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Media Advisory: Grants for Journalists Covering Lindau Meetings 2025 74th Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting: 29 June – 4 July (Chemistry) #LINO25 8th Lindau Nobel Meeting in Economic Sciences: 26 – 30 August #LINOecon

Travel & Accommodation Grants

We are again awarding travel and accommodation grants, this time for journalists with a passion for chemistry and economic sciences. Media representatives who would like to cover the 74th Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting or the 8th Lindau Nobel Meeting in Economic Sciences are invited to apply until mid-March specifically for the respective meeting.

The Council for the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings will pay for accommodation for up to five (#LINO25) or four (#LINOecon) nights and reimburse the travel costs (up to a certain pre-defined amount).

Lindau Meetings 2025

Traditionally, Young Scientists from around 100 countries meet more than 30 Nobel Laureates from the natural sciences, around 20 Laureates in Economic Sciences respectively, among them some of the most recent recipients of the Nobel Prize.

The programme includes numerous Lectures, Panel Discussions, and Agora Talks. In addition, there are plenty of opportunities for informal exchange with the meeting participants on the fringes of the sessions as well as during the Social Events. The communications team will try to arrange for interview appointments with Laureates and Young Scientists.

74th Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting

Key themes of the 2025 Meeting, besides general current research in Chemistry, will revolve around:

- Artificial Intelligence in Chemistry: How Is It Changing the Game?
- Can a Circular Chemistry Conceptual Framework Be Adopted as a Way Forward to Sustainability?
- The Importance of Science Diplomacy
- Science Communication in a Connected/Wired World



A preliminary programme will be available online in spring 2025 (for a similar meeting, see structure of 2022 Chemistry Meeting).

8th Lindau Nobel Meeting in Economic Sciences

The Economics Meeting will focus on:

- Research and Innovation in a Tripolar World
- Institutions and Development
- Stability of Financial Systems
- New Approaches to Climate Policies and International Climate Cooperation

Preliminary programme available online also in spring 2025 (for a similar meeting, see structure of 2022 Economics Meeting).

Application for the Travel Grant

Journalists worldwide can apply by filling in the form for the specific Meeting they would like to attend and cover, see below.

The application requires:

- your specific interest in the respective meeting and its participants
- your plans for coverage (type and extent of work produced)
- the media outlet where you aim to publish your articles/pieces
- your social media handles by which you promote the coverage
- CV summary for your professional experience/current position
- links to 2–3 samples of your work

Restriction

We intend to offer participation in the grant programme to as many different media representatives as possible. Therefore, journalists who received a travel grant before can unfortunately not be considered again.

Timeline

The application deadline for both meetings is 15 March 2025. Applicants will be notified of the results in April.



Accommodation and Travel Reimbursement Process

Upon acceptance for a 2025 media grant, we will **offer an amount for covering the travel costs**. The awardees will receive a link for selfregistration. Having received the registration, the communications team will book a hotel room in Lindau for the confirmed dates. The reimbursement of the travel costs will take place after the respective Meeting based on the submitted travel expense report including the tickets.

As part of the application process, we recommend that you take a look at your travel route to Lindau in advance to find out which travel dates would be feasible.

On arrival at the event venue, travel grant recipients will receive tickets for the local busses that can be used during the meeting week.

Application Forms

Please apply for one of the travel grant programmes: <u>Application for a #LINO25 travel grant</u> (Chemistry) Application for a #LINOecon travel grant (Economics)

Media Accreditation

The general accreditation process for the 2025 Lindau Meetings, independent of the travel grant programme, will start in April.

Contact for Questions

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The Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings: Our Ambition and History

For over seventy years, the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings have served as unique forum for exchange between Nobel Laureates and Young Scientists. Every summer, more than 600 of the world's most talented Young Scientists and more than 30 Nobel Laureates are invited to spend a week in Lindau on the German side of Lake Constance, a week full of mutual inspiration and scientific encounters.

Since the first Meeting in 1951, more than 36,000 Young Scientists have participated in the Lindau Meetings – for many of them, it has been an experience that has changed their careers and lives, making them part of a unique international network of scientific excellence. Even after years and decades, they are still connected with each other and with the Lindau Meetings through the Lindau Alumni Network.

The original idea of the Meetings goes back to two physicians based in Lindau, Franz Karl Hein and Gustav Wilhelm Parade, as well as to Count Lennart Bernadotte af Wisborg, a member of the Swedish royal family who quickly became the spiritus rector of the Lindau Meetings. From the start, they saw the Meetings as a means to reconcile the peoples of postwar Europe, in particular, the younger generation. Lindau quickly developed into an international forum for the exchange of knowledge between nations, cultures, traditions, and disciplines.

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