



Application for a Dioscuri Centre of Scientific Excellence

NOTE! This is an offline version of the application form for the third call for Dioscuri Centres. It was designed for your information and preparation only. Offline application forms will not be accepted.

All applications must be submitted online:

https://lotus2.gwdg.de/mpg/mmgv/dioscuri/dioscuri_2020.nsf/homepage

1. Basic Information of Applicant

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Gender: Female Male Other

Date of Birth [Day] [Month] [Year]

Place of Birth Country City

Date of Obtaining PhD [Day] [Month] [Year]

Place of Obtaining PhD Country Institution

Is the applicant eligible for extension of 15 years after PhD*? Yes** No

*for more information please refer to the call announcement available at:

<https://www.mpg.de/dioscuri>

**YES, if female: Number of children [Select number]

**YES, if male: Number of months of parental leave [Select number]

Postal Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

URL of Home Page: _____

List of no more than 5 important publications (including author contribution statement¹)
(publications listed here are to be provided as pdf documents, see upload link below)

¹ Please state your individual contribution to each of the five publications [as percentage, to be indicated behind the respective publication].



2. Basic Information of the Planned Dioscuri Centre

Scientific Discipline: Please select one discipline:

Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

- Fundamental questions of human existence and the nature of reality
- Culture
- The study of the human past
- Individuals, institutions, markets
- Norms and governance
- Human nature and human society

Life Sciences

- Molecular biology, structural biology, biotechnology
- Genetics, genomics
- Cellular and developmental biology
- Biology of tissues, organs and organisms
- Human and animal non-infectious diseases
- Human and animal immunology and infection
- Diagnostic tools, therapies and public health
- Evolutionary and environmental biology
- Applied life sciences and biotechnology

Natural Sciences and Technology

- Mathematics
- Fundamental constituents of matter
- Condensed matter physics
- Physical and analytical chemical sciences
- Materials and synthesis
- Computer science and informatics
- Systems and communication engineering
- Products and processes engineering
- Astronomy and space research
- Earth sciences

Title of the Proposed Dioscuri Centre (DC): _____

Name of Polish Host Institution: _____

Name of Partner from Germany: _____



Short abstract of the research concept [must not exceed 1500 characters (with spaces)]:

3. Basic Information of Partner from Germany

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Home Institution: _____

Postal Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

URL of Home Page: _____

List of no more than 5 important publications
(publications listed here are to be provided as pdf documents, see upload link below)

4. Basic Information of Polish Host Institution

Name of Institution: _____

Address: _____

Name of Partner at Institution / Head of Unit: _____

5. Budget

Budget Table

The entire budget must not exceed € 325,000 per calendar year^[2] and € 1,625,000 in total. Please note that you can only enter numbers below the annual and overall sum into the table. Should your entries exceed the budget limits, you will not be able to submit your application.

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Salary Director ³					
Salaries other DC members					
Research-related costs ⁴					
Costs of joint activities with the Partner					
Annual sum					
Total sum					

Indicative **budget outline** for five years of DC operations including personnel costs (number of DC members; estimated amount of their salaries), research-related costs and costs of joint activities with the Partner from Germany [must not exceed 3000 characters (with spaces)].

Information on ongoing grant applications

If an application for funding of this research project has also been submitted to a third party, please provide information on a) name of the grant/provider of the grant, b) amount of the grant, c) when a decision about the application is expected.

² The 325,000 € p.a. include funding from the Dioscuri Programme as well as from the Host institution. This budget does not include infrastructure and other resources provided by the Host Institution. For more detailed regulations, please consult the Call for Dioscuri Centres.

³ Personnel costs (salary of the DC leader and all DC members) comprise the total costs of the employer. Doctoral scholarships (for PhD students) include only social contributions.

⁴ These include: travel costs, consumables, small devices, publications, outreach activities. For more detailed regulations, please consult the Call for Dioscuri Centres.



6. Requirements from Host Institution

List and short description of particular items and resources required from the Host Institution (special infrastructure; scientific equipment etc.)

File Upload

Please upload the following documents in PDF format.

- Applicant's CV (must not exceed two pages)
- Complete list of applicant's publications
- Complete list of applicant's invited lectures
- No more than 5 important publications of the applicant [upload fields for 5 PDFs]

- CV of Partner from Germany (must not exceed two pages)
- Complete list of Partner's publications
- Complete list of Partner's invited lectures
- No more than 5 important publications of the Partner [upload fields for 5 PDFs]

- Justification for choosing the Host Institution (must not exceed one page)
- Justification for selecting the Partner from Germany (must not exceed one page)

- Short concept (must not exceed 5 pages, including references)
- Full concept (must not exceed 15 pages, including references)

Please complete and sign the following forms (you can download the forms at https://lotus2.gwdg.de/mpg/mmgv/dioscuri/dioscuri_2020.nsf/homepage). Each form must be uploaded as a scan with signature as a PDF file. The signed original of each form MUST be sent via post:

- Attachment 1: Declaration of the Applicant
- Attachment 2: Declaration of the Polish Host Institution
- Attachment 3: Letter of Intent of the Partner from Germany

Please ensure that all data is correct before submitting your application. You cannot change your data or files after clicking SUBMIT.

After successfully submitting your application, you will receive a confirmation via e-mail.