

Become a Fellow with the German- Chancellor Fellowship Programme for the German Solar Association in Berlin

You are a young professional from the USA, Brazil, Russia or India with ambitions to do a research project on Solar Energy in Germany? Apply for the German-Chancellor research fellowship with BSW-Solar as your host institution!

Germany as the country with the highest on-grid solar energy penetration per capita is the country where many new technologies have to be developed to integrate large amounts of fluctuating renewable energies into the electricity grid. Thus it is a superb research object for all kinds of question of technical, business or social society related implication for doing research on that field. Of particular interest are questions of grid integration, storage, block chain technology in the energy sector as well as sector coupling, new business models for the energy sector including solar electricity or heat, etc.

The German Solar Association has been host institution for several researchers from the USA and India coming with the German Chancellor Fellowship Programme managed by the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation for young leaders in the past. BSW-Solar as host institution can offer researchers superb access to all kinds of institutions, companies and non-governmental organizations in the sector and often to conferences and relevant events, too. To a limited amount we can contribute from a practical viewpoint to enhance research results. We are part of a strong international network of associations worldwide to exchange best practices to promote the use of solar energy.

What should you do if you want to become Research-Fellow with the German Solar Association from July 2020 for up to 13 months on a well-paid scholarship programme and want us to support your application for the fellowship?

- Please consider the formal eligibility conditions for the programme:
<https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/german-chancellor-fellowship.html>
- If you are eligible and interested, please send the following documents until 04 September 2019 to knaack@bsw-solar.de
 - CV
 - Short letter of motivation
 - Draft for your research project of 2 to 5 pages related to your field of research in solar energy.
- Have a fair command of German to be able to smoothly communicate in the office and counterparts (at least B1 level) as well as preferably some relation to Germany or Germanophonic countries.

For further questions, please get in touch with us:

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