



CWM funding call for 2025

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The IMU Committee for Women in Mathematics (CWM) invites proposals for funding of up to €3000 for activities or initiatives to support women in mathematics taking place from March 2025 to February 2026. Applications should be submitted by December 13, 2024 (by 23:59 CET), via the homepage of IMU Grants: https://grants.mathunion.org/.

Proposals should fall under one of the following categories:

- a) **Establishing or supporting networks for women in mathematics**, preferably at the continental or regional level, with priority given to networks in developing countries. Activities could include, for example, creating videos, films or exhibitions, organizing mathematical activities or round-tables, setting up or improvement of websites, etc.
- b) Research workshops geared towards establishing research networks for women. Research Collaboration Conferences for Women, where junior and senior women work together on pre-defined research projects, demonstrate successful models of such events. For events organised in developed countries, CWM funding can only be used to support participants from developing countries. In any case, higher priority will always be given to events organised in developing countries. We recognise that the organisation of these events may take longer. Therefore, if justified, events that take place in 2026 may be considered for this category.
- c) **Other ideas** for researching and/or addressing issues encountered by women in mathematics.

For any of these categories, budget can include travel and/or accommodation expenses for participants from developing countries, infrastructure and logistics, childcare, etc. Note that **funding for individual research projects is not available**.

The application consists of a webform, to be filled in English, where applicants provide specific information about their project, and attach one file with the detailed budget. Except for the budget, there is no option to upload a file with the proposal, and **proposals will be evaluated based on the answers in the form only**. You will need to register in the IMU Grant Management system before submitting your proposal. Each applicant may submit only one proposal for the call.

When evaluating a proposal, CWM may share it with external consultants for their opinion.

This will be the only call for applications regarding activities in 2025. Applications should be submitted **by December 13, 2024 (by 23:59 CET)**. Depending on budget availability, successful applications may not be funded in full. Successful applicants will be informed no later than January 31, 2025.

For any questions about the call, or if you do not receive an automated reply after submitting the application, please email us at applications-for-cwm@mathunion.org.

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