



The Final Call for Applications

Aurora and Aurora II award scholarships for studies, research and administrative visits in European universities.

Application deadline is 11 December 2014 for mobilities starting autumn 2015.

Scholarships are available for Russian nationals in **doctorate, post-doctorate and staff levels**.

Grants Available

Duration of mobility can vary from one month to 22 months. Applications are welcome to European universities:

- University of Turku, Finland
- University of Bologna, Italy
- University of Deusto, Spain
- University of Groningen, the Netherlands
- Humboldt University Berlin, Germany
- University of Latvia, Latvia
- University of Leuven, Belgium
- Masaryk University, Czech Republic
- University of Tartu, Estonia
- University of Warsaw, Poland

Who can apply?

Applicants to Aurora and Aurora II must:

- be citizens of Russia (all applicants)
- be enrolled to a Higher Education Institution OR have graduated from a Higher Education Institution in Russia (doctorate & post-doctorate applicants)
- be employed by or associated to a Russian Higher Education Institution (staff applicants)

In addition the doctorate and post-doctorate applicants must

- not have resided nor have carried out their main activity (studies, work etc.) for more than a total of 12 months over the last five years in one of the European countries

Online application system opens on 14 October 2014. All applications are expected latest by 11 December 2014, 14:00 Finnish time (GMT +2). Required enclosures must be submitted via email latest by 18 December 2014, 14:00 Finnish time (GMT +2).

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