

HERRENHAUSEN CONFERENCE
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RELIGIOUS PLURALISATION - A CHALLENGE FOR MODERN SOCIETIES

Travel Grants

The Volkswagen Foundation offers up to 30 Travel Grants for young researchers who wish to attend the conference. For more information about the program please visit <http://www.volkswagenstiftung.de/pluralisation>. We are inviting Ph.D. students or early Postdocs (max. 5 years since Ph.D.) working on independent and challenging projects in the field of religious pluralization, or in a field for which religious pluralisation is crucial to apply for a travel grant.

Applicants are required to apply until **March 30, 2016** by using the application form at <https://form.jotformeu.com/51883703608359>

Please note that we are not able to consider applications after this deadline. The travel grant covers attendance, accommodation and travel expenses (excl. cab fares, parking, food and beverages while travelling as well as poster printing costs).

One project – three slides – three minutes!

Recipients of the travel grants are required to present their project in a three minutes “Lightening Talk” as well as on a poster to be shown and explained in a poster session. Every presenter has three minutes to present his / her project. Powerpoint, etc. can be used, but please limit yourself to max. 3 slides.

Your application should contain the following:

1. A short tabular C.V.
2. A short description of your research focus that explains how your approach tackles the challenges emerging from the interdisciplinary field of research on religious pluralisation and argues why we should select your project
3. An abstract of the project you want to present
4. Your publications (max. 5).

Participants will be selected by a steering committee of interdisciplinary researchers from different fields of expertise. Acceptance will be based on qualification of the applicant as well as originality and potential of the research project. We will inform the applicants about the results by **April 30th, 2016**.

If your application has been accepted, a room will be booked for you and we will send you all necessary information regarding travel, accommodation, poster size and visa. Please, only register for the conference beforehand if you plan to visit the conference regardless of your application's acceptance.

Queries

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