



# Diversity and global connections grants

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## Grants for Incoming Scholars

**What:** Grants for early researchers (MSc, PhD, postdocs) from SPIRIT countries visiting the University of Bern's Faculty of Science.

**Duration:** 2 weeks to 3 months.

**Grant Amount:** Up to 10,000 CHF covering travel, accommodation, and visa costs.

**Eligibility:** Early career scholars from SPIRIT countries. Application through host group at Faculty of Science, UNIBE.

**Requirements:** Report & outreach activity post-exchange.

Application Components: Application form (details of exchange & outreach), budget plan, CV, host support letter.

## Grants for Outgoing Activities

**What:** Grants for outreach activities in SPIRIT countries for University of Bern's Faculty of Science employees.

**Grant Amount:** Up to 10,000 CHF covering travel, accommodation, and outreach activity.

**Eligibility:** All employees of the Phil Nat faculty.

**Goal:** Promote scientific exchange & education in host country.

Application Components: Application form (details of activity & its benefits), budget plan, CV, host institute support letter.

## Grants for activities at the Faculty of Science

**What:** Support events/processes in Switzerland addressing equal opportunity challenges.

**Grant Amount:** Up to 5,000 CHF.

**Eligibility:** All employees of the Phil Nat faculty.

**Examples:** Workshops on equal opportunity, outreach for underprivileged kids in STEM, hiring process improvements, etc.

Application Components: Application form (details of activity & its promotion of equal opportunity), budget plan, CV.

**For detailed information and to apply, visit:**

**[philnat.unibe.ch/about\\_us/equal\\_opportunities/funding\\_schemes](http://philnat.unibe.ch/about_us/equal_opportunities/funding_schemes) or scan the QR code.**

