



Call for Participation

Alexander von Humboldt
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Virtual Humboldt Colloquium

„Top Global Research“ and the Humboldt Network: New Frontiers of German-Japanese Scientific Cooperation

17-18 November 2022

Dear Early Career Researcher,

The Alexander von Humboldt Foundation is organising a virtual Humboldt Colloquium and forwarding this Call for Participation to you.

The Alexander von Humboldt Foundation promotes academic cooperation between excellent scientists and scholars from Germany and countries around the world. Every year, the Humboldt Foundation enables more than 2,000 researchers from all over the world to spend time conducting research in Germany. The Foundation maintains an interdisciplinary network of well over 30,000 Humboldtians in more than 140 countries around the world – including 57 Nobel Prize winners (<https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/>).

With this virtual Humboldt Colloquium, the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation aims at establishing, renewing and deepening scientific as well as personal contacts between active Humboldt Fellows and Early Career Researchers who may be planning a research stay in Germany.

This event provides a forum for presenting and discussing current research activities and future initiatives on an interdisciplinary level in parallel workshops. In these workshops, Early Career Researchers from all fields will have the opportunity to present their current work to more senior and established researchers with strong international experience and connections.

The Humboldt Colloquium will be preceded by a satellite event on 16 November 2022, exclusively dedicated to you. During the event, scientists and scholars will give short insight on their experiences as Humboldtians. The lectures will be followed by a discussion and Q&A session as well as an information workshop. Additionally, you will have the opportunity to get in contact with the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation's staff and our cooperation partners who will offer consulting on your career plans in the context of international mobility.

The conference languages will be English and German. The choice of the conference language in the respective sessions should enable all participants to interact actively.

The preliminary programme of the Virtual Humboldt Colloquium can be downloaded [here](#).

Please register until **9 October**, 2022 under the following link:
<https://www.avh-japan.de.>

Please note: For reasons of data protection, you need to create your own personal account in order to get access to our website.

To create your own account, please use the following password: **ecr_2022**

The preliminary programme, some general information as well as advice for presenting talks are also available on this site.

Contribute to the programme of the colloquium by giving an “Elevator Pitch”

What is an “Elevator Pitch”?

An Elevator Pitch is a 5-minute presentation on your research. If you wish, you can prepare one slide for your presentation. During your Elevator Pitch, try to answer the following key question:

- What is my research about?
- Why does it matter?
- What do I hope to achieve in the future?

All proposals for an Elevator Pitch will be reviewed by the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation. The selection is based on the quality of the abstracts, curricula vitae and lists of publications submitted. All applicants will be notified by **17 October 2022**.

We are looking forward to your participation.

Yours sincerely,

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