

Diversify Archaeology (DARCH) Fund

Call for Applications

Faculty of Archaeology (FdA) announces a pilot funding scheme to assist small-scale projects that contribute to diversifying archaeological practice in all domains, including classrooms, laboratories, museums, and the field.

Project ideas include, but are not limited to:

- organizing (guest)lectures and workshops,
- producing audio-visual material (e.g., short videos, infographics),
- connecting FdA's diversity efforts with other faculties and organizations,
- testing community engagement and citizen-science ideas,
- community building.

FdA is particularly looking for projects that would contribute the diversity mission of the faculty: <https://edu.nl/d8gqv>

Who can apply?

- All academic, visiting, and support staff with full-time/part-time contracts at the Faculty of Archaeology.
- Students at the Faculty of Archaeology
- Please note the exception for the members of Faculty Board, Faculty Council, and the Diversity Committee

How to apply?

Please complete the application form and send it to diversity@arch.leidenuniv.nl by **1 December 2022**.

What is the funding structure?

The evaluation committee encourages small-scale student-led projects. For making funds available to more projects, we ask budget requests not to exceed 500 Euros. However, it is still possible to apply for a larger grant (max 1,000 Euros).

The evaluation committee will be composed as follows:

- Diversity Committee (two members)
- Faculty Council (one member)
- Faculty Board (one member)

The DARCH budget cannot be used for:

- conference/fieldwork participation,
- purchasing (digital) material: books, magazines, journal subscriptions, etc.,
- buying hardware or proprietary software

Project Deliverables

Following the final date of the project applicant(s) should provide a brief report (max 2,000 words) detailing the successes and failures of the project and providing recommendations to the Diversity Committee, Faculty Council, and the Faculty Board.

Project Timeline

Final date for applications	1 December 2022
Announcement of funding results (expected)	15 December 2022
Starting date of the project:	15 January 2023
Proposed end date of the project:	15 December 2023
Final date of project report:	15 January 2024