

# Fellowships on Human Aging Research



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The International Max Planck Research School on the Individual and Social Consequences and Policy Implications of Longer Lives and Population Aging (IMPRSLong) is seeking applications for up to

## 12 Doctoral Fellowships

IMPRSLong is a new three-year doctoral school launched by the Max Planck Society's MaxNetAging program. The school focuses on topics of human aging ranging across the full spectrum of the behavioral and social sciences, law and the humanities. Twelve Max Planck Institutes participate:

- MPI for Art History, Florence, Italy
- MPI for Demographic Research, Rostock
- MPI for Economics, Jena
- MPI for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig
- MPI for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Freiburg
- MPI for Human Cognitive and Brain Sciences, Leipzig
- MPI for the History of Science, Berlin
- MPI for Human Development, Berlin
- MPI for Research on Collective Goods, Bonn
- MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle
- MPI for Social Law, München
- MPI for the Study of Societies, Köln

Each doctoral fellow enrolled in IMPRSLong will be affiliated with one of the twelve Max Planck Institutes. During the first nine months of IMPRSLong, from mid-October 2007 to mid-July 2008, all doctoral fellows will study together at the Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research in Rostock. Fellows will attend lectures and seminars on a broad range of topics in aging research and develop the topic of their doctoral dissertation. Instruction will be in English. At the end of the first nine months, fellows will go to the Max Planck Institute they are affiliated with, and spend the next 27 months writing their dissertation. Fellows will meet, together with other MaxNetAging scientists and a few invited speakers, twice a year at a research workshop.

Visit [www.demogr.mpg.de/go/imprslong/](http://www.demogr.mpg.de/go/imprslong/) for examples of research questions that might be addressed.

Students with an excellent MA degree or its equivalent are eligible to apply for a fellowship to the IMPRSLong program. Applications should include a cover letter describing research interests and relevant experience, curriculum vitae, one letter of recommendation and MA/BA/Diploma certificates. Applicants should indicate the Max Planck Institute they wish to be affiliated with.

The Max Planck Society wishes to increase the share of women in areas where they are underrepresented, and strongly encourages women to apply. The Max Planck Society is committed to employing more handicapped individuals and especially encourages them to apply.

Applications should be sent by e-mail ([IMPRSLong@demogr.mpg.de](mailto:IMPRSLong@demogr.mpg.de)) to Prof. James W. Vaupel. Email inquiries concerning the application process and other aspects of IMPRSLong should also be sent to [IMPRSLong@demogr.mpg.de](mailto:IMPRSLong@demogr.mpg.de).

Applications should be submitted as soon as possible. Review of applications will begin on receipt and will continue until all fellowship positions have been filled.

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