

## CRC/TRR 289 international early career research fellowship “Treatment Expectation Research Fellowship”

- Outstanding early career researchers (postdocs) in medicine, psychology, biology, neuroscience, or related disciplines working on treatment expectation, placebo/nocebo research, and related fields can apply for the CRC/TRR 289 research fellowship
- The goal of the fellowship is to facilitate international exchange and networking activities of early career researchers and to foster international collaborations within the CRC/TRR 289
- The fellowship includes a laboratory visit for up to 6 months at one of the research sites of the CRC/TRR 289 (University Duisburg-Essen, University of Hamburg, Philipps-University Marburg). The CRC/TRR 289 will cover travel expenses and accommodation, as well as consumables or other research-related laboratory costs (e.g., scanning costs) with up to 20,000 € in total
- Application deadline is September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021; laboratory visits shall start between January and June 2022
- The fellow must acknowledge the CRC/TRR 289 as the source of funding in publications arising from the supported work
- The fellow must submit a detailed progress report within 1 year after the end of the laboratory visit

### Eligibility Requirements:

- Postdoc within 6 years after having received their doctorate degree

### The application should include the following documents:

- Project proposal (up to 800 words, excluding references)
- Letter of motivation
- Curriculum vitae
- At least 1 letter of recommendation
- Letter of consent of the German laboratory director
- A budget proposal
- Doctoral certificate (normal copy)

Applications shall be sent to [katharina.schmidt@uk-essen.de](mailto:katharina.schmidt@uk-essen.de) and will be reviewed by a dedicated reviewing board of members of the CRC/TRR 289 as well as external reviewers. Judgements will be made based on the scientific merit of the proposed research and the qualifications of the applicant.