



# PHD SCHOLARSHIPS: Sylff Mikrokolleg on Forced Migration

The Tokyo Foundation and RUB Research School invite excellent young researchers to apply for one of three doctoral research grants of the Ryoichi Sasakawa Young Leaders Fellowship Fund (Sylff).

We are looking for candidates with a background in Law, Psychology, Social Science und Religious Studies or a related subject and a clear commitment towards interdisciplinary cooperation. Successful applicants will be part of a small interdisciplinary graduate school (Mikrokolleg) and work on the overarching topic of Forced Migration at RUB.

## INTERDISCIPLINARITY AT ITS BEST PERSPECTIVES & TOPICS

The International Organisation for Migration defines *Forced Migration* as a cross-border "migratory movement in which an element of coercion exists, including threats to life and livelihood, whether arising from natural or man-made causes". Projects can be submitted for the following research perspectives, supervised by the mentioned professors:

- **Ambiguity & Cleansing: Religious Fundamentalism as a Root of Forced Migration** | [Prof. Dr. Dieter Haller, Social Sciences](#)

- **Mental health of individuals exposed to forced migration** | [Prof. Dr. Silvia Schneider, Department of Clinical Child & Adolescent Psychology](#)
- **International Refugee & Migration Law** | [Prof. Dr. Pierre Thielbörger, Institute for International Law of Peace and Armed Conflict \(IFHV\)](#)
- **Urban borderwork** | [Prof. Dr. Margit Fauser, Social Sciences](#)

## APPLICATION - DEADLINE PROLONGED!

Apply with an individual research project linked to one of the research perspectives until April 14, 2023.

Click [here](#) for more information on the application procedure and research perspectives.

## THE GRANT

The grantees will receive a monthly funding of 1,500€ for a period of three years, starting in Summer 2023. They can take advantage of the many offers and funding possibilities of RUB Research School and Tokyo Foundation and will be integrated in research activities on Forced Migration at RUB.

Any Questions? Contact [Dr. Sarah Gemicioğlu](#)