currently work?**

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|  | EMBL |
|  | DKFZ |
|  | Heidelberg University |
|  | Max Planck Institute for Medical Research |
|  | UKHD |
|  | UMM |
|  | ZI |

**Broadly, what is your field of research?**

*Which disciplines does it encompass?*

**What project(s) will you work on during the extension period?**

*Background, research question, methods*

**Please describe the implications of the above results in your field, as well as societal impact.**

**Your own publications (list):**

**Please tell us about the interinstitutional, collaborative nature of your research:**

*What are the other institutions you collaborate – or plan to collaborate – with?*

*What is the impact of this collaboration, especially with regards to the promotion of AI research in the region?*

*How do your joint activities support this purpose?*

*How will this fellowship support this collaboration?*

**Describe your plans for further research output, as a result of this bridge stipend.**

*Conferences, publications, workshops, etc*

**What are your plans after your current position? How would this bridge stipend support your success?**

**Proposal guidelines**

1. Please follow these proposal template, including guide length of individual sections strictly; font size 11, line spacing 1.05, margins: top 1.5”, bottom 1”, left 1”, right 1”
2. Please submit your proposal via email to
   * [aih-coordination@dkfz-heidelberg.de](mailto:aih-coordination@dkfz-heidelberg.de).