

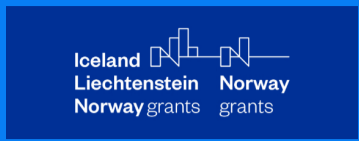


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Baltic edition

Baltic Centre for Media Excellence has prepared this newsletter for you. Here you will find information about grants, webinars, workshops and other opportunities. Project is supported by the Fund for Bilateral Relations of the EEA and Norwegian Financial Mechanisms 2014-2021.

Best wishes,
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Highlights

Funding | Opportunities

Local Cross-Border Journalism Grant

This grant programme supports local cross-border investigative teams of professional journalists and/or news outlets to bring the locals to the European level as well as to local citizens all over Europe.

The key aspect of this programme is the cross-border collaboration, which will allow interested local journalists and/or media outlets to explore possible solutions using expansive resources. This project also aims to spur more critical thinking about society's pressing problems, increase the level of debate, and foster civic engagement. The grant can also offer support to preliminary work in the development of new investigative and in-depth projects.

Deadline - July 7, 2022

[More information](#)

Journalismfund.eu supports cross-border investigative reporting

Professional journalists who have an idea for research on European stories can apply for funding.

Journalismfund.eu organises the 2022 European Cross-Border Grants to support cross-border investigative journalism in Europe.

The grants are intended for teams of professional journalists from at least two different countries in Europe.

A total of EUR 200, 000 will be distributed over four rounds. Teams can also apply for a mentor to provide assistance during the investigation.

Deadline - August 18, 2022

[More information](#)

Opportunities

International Media Support seeks program manager

Experienced professionals can apply for this job!

International Media Support (IMS) is seeking a staff member to join the Eastern Europe team of professionals at the Global Response Department.

The successful candidate will be responsible for the overall management and further development of the programs within the Eastern Europe portfolio of IMS, as well as leading thematic projects relevant to the region, with a particular focus on building resilience against disinformation.

Deadline - July 24, 2022

[More information](#)

Youth4Regions – the programme for aspiring journalists

Journalism students and young journalists from EU member states and neighboring countries can apply for this programme.

The European Commission's Directorate General for Regional and Urban Policy organizes the Youth4Regions competition.

The competition seeks original articles (2,500 to 6,250 characters) or video reports (two to three minutes long) on an EU-funded project.

Winners will join the media pool covering the European Week of Regions, October 10 to 13 in Brussels. The organizer will provide travel and accommodations.

Deadline - July 11, 2022

[More information](#)

Telegram course on chemical weapons

Thomson Foundation has created the course "Reacting to a chemical attack". The course takes about 15 minutes. It will guide users on the types of chemical and biological weapons that have been used in recent years and how to recognize them.

Typical symptoms are listed alongside what to do in the event of a chemical attack.

The course is available in Ukrainian and English.

[More information](#)

Psychological support sessions for journalists

Media professionals can sign up for these support groups. The Reporters Without Borders and the Institute of Mass Information are organizing psychological support sessions for journalists and media professionals.

The sessions will be conducted by a professional psychotherapist and will be held in a closed format for small groups of journalists.

[More information](#)

Radio Free Europe seeks specialists for Russian Investigative Unit

Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty (RFE/RL) seeks a chief editor, an investigative journalist, a social media producer, a motion graphics designer and a video editor for its newly created Russian Investigative Unit based in Riga.

General requirements include a university degree in a relevant field and work experience.

Proficiency in Russian is mandatory.

[More information](#)

You are invited to...

... a live webinar with Roman Anin

Roman Anin is a one of Russia's top investigative journalists.

During the webinar on **July 19, 2022** he will share insights and answer questions about his experience investigating Kremlin allies from exile.

The one-hour virtual event will include time for the audience to ask questions.

Tuesday, July 19, 2022
9.00 EDT/15.00 CEST

[More information](#)

BCME statement of support for Ukraine

"As Russia's military escalation in and around Ukraine continues apace, it is particularly important not to fall in traps of disinformation and under war propaganda pressure.

We condemn the violence and aggression that puts thousands of media professionals all over Ukraine in danger. We also stand in solidarity with independent Russian media who continue to report the truth in unprecedented conditions. Look for reliable and fact-checked news. Support independent media in Ukraine and Russia. Objective and quality information is extremely important," says Gunta Sloga, the director of Baltic Centre for Media Excellence.

