



# The work of the German Contact Point „Women into EU Research“

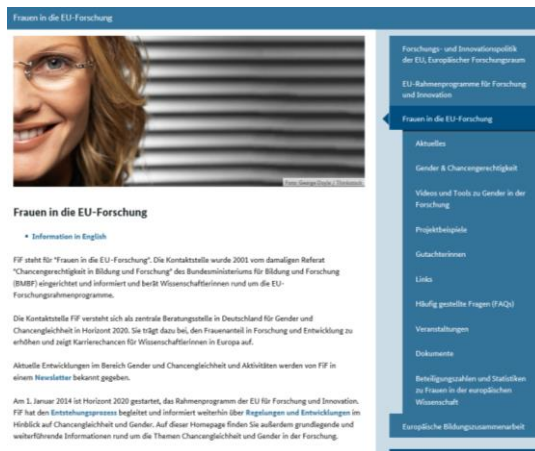
NCP Webinar „Introducing Gender Issues and the Gender Equality Plan in Horizon Europe“  
11 March 2021; Speaker: Astrid Schwarzenberger



# Inhalte

- Who / what is the Contact Point FiF?
- What does FiF offer?
- What is outside our scope?
- What are the main requests?
- How to contact us

# Contact Point Women into EU Research Kontaktstelle Frauen in die EU-Forschung (FiF)



## About FiF:

- Initiative by German Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) in 2001
- Part of the German NCP network
- Situated within DLR Project Management Agency (DLR-PT) (responsible for coordination of German NCP network and comprising a large share of German NCPs)
- Two persons, part-time



**GENDER  
ACTION**  
GENDER EQUALITY IN THE ERA COMMUNITY  
TO INNOVATE POLICY IMPLEMENTATION

# Contact Point Women into EU Research

## Kontaktstelle **F**rauen **i**n die EU-**F**orschung (FiF)

- Information on gender equality and participation of women scientists as well as Gender in EU research
- Advice (phone/e-mail) e.g. on proposal writing, registration as expert (evaluation), gender dimension in research
- Different event formats for universities / RPOs, tailored to their needs; ranging from 30 min. online interventions or 1-day-exchanges of experiences to 2 full days in Brussels (for women scientists)
- Newsletter
- <http://www.eubuero.de/fif.htm>

“one stop shop” for (primarily) women researchers for advice and support regarding Horizon

# Contact Point Women into EU Research Kontaktstelle Frauen in die EU-Forschung (FiF)

## Limitations:

- Requests for detailed theme-specific advice / scientific contents (→ NCPs!)
- Advice on how to install a Gender Equality Plan
- Information to individuals or institutions outside Germany
- Information on grants/funding other than Horizon

# Contact Point Women into EU Research

## Kontaktstelle **F**rauen **i**n die EU-**F**orschung (FiF)

„Hottest topics“ (most frequently requested) so far:

- scientists:  
funding information, especially basic info on individual grants (ERC, MSC)
- research advisors at universities:  
gender dimension in research (examples, eye-openers e.g. from „Gendered innovations“ website)



## Contact information

Contact Point Women into EU Research / Kontaktstelle Frauen in die EU-Forschung  
(FiF)

DLR Project Management Agency / DLR Projektträger

Heinrich-Konen-Str. 1

53227 Bonn

Germany

<http://www.eubuero.de>, <http://www.eubuero.de/fif.htm>

Astrid Schwarzenberger

[astrid.schwarzenberger@dlr.de](mailto:astrid.schwarzenberger@dlr.de)

0228 3821-1659

Nadine Heller-Genath

[nadine.heller@dlr.de](mailto:nadine.heller@dlr.de)

0228 3821-1635

N.N.

# FiF as part of EU project GENDERACTION

GENDER equality in the ERA Community To Innovate policy implementation

- GENDERACTION is reaching out to all NCP Network Projects and NCPs, offering to **organize webinars** between April-September 2021 on **gender equality** and/or more specific topics such as **Gender Equality Plans (GEPs)**  
→ please disseminate this info to members of NCP networks / projects.
- If you are interested in such a webinar, please use the form uploaded to the [GENDERACTION website](#).
- In this form, simply indicate the topics of interest related to the thematic area – thus allowing us to organize a webinar that best suits the needs.