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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, news@baltic.media team



### **Highlights**

Funding | Opportunities -

#### Journalism fellowships at Oxford

Mid-career journalists can apply for a fellowship at Oxford University, United Kingdom.

The <u>Reuters Institute for the Study of Journalism</u> seeks applicants for its Journalist Fellowship Programme, that will begin October 2023, January 2024 and April 2024, and will last three or six months.

Applicants must have at least five years of journalism experience and strong English skills.

### Funding available for cross-border investigative reporting

News outlets, staff journalists and freelancers in Europe interested in pursuing investigative stories can apply for this grant.

The <u>Investigative Journalism for Europe</u> opened its call for cross-border investigations in the European Union.

A total of EUR 50,000 will be distributed for investigative projects in Europe.

Deadline - February 23, 2023

More information

### Investigative Grant Programme 2023

The Justice for Journalists Foundation invites media organisations and workers to submit applications for its annual Investigative Grant Programme!

This year the Foundation will welcome grant applications in the following subject areas:

- Investigations into the violent crimes against journalists operating in conflict zones and hostile areas (i.e. Ukraine)
- Case studies and concept notes on the safety of journalists
- Proposals that help to raise awareness of and support campaigns against Strategic Litigation Against Public Participation

Maximum grant amount - USD 80,000.

Deadline - March 5, 2023

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

## SAVE THE DATE: Summer School of Investigative Reporting

Summer School of Investigative Reporting is an annual three-day event in Riga that has become one of the hottest and most impactful meeting places for media professionals in the region.

Save the date and join the event on August 17-19, 2023.

More information about agenda and speakers to follow.

More information

### And...

# How podcasting may benefit your news operation

Podcasts can diversify the content of a news operation and present an opportunity to deepen the coverage of complex and dynamic issues at the same time.



How to start and record a podcast?

Here are some tips from Lika Kremer, CEO of podcast studio Libo/Libo:

- How to start your own podcast from scratch
- How to record your first podcast

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 factchecked news. Support independent media in Ukraine. Objective and quality information is extremely important," says Gunta Sloga, the director of Baltic Centre for Media Excellence.



