COSIMENA Call for Partnerships 2027

Within the scope of its clusters, COSIMENA offers funding opportunities for a great variety of activities, which range from scholarly evening lectures and workshops to summer/winter schools and scientific conferences. Please note that the form can only be filled out in English and German. Any other languages will not be accepted.

The deadline for applications is Monday, 30th November 2026 (23:59 Cairo Local Time)

If you face technical issues uploading your documents, take a screenshot of the error and email it to "cosimena@daadcairo.org (mailto:cosimena@daadcairo.org)." Since responses may take a few days and instant technical support is unavailable, avoid submitting your application at the last minute.

!! Please note that the use of AI to formulate or draft any content of the application is prohibited. Artificial intelligence (AI) tools should only be used in the preparation of this application to support language editing, proofreading, and the improvement of clarity and structure. The content, ideas, information, and proposed activities were developed and reviewed by the applicant(s). All AI-assisted content must be carefully checked and revised by the applicant(s), who take full responsibility for the accuracy, originality, and final version of the application.

There are 42 questions in this survey.

Requesting Institution

Requesting German Institution (Applying Institution) *

Responsible Contact Person

The Contact Person at the applying institution
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Partner Institutions (if applicable)

Partner Institution 1 (if applicable)

Are you a Germany/DAAD alumnus/alumna?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

◯ Yes

◯ No

If yes, please fill in the following information:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' at question '4 [q0r298]' (Are you a Germany/DAAD alumnus/alumna?)

Partner Institutions (if applicable)

Partner Institution 2 (if applicable)

Are you a Germany/DAAD alumnus/alumna?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

◯ Yes

◯ No

If yes, please fill in the following information:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' at question '7 [q0r242]' (Are you a Germany/DAAD alumnus/alumna?)

Partner Institutions (if applicable)

Partner Institution 3 (if applicable)

Are you a Germany/DAAD alumnus/alumna?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No

If yes, please fill in the following information:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' at question '10 [q0r770]' (Are you a Germany/DAAD alumnus/alumna?)

Partner Institutions (if applicable)

Partner Institution 4 (if applicable)

Are you a Germany/DAAD alumnus/alumna?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No

If yes, please fill in the following information:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' at question '13 [q0r406]' (Are you a Germany/DAAD alumnus/alumna?)

Experience with Funding Schemes

Other Funding Schemes (German Partner)

Former Experience with Funding Schemes by the contact person in the applying institution (German partner) carrying out the Project. *

Choose one of the following answers
Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ◯ Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst (DAAD)
- ◯ Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG)
- ◯ Humboldt Foundation (AvH)
- ◯ Industrial Foundation, please specify ...
- ◯ Other, please specify ...

Make a comment on your choice here:

Last Funding Received *

Experience with Funding Schemes

Other Funding Schemes (Egyptian Partner)

Former Experience with Funding Schemes by the contact person in the Egyptian Institution carrying out the Project. *

Choose one of the following answers

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ◯ Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst (DAAD)
- ◯ Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG)
- ◯ Humboldt Foundation (AvH)
- ◯ Industrial Foundation, please specify ...
- ◯ Other, please specify ...

Make a comment on your choice here:

Last Funding Received *

About the Event

Type of event applying for *

Choose one of the following answers

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ◯ Evening Lectures/Panel Discussions
- ◯ Workshops and small Symposia
- ◯ Summer/Winter Schools
- ◯ (Segments of) International Conferences
- ◯ Lecture series
- ◯ Other, please specify:

Make a comment on your choice here:

Title of Event *

Please write your answer here:

Please upload a short description of the Event as a PDF file. (at least 2000 characters)

❗ Please upload one file
Kindly attach the aforementioned documents along with the survey

Please add a detailed description of the intended event/activity.

In which city will the event be held? *

Please write your answer here:

Suggested Venue of the Event *

Does the suggested venue provide catering/kitchen for the event? *

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No

Does the suggested venue provide the necessary technical equipment for the setup of the event? *

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ◯ Yes
- ◯ No

Please provide a fixed date for the intended event. *

Please enter a date:

If the fixed date cannot be fulfilled, please provide two alternative possible dates.

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If the fixed date cannot be fulfilled, please provide 2 options and be as precise as possible. Please ensure that the date options are not close to each other and include at least a one-month interval.

Target Audience *

Please write your answer here:

Please check the target audience of each event format in the scope of COSIMENA.

Number of Active Speakers/Participants to be funded *

Please write your answer here:

Number of Expected Passive Participants/Guests *

Please write your answer here:

Information about the active Speakers/Participants to be funded

❗ Please upload between 1 and 5 files
Kindly attach the aforementioned documents along with the survey

Please provide, as an attachment, the name, affiliation, a short biography and role of potential speakers during the event. Eligible Candidates must be from Germany or the MENA region!

Please add a separate draft agenda

❗ Please upload one file
Kindly attach the aforementioned documents along with the survey

Please add a separate detailed draft agenda as an attachment with all items in the programme and the planned speakers, panelists and moderators for each item.

Please upload the list of service providers (e.g., catering, accommodation, technical equipment, etc.) if your institution is unable to provide these services.

❗ Please upload one file
Kindly attach the aforementioned documents along with the survey

Intended Contribution(s) of involved Institutions and Stakeholders (financial, organisation, PR activities). Please elaborate in detail. *

Please write your answer here:

Please explain the financial, logistical, and academic responsibilities of each partner or institution.

Contribution of the event to fostering academic cooperation between institutions from Germany and the MENA region *

Please write your answer here:

Explanation of the Expected Impact beyond the Funding Period of the Project *

Please write your answer here:

(On the academic ecosystem in the countries involved in general, if applicable, and on the participating institutions and individuals in particular.)

Public Relations and Visibility: Please describe the channels that are going to be used for announcements, dissemination, documentation and visibility.

Please upload one file

Kindly attach the aforementioned documents along with the survey

Have any other funding sources been applied for this event? If yes, please provide details in the comments section. *

Choose one of the following answers

Please choose **only one** of the following:

◯ Yes

◯ No

Make a comment on your choice here:

Important: Receiving funding from multiple sources for the same project is not permitted.

Finance Plan

Estimate of the Expected Costs

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Please be as precise as possible in calculating the budget.

Please attach a detailed "Financial Plan" (budget) that should include a description of the services, budget items, and costs as precisely as possible, and indicate the financial/in-kind contributions of the applying institutions (if applicable). Items not specifically mentioned in the 'Financial Plan' cannot be funded.

❗ Please upload between 1 and 4 files
Kindly attach the aforementioned documents along with the survey

Only Excel sheets are permitted for upload.

Other

Other Information and/or Comments

Please write your answer here:

Other Attachments (if necessary)

❗ Please upload at most 5 files
Kindly attach the aforementioned documents along with the survey

Thank you for filling out the Form. The results will be announced by the end of February/Beginning of March.

For queries, please contact: cosimena@daadcairo.org (mailto:cosimena@daadcairo.org) (Subject: “Inquiry_COSIMENA Call for Partnerships 2027”)

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Submit your survey.
Thank you for completing this survey.