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Call for scholarships from Lars Hellberg's fund for younger researchers in Nordic languages (or equivalent), who work interdisciplinary

The Royal Gustav Adolf's Academy for Swedish Folk Culture hereby invites applications for (a maximum of five) scholarships from Lars Hellberg's fund "to young researchers in Nordic languages who work interdisciplinary", as stated in the fund's statutes. The projects are meant not to exceed 12 months.

The invitation is aimed at younger researchers in Scandinavia, but also outside of Scandinavia, who work interdisciplinary in the spirit of Lars Hellberg's legacy within Nordic Languages/Swedish Language, Scandinavian/Old Norse Philology, Scandinavian studies, Skandinavistik or equivalent. By younger researchers is understood those who have not yet started a doctoral program, who are in the process of completing a doctoral program, or who completed their dissertation less than ten years ago. However, doctoral students with full funding will not be prioritized.

The activity may, for example, be used for conducting a minor research project; result in a publication; constitute partial funding of an ongoing project; have the purpose of creating networks for an upcoming project application; but may also include other types of research activities.

The outlined activity must be completed by May the 31st, 2024 at the latest, and a report of the research activity is to be sent to the Academy by June the 30th, 2024 at the latest.

The funding is paid out as a scholarship. Costs for travel and subsistence in connection with the research should be included in the application. An awarded scholarship is paid out to the recipient personally.

Applicants must submit their application to The Royal Gustav Adolf's Academy (in which it should be stated it relates to "Lars Hellberg's fund"). The application can be written in any Scandinavian language, English or German. The application should not exceed 20,000 characters and must clearly state how the applicant plans to use the funds. A brief CV and any certificates/references must be attached to the application.

The application must be with The Royal Gustav Adolf's Academy for Swedish Folk Culture (at the address: ansokan@gustavadolfsakademien.se) no later than March the 31st, 2023. A special appointed committee will evaluate the applications and then draft a proposal for the Academy's board, which will decide how to allocate the scholarships on April the 26th, 2023.

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